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WAYNE'S CHRISTMAS OPENING

Business Men of Our City Planning Joint Holiday Demonstration for Entertainment of Many.

Wayne merchants are planning for a great holiday trade this season, and arrangements have been started to have a general Christmas opening at this place to which every one and his best girl will be invited, and no one invited can afford to refuse or neglect to come. The probable dates will be December 11 and 12, and there will not be a business house that will not be expected to take a part. The slogan will be "Do your Christmas shopping early." This is most excellent advice no matter by whom given for the early shopper has all of the advantage of unbroken stock to select from—and the satisfaction of knowing that the selections made are not the leavings of those who have taken the cream of the goods.

Wayne merchants have bought liberally and well in anticipation of the wants of their patrons, and when the official invitation comes for you to come and see the provision they have made to meet your needs you owe it to them and to yourselves to accept the invitation.

Next week we hope to be able to announce definitely the plans for helping you to do your Christmas buying to best advantage.

"Dall" Alderman to Live in Norfolk

Dallas Alderman, noted league baseball pitcher and a son of the late Frank Alderman of west Point, will make his home in Norfolk. He has associated himself with Councilman J. C. Larkin and will travel in northern Nebraska in the interests of the latter's business.

Mr. Alderman has been a pitcher in both the Western and the National leagues. He pitched for Fred Clark of the Pittsburg Nationals one season and was in the Western league four years, playing successfully with Sioux City, Des Moines and other teams. Last summer he pitched a beautiful game of ball for Norfolk against Madison, winning handily.

Alderman is only 28 years old and has been playing professional baseball since he was 16. His first professional game was with Stanton against Wayne and he won the game. His father before him was a great baseball fan and every night after school he instructed his employe, a marble cutter named Rheinhardt, who had played league ball, to teach "Dall" how to pitch. Dall proved an apt pupil and got into big league company.—Norfolk News.

The Normal football team went to LeMars, Iowa, today where they play the Western Union college at that place.

Rev. Karpenstein Resigns

It will be with regret that the many friends of Rev. J. H. Karpenstein, without as well as within his church learn of his resignation as pastor of the German Lutheran church which was tendered last Sunday that he might accept a call to the church at Hastings. It is almost twelve years since Rev. Karpenstein accepted the pastorate of the church at this place coming here from Columbus here he had made headquarters while engaged as traveling secretary of the Synod.

During his stay here he has been a quiet worker, building up a congregation here to more than fifty families. During these years a parsonage has been built and paid for besides taking up the work of organizing and building a church at Winside. The organization there consists of about twenty-five families, and they have a comfortable church home free from debt, costing \$1,800, and where Rev. K. has gone to hold a service once in two weeks.

As pastor of the church here he has also been teacher in the church school which is housed by a neat addition to the church and where the younger members of the families are instructed in religion before their confirmation. This school is conducted each winter, beginning early in December and closing at Easter time when the pupils are confirmed.

He has made many friends here, and is a most pleasant and companionable gentleman with many scholarly attainments. The Democrat wishes nothing but good for himself and worthy wife and family.

Rev. Karpenstein will preach his farewell sermon next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Commercial Club at Carroll

Last week a meeting of the business men of Carroll was held and the preliminary steps toward forming a commercial club were taken. F. E. Francis was named as chairman and L. R. Bellows secretary. A constitution and by-laws were read and adopted. A committee of three was appointed to solicit additional members, there being 17 who joined that evening. It is a move in the right direction. Every town should have an organization of its business men, and we think an organization of the business men of the entire county could be made beneficial.

The primary and intermediate rooms of our school gave an interesting Thanksgiving program Wednesday afternoon.

The blue rock shooters have been practicing for a Thanksgiving shoot.

The supper given the other evening by the Degree of Honor netted that fraternity the sum of \$27.

A Wedding Party

Tuesday morning when the branch train from the north arrived at Wayne a party consisting of John Staben, Miss Mary Rath, Cress Staben and John Thietfolt, all from the north part of this county alighted and wended their way toward the temple of justice in the northwest part of Wayne, where in due time Judge James Britton granted a license and uttered the vows to which John and Mary assented and were pronounced husband and wife. The two gentlemen last named being witnesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Staben live a few miles south of Randolph, where they moved from Washington county about six years ago. Mr. Staben has prospered as a farmer, and has thought it is not good for man to be alone, and hereafter the way will not seem so long and lonesome, we truly hope. Mr. Staben is a progressive farmer, giving his work careful study, and says that he has grown a splendid corn crop this year, and asked if Wayne would have a corn show this fall, and in event that they do he proposes to compete with an exhibit. He is giving attention to pure bred corn of the Weber-Yellow Dent and Minnesota No. 13 varieties. This corn talk may not just look right in connection with a wedding notice, but we wager that it is of as much importance as it would be to tell of the bride's dress, the flowers she wore, and that the groom was clad in black, as usual. May John and Mary have many happy, prosperous days, and that the county may be made more prosperous by their united efforts, is the wish of this paper.

Council Proceedings

When the council met in regular session Monday evening, all were present except the Mayor who is out of town and Councilman John Larison, who is ill. After the usual opening exercises the business consisted of passing on and allowing the following bills:

H. S. Ringland, freight \$219.10.
H. S. Ringland, salary, \$50.00.
Sheridan Coal Co., \$55.20.
Sheridan Coal Co., \$58.70.
Geo. L. Minor, salary, \$75.00.
Glenn Minor, burying dogs, \$1.
Gust Newman, salary, \$60.00.
John Harmon salary, \$60.00.
Ed Murrill, salary, \$90.00.
Walter Miller, street labor, \$70.50.
J. W. Nelson, street labor, \$41.00.
A. G. Bohnerf, Board Boiler-makers, \$13.00.
L. A. Fanske, meter returned, \$17.00.
C. E. Conger, dray, \$3.50.
C. M. Craven, \$2.00.
Jos. R. Lehmer Co., \$2.40.
Jos. R. Lehmer Co., \$17.61.
Western Electric Co., \$1.45.
Interstate Electric Co., \$25.17.
Western Electric Co., \$3.30.
Standard Oil Co., \$13.77.
McVicker appointed committee to purchase stove for firemen's room.
Adjourned.

Baby Swallows a Buckle

Ed Holmquist and wife of Wausa, were passengers through here Wednesday morning, hurrying to Omaha with their little baby to find help if possible for the little one. The evening before, the child, not over a year of age, had swallowed a part of a buckle such as are used on overalls. The sharp prongs had scratched the throat badly, but the little one was not appearing to suffer much, and the parents think the buckle has passed into the stomach as it was in much pain for considerable time after getting the buckle in its throat. The local physician could not recover the metal after it had started.

Harry Denesia from seven miles west of Wayne went to Pender Wednesday to help an uncle finish his corn harvest, they having finished their own gathering. His father, who accompanied him to Wayne, is of the opinion that the corn crop of the county is greatly over-estimated, and told of some who were husking by weight, and the weighed loads did not bear hold out with the measured loads, indicating less corn than there should be in a load. Some other farmers have expressed this view of the corn crop, and all admit that there is a tendency to over-estimate the crop in the field if it looks good.

Social Notes

The normal football squad were entertained at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Hunter Tuesday evening. Invitations, in the form of miniature footballs, were responded to by thirty young men. The rooms were artistically arranged in the team's colors. Contests in harmony with the occasion enlivened the evening, the lucky ones receiving prizes. Music and college yells added to the enjoyment and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. The boys left at a late hour feeling that they had indeed spent an evening of rare enjoyment.

The ladies of the Monday club met in regular session at the home of Mrs. D. C. Main this week when a Thanksgiving program was carried out. Answers to roll call consisted of Thanksgiving verses. Mrs. Moran then read an excellent story entitled "Where Are The Nine" which was greatly enjoyed. The ladies were also favored with music and the hostess served light refreshments. They meet next week Mrs. Marsteller.

Mrs. Orlando Adams was hostess to the ladies of the Tuesday club this week. Roll call consisted of current events. Mrs. Naffziger read a Thanksgiving story which was very much enjoyed. Mrs. Davis favored the club with a beautiful solo, rendered in her pleasing way. Mrs. Adams and her sisters also pleased the ladies with instrumental selections. They meet in two weeks with Mrs. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. Lackey entertained the faculty of the Normal at the home of the former last Saturday evening. The happy hours were passed in playing progressive royalty, prizes being awarded to winners. College colors were much in evidence. Light refreshments were served and the guests departed at a late hour expressing a royal good time.

At the meeting of the Acme club Monday, roll call was responded to with favorite Thanksgiving recipes. Mrs. Blair then told of the first Thanksgiving, after which Mrs. Wilson read the Courtship of Miles Standish. Mrs. Raymond will be hostess at the next meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Reynolds have as their dinner guests today, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Beebe and daughters of Wakefield, Edward and Delos Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Reynolds and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moran and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hunter and Grandma Lilly will be entertained at dinner tomorrow at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Lantz in Winside.

Robert Mellor and family, H. S. Wilson and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Wilson are guests at a Thanksgiving dinner in Elgin today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Huffman.

The E. H. C. club enjoyed their last meeting with Mrs. F. A. Berry last week and will meet this week with Mrs. Raymond.

Miss Mable Clark entertained the Junior Bridge club informally at her home last Saturday evening.

The Pioneer Bridge club meets with Mrs. A. H. Ellis tomorrow evening.

Mrs. Wm. Gorst will be hostess at the next meeting of the Minerva club.

Winside Lady Weds

A quiet wedding witnessed by relatives and immediate friends took place at the home of Henry Moeding and wife southeast of Winside, Wednesday noon, November 27, 1912, when Rev. Karpenstein of this place said the words that united for life Mr. August Moeding of Bennington and Miss Alvina Thompson of Winside. After the ceremony congratulations were extended to the bride and groom and a wedding dinner was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Moeding will leave the first of the week for Bennington where they will reside, the groom being one of the industrious young men of that place. The best wishes of many friends accompany them.

FOR SALE—R. C. R. I. R. roosters at \$1.00 each. Inquire of Roy Hurst, Wayne.—adv. 48-5p.

Wayne Normal Loses to Chadron

The following report from the pen of Coach F. E. Marrin tells the story of the football game with the Chadron Normal last Friday afternoon.

Worn out by an all night ride, the Wayne State Normal football team went down to defeat before the husky team of the Chadron Normal. A terrific gale swept over the field from the northwest, rendering impossible the use of the forward pass, upon which Wayne depended. Chadron played the old style line smashing game. The speedy half backs of the western team shattered the flanks of the Wayne line and ripped through tackle for gain after gain, but with all their weight and speed they were unable to puncture the center of the line. Mines proved himself a star in this position, and his heady, consistent playing, coupled with a determination to defend his colors against all odds, won the admiration of both friends and foes.

Wayne's line, with the exception of center, proved weak, and the secondary defense was constantly called into action to stem the tide of the on rushing Chadron backs. The back field trio, Gildersleeve, Welch and Townsend played well, and had they received proper support from the line, might have turned defeat into victory. Johnson played a very effective, offensive game, opening several holes through which Welch and Gildersleeve plunged for gains of from five to ten yards. At the close, the score stood 27 to 0 in favor of Chadron.

Marion Hostetter had the misfortune to be kicked in the groin Monday by a horse. He was gathering corn and the singletree became caught in the wagon wheel, and when he went to pull it out the animal handed him one. His father thought the injury would not prove serious, and that he would soon be able to resume work.

Printing that pleases—Democrat.

Senator Rayner Dead

Washington, Nov. 25.—Senator Isadore Rayner of Maryland died at 6 o'clock this morning of neuritis.

Senator Rayner's illness from neuritis covers a period of nearly five years. Complications began about six weeks ago and his serious illness dates from that time. He attempted to enter actively into the democratic campaign and met Bourke Cockran in joint debate at Baltimore last September. The experience exhausted him and he became seriously ill immediately afterward.

Senator Rayner was one of several men whose names William J. Bryan suggested as a suitable candidate for the presidential nomination. Rayner was one of the striking figures of the senate. He had been a member of that body for nearly eight years and was one of its strongest debaters and authority on matters of constitutional law.

The control of the United States senate after March 4 may hinge on the death of Senator Rayner. The republican whom it is expected Gov. Goldsborough will appoint to his place will hold office at least until the Maryland legislature meets in January 1914. Senator Rayner's death removes one of the democrats on whom the control of the senate depended in the new congress. With this vote the democratic leaders counted on 49 votes, or one more than a majority of the total membership of 96. In any event, 48 votes with the vote of the vice-president in case of a tie, was looked upon as sufficient strength to secure control.

While the democrats will have an apparent strength of 48, the death of the Maryland senator reduces the supposed majority to a point very near the dividing line of party control.

Miss Amelia Schroeder returned to her home at Hoskins Tuesday. She had been here for some time receiving treatment from Dr. Lutgen and returned home much benefited. She was accompanied by her sister.

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Our Holiday line of books is now practically complete—the largest line we have ever shown. A beautiful line of Holiday Gift Books.

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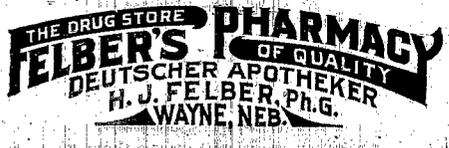
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The Democrat for job printing. W. H. Ferris of Omaha transacted business here Saturday.

Call on Gaertner & Beekenhauer to move or tune your piano.—Adv.

A farmers' institute will be held at Pierce, beginning December 9.

Have you been to see Craven about those Christmas Photos?—adv.

Mrs. W. W. Garwood was a visitor from Carroll Monday morning.

METHODIST COOK BOOKS are now on sale at the Jones Bookstore.—Adv.

Wisner will have a three-day farmers' institute, beginning December 10th.

Miss Grace Harlan returned to Norfolk to spend the week end with her parents.

Emil Weber returned Monday morning from Laurel where he spent Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. A. G. Adams offers for quick sale at low price, an 8-room house and 3-acre tract.—adv. 45tf.

J. S. Martin of Wynot visited over Sunday with his brother, W. C. Martin, returning Monday.

We are showing better styles than ever for Xmas Photos. Craven, Photographer.—adv. 47 tf

Iowa is getting more progressive, but they have a moss-back bunch of conservatives there who die hard.

Mrs. Hetzer left for her home at Neligh last Friday after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Vibber.

Misses Vivian and Mabel Butler went to Emerson Sunday to visit the day with their grandmother, Mrs. McCurdy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Willinger and little son returned to their home in Hooper after visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

J. H. Kate and wife left Sunday afternoon to visit at the home of her parents at Holdridge, where they will remain for Thanksgiving.

At Columbus they are agitating the question of issuing bonds for a city building. If they get a city hall and library they will begin to class with Wayne.

Going? Where? Opera house Friday evening, 29th to hear the music by the Parr-Reed orchestra—none better. If you don't dance—but you will if you go. Only \$1.—Adv.

G. W. Johnson and wife of Wakefield were here Sunday visiting the lady's parents, J. P. Larsen and wife. Mr. Johnson is a prosperous lumber dealer at Wakefield.

The play "Graustark" will appear at the opera house Monday evening, December 2. This is one of the best if not the best attractions that have ever appeared here.—adv.

There are two whole days yet in which to pay your personal taxes before the interest begins. Smile, and walk up, if you have the price. Treasurer Roe is wearing a smile of welcome these days.

The Missouri Valley Teachers' Association begins its annual session at Omaha tomorrow. This is an organization of teachers embracing several states, this will be their first meeting in Nebraska.

J. M. Roberts, who is on the Clark home ranch, is about through with corn gathering. He says that none of the corn returned less than 40 bushels per acre, and that some fields yielded more than 50 bushels for each acre. J. H. Rimel reports a yield of more than 40 bushels from his fields.

When you send your Christmas gift to your friends, a Red Cross seal will indicate that your heart is in a good cause for humanity in general as well as to your friends in particular. An average of about \$2,250,000 annually or the past four years has been collected by the sale of these seals and used to fight tuberculosis.

H. B. Craven went to Sioux City Monday.

Miss Florence Welch spent Sunday with home folks at this place.

Dr. Lutgen, Physician and Surgeon. Calls answered day or night.—Adv.

What would be better for Xmas presents than some nice photos?—adv 47-tf.

Meritol Hair Tonic will do wonders for your hair. For sale by J. T. Leahy, Wayne.—adv.

Meritol Rheumatism Powders surprise everybody who try them. Sold by J. T. Leahy, Wayne.—adv.

Mrs. Lucy Connelly returned Monday afternoon from Plainview where she visited her mother and children.

Jas. Stanton and wife of Carroll went to Sioux City Friday to visit at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. Finn.

Only a few weeks and Christmas will be here. Have those photos made now. Craven, photographer.—adv. 47-tf.

The Homer Star says that there are many glandered horses in the neighborhood of Winnebago among the Indian horses.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Selden of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, arrived here Monday afternoon to visit at the L. A. Fanske home.

U R invited to keep step to the music of the Parr-Reed orchestra at the opera house Friday evening, the 29th. Tickets \$1.—Adv.

A farm of 150 acres seven miles from Lyons sold a few days ago for \$152.50 per acre, which is top price for that neighborhood.

Liquid Koall, the worm-destroyer. Also guaranteed for hog cholera and all germ diseases of animals. Sold by J. T. Leahy, of Wayne and Needham Bros., of Win-side.—Adv. tf.

J. M. Roberts and wife and son, Ray, went to Sioux City Friday for the day. They were accompanied by Mrs. Roberts' mother, Mrs. M. E. Burton of Laurel, who has been visiting at the Roberts home for a time.

An Omaha Bridge company claim that they will lose \$10,000 on a bridge they contracted to build over Loup river at Monroe. Well, if they are good grafters they can soon make it up on some other bridges.

P. F. Geary of LeMars, Iowa, returned home Monday after a visit of several days at the home of his brother, W. J. Geary, at this place. He came last week in time to attend the wedding of his niece, Miss Frances, and William Ahern.

Ted Perry shipped in 100 head of feeders last week to help him market his bumper corn crop. They will also make a market for the corn grown by others in the neighborhood. Henry Linke also shipped in a couple of cars of good young animals which he purchased at Sioux City.

W. H. Green has been summoned by the government to appear as a witness at St. Louis on November 27th in the cases of the United States against the International Harvester Trust. Mr. Green has been of valuable aid to the government in the prosecution of these cases.—Creighton Liberal.

A new paper is soon to be started at Foster, according to a report we had last week, and now the report comes that another bank is to be started there right away. Thus one good thing brings another. The chances are that the fellow who starts the paper will soon need a bank—to borrow from.

Next week the Nebraska Woman Suffragist will hold a meeting at Omaha. It is most sincerely hoped that they will not become hilarious to the extent that the Kansas sisters did not long since and make a bonfire of their bonnets, and we urge upon Mayor Dahlgren the need of having the fire-fighting brigade in perfect working order. But it is possible that the women will behave no worse on this occasion than have the men on some previous occasions.

The eyes of the world are turning toward this great state, and many are they who are seeking to learn of the opportunities that here await the men and the means to turn the trick that will bring the money. One of the latest moves is that of supplying 150 high schools in the state of New York with reliable information regarding the resources of this state. These facts will be presented in the schools there and form part of the education of the New York student. Thus, when they come to look for new fields for work after their school days, it is but natural that the lessons should bring some of them west; and the high school graduates will make good citizens.

Miss Mae Brady returned Monday morning from Sioux City.

Hear the Parr-Reed orchestra, opera house Friday, the 29th.—Adv.

Carl Noelle is erecting a fine modern bungalow on his lot in the northwest part of town which is nearing completion.

Mrs. Fred Blair returned Sunday afternoon from Lincoln where she had been visiting her father who underwent an operation.

The supreme court has refused to grant a rehearing in the case against Henry Stehr, convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary for inhuman treatment which caused the death of his little stepson at Norfolk about two years ago, because, it is reported, he had no funds with which to have a brief printed.

M. E. Riley of Emerson will occupy the Dakota county poor farm after March 1, 1913. Wonder if he is one of those fellows who believe that the Wilson administration will send him lots of company. He is to pay an annual rental of \$249 and the county is to pay him \$4 per week for the poor under his care.

"King Mastiff," a prize winning boar, the property of Robert A. Schug of Coleridge until last week, was sold to C. R. Jones of Henry, Illinois, for \$500, which causes us to again remark that it pays to grow pure bred stock of some variety, rather than scrubs. This animal, crated for shipment, weighed 1050 pounds.

A. J. Boston and wife of Malvern, Iowa, returned to their home last Friday after a visit of two weeks at the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. H. Rimel, and with other friends here. They report a wet fall in that part of Iowa, at least more rain than we have had here; that crops there were good, and especially was the wheat crop a record breaker.

A farmer, W. C. Ross, near Laurel, has watermelons now. He stored some in his cellar, and they are now said to be excellent. In an early day in northeastern Iowa, we occasionally had watermelon Christmas. Grandfather had a way of burying some in a straw-stack that would come out in fine shape at Christmas time—some seasons, but not always.

Now that the Carnegie Corporation have voted to pension the Ex-Presidents we suppose no one will care for more than one term, for it will be an easy thing to be an "Ex" at \$25,000 per year. Wonder if that will keep Teddy out of the race now, for he is eligible, and had he been re-elected it would have taken him four years and possibly eight to again become a candidate for these riches.

A local man or woman is desired right now to represent The Pictorial Review in this territory—to call on those whose subscriptions are about to expire. Big money for the right person—representatives in some other districts make over \$500.00 a month. Spare time workers are liberally paid for what they do. Any person taking up this position becomes the direct local representative of the publishers. Write today for this offer of the Pictorial Review. 222 West 39th Street, New York City.—adv. 48-2.

A letter comes to us from Lyons saying that the statement in the Democrat as to the nature of the disease which caused the death of Miss Vallie Welker, formerly of Wayne, was not correct; that she had no sore of a cancerous nature, as reported to us, and adds: "The surgeon who operated called the disease sarcoma. At the same time he said he had never seen a case exactly like hers. The real cause of her death will remain a mystery. Her death was painless." This last sentence will be comforting to those who knew her here.

The mere announcement that "Graustark" is coming should arouse an exceptional interest in all lovers of the theatre, for as a rule they are also readers of fiction; and if they have not seen the play, have read the novel. Mr. George Barr McCutcheon, the author, is a product of that great center of agriculture and literature, Indiana. James Whicomb Riley, Booth Tarkington, George Ade and General Lew Wallace have all contributed to the state's fame, but no "best sellers" ever came out of Indiana and achieved greater fame and popularity than the works of McCutcheon—and the greatest of these is "Graustark." It has had a larger output than the combined sale of his other books and the demand for it still continues. Miss Grace Hayward, who adopted the novel, realized that the public would wish to see much of McCutcheon as possible; and therefore, kept as closely to the story as the dramatic unities would allow. Wayne opera house Monday, Dec. 2.—adv.

Merry Christmas

What's the use in waiting till the bells chime out Christmas before extending greetings? We may be a little ahead of time, but we mean it just the same. The fact is, we have been working on Christmas things and thinking about Christmas till it almost seems to us this really is Christmas. You will think so yourself when you see our Christmas stock. Come in and absorb a little Christmas spirit. We have presents for everybody, no matter how young or how old

For the Baby

Tickle the baby with a Woolly Sheep; make him laugh with a tumbling clown. Low priced goods like Rubber Dolls, Rattles, Iron Toys, Horses, Trumpets, Kolly Polies, Blocks, Rubber Balls and many others are just the things that strike baby's fancy and you find them all on our 10c, 15c or 25c tables.

For Little Girls

Nothing pleases a six year old girl like a rosy-cheeked DOLL. We have them for 25c, 50c, 75c and up that will make her gasp with delight. Next to dolls, in her estimation, comes Doll Furniture, and here again we can help to please her. Dressers, Beds and chairs as low as a dime. Pastry Sets and Kitchenware from 10c up. Pianos, Stoves, Hammocks and the like. Toy dogs, Teddy bears, paint boxes, doll beds, doll cabs and a host of other things make us Holiday Headquarters for little girls.

For Little Boys

A Christmas without noise is a failure for the little boy. Get him a drum, a horn, a singing top. He wants to imitate grown-ups, and one of our Watches for 5c, 10c 25c or \$1.00 will make him feel as big as father. He wants to build things. Our Autos, Fire Engines, Wagons and Horses will complete the little boy's paradise. Games will entertain him during the long winter months.

For Big Girls

Twelve year olds love finery. How about a Necklace, Handkerchief box, or a Brooch. Besides the 10c and 25c goods we have put in a stock of higher priced jewelry with a ten or twenty year guarantee attached, which are good enough for anybody. She is big enough to make doll clothes—get her a Sewing Machine. We have good stitchers for 98c. She will want a Trunk for those clothes, we have good ones for 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Don't forget a Cab for her doll. If you come to us you will find a large stock of all the things girls like.

For Big Boys

All boys want a Gun. Our Air Rifles from 50c up are fine enough to please him and good enough to suit him. A real Steam Engine or an Electric Toy will keep the boy amused for hours and will teach him a lot of things. A Slate or Writing Desk will keep him busy. We also have a fine selection of Friction Engines, Mechanical Toys, Boy's Games, Etc.

For Women

Amongst the many beautiful things for women we mention Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets, Hand Mirrors, Side and Back Comb Sets, Framed Pictures, Fancy Stationery, Jewel Boxes and a lot of other things. And a woman always loves pretty things on her dresser like a Puff Box, Hat Pin Holder or Bureau Set. Fancy Dresser Scarfs, Dollies, Towels, Handkerchiefs, Perfume are the articles women enjoy and last but not least a Fancy Piece of China. China is always acceptable and we show the biggest variety at the lowest price.

For Men

A Collar Box will please him. We have nice ones for 65c. Does he smoke? Buy him a Smoker's Set and help mother or wife keep burnt matches and ashes off the floor. We have some as low as 25c and dandy ones for 50c. Our \$1.50 Military Brush Set is good enough for any man. Our Traveling Sets, Watch Fobs or Cuff Links are very acceptable. We have lots of them and our prices are very moderate. Shaving Mugs and Shaving Sets are two other useful gifts, and then you must see our Holly Box items for men—Neckties, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Suspenders, Arm Bands, Etc. We can please everybody.

Remember This: The best things are always picked out first, so shop early. If you want something we have not on hand, tell us and we will get it for you. Our prices on Christmas Goods are, on the average, lower this year than last year, due to lucky purchases.

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State Irrigation Board Divides
Up Loup and Platte Sites.

DOHERTY INTERESTS ARE FIRST

Get Initial Right to Use Loup River Power—Commonwealth Comes Second—Kountze Company Secures Territory From Schuyler to Fremont.

Lincoln, Nov. 26.—A decision generally favorable to the Babcock-Doherty interests and against the Commonwealth Power company of Omaha was arrived at by the state board of irrigation in the contest involving water rights on the Loup and Platte rivers.

The original filing of H. E. Babcock is approved, so far as it covers Columbus, and an extension of six months time is granted for completing the construction of a power plant.

Everything below Columbus, which was claimed by the Babcock-Doherty interests, is denied by the irrigation board. Their entire project contemplated a second development at Schuyler, a third at Fremont and a fourth in the vicinity of Omaha. Relocation plans for the lower part of the valley filed some time since are also rejected.

The Commonwealth company gets a grant of rights under plans filed by C. T. Boggs, beginning at Columbus and extending down the Loup and Platte rivers to Schuyler. This will afford room for one development. All of the water diverted must be returned to the Loup, so that the Commonwealth company may utilize it.

Power Development Divided. The order practically divides the power development projects in this state in the following pieces:

First Section—Territory above Columbus, awarded to the Babcock-Doherty interests.

Section Section—Columbus to Schuyler, awarded to the Commonwealth Power company of Lincoln, of which W. E. Sharp is president, backed by the Moore financial interests of Detroit.

Third Section—Schuyler to Fremont, awarded to the company controlled by the Kountze financial interests of Omaha and New York.

RED CROSS SEALS IN DEMAND

Allotment for Nebraska Is More Than Doubled Over Last Year.

Omaha, Nov. 27.—That far more Red Cross Christmas seals will be sold in Nebraska this year than last is shown by the fact that Mrs. K. R. J. Edholm, secretary of the Nebraska Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis, has sent out over 300,000 of the 750,000 tickets allotted to her for distribution in this state.

Last year not many more than 300,000 stamps were sold in Nebraska. The seals will be placed on sale next Monday, Mrs. Edholm says she expects to get rid of the entire allotment before the first of the year. Orders have come in from over half the agents to double the quantity they sold last year.

Girl Motorcyclist Arrives at Omaha.

Omaha, Nov. 27.—One broken rib a badly damaged eye and numerous other bruises, which it took three weeks in a hospital to patch up, has not been sufficient to dampen the ardor of Miss "Sy" Woodman, who is motorcycling from New York to San Francisco. After spending the night here Miss Woodman left for Denver. Fifteen days of actual running time was used by the cyclist from New York, which is near the record. She received her hardest bump near Des Moines, where she undertook to "take" a sand pile at the foot of a hill while she was traveling thirty-five miles an hour.

Sheriff Sells Flour Mill.

Kearney, Neb., Nov. 27.—George H. Kinsey of Mason City was the successful bidder in the sheriff's sale of the Sweetwater flour mill, held at the court house, giving \$2,000 for the property. The mill, located on the Loup river on the border of Buffalo and Sherman counties, had been advertised and offered for sale twice before but no bidders had offered the necessary two-thirds of the appraisement value.

Hyers and Briggs Case Next Week.

Wahoo, Neb., Nov. 27.—District court convenes here next week, Judge Corcoran of York presiding. Among the twelve criminal cases on the docket to be heard is the case brought on a change of venue from Sarpy county where Sheriff Hyers of Lancaster county and John Briggs, chief of police of South Omaha, are charged with the murder of Roy Blunt.

Northwestern Buys Land in York.

York, Neb., Nov. 27.—A tract of land, containing thirty-one acres, belonging to Frank Montgomery, was sold to N. P. Dodge of Omaha. The land adjoins the city on the northeast. It is said it will be used by the Northwestern when it builds its continental line to the coast.

Sanford Pays Inheritance Tax.

Wahoo, Neb., Nov. 27.—Charles W. Sanford, through his attorney, has paid to the clerk of the district court of Saunders county the sum of \$1,544 as inheritance tax on the estate of Whitfield Sanford, his father. The county recently won this suit in the courts.

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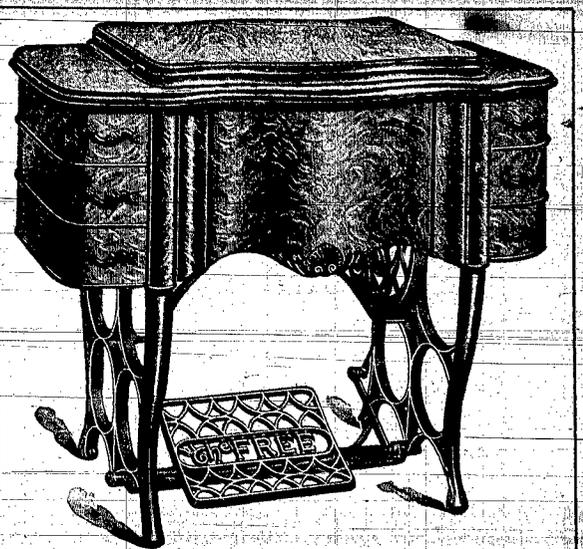
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WOULD CHANGE LIQUOR LAW

Indian Officials Ask Legislature to Make Amendment.

Lincoln, Nov. 26.—Fred H. Abbott, assistant in the department of the interior at Washington, has again written to Deputy Attorney General Frank E. Edgerton asking that the statute relating to the selling of liquor to Indians in this state be changed.

Under the provisions of the present law the title is too limited for the provisions of the measure. Consequently the courts have held that it is unconstitutional. Abbott asks that the punishment be lowered to six months in jail instead of from two to six years in prison, as it now stands. He believes that if the bill was so changed it would be possible to secure more convictions.

NEBRASKA'S OFFICIAL VOTE

Full Returns at Lincoln Show Wilson's Plurality 36,339.

Lincoln, Nov. 26.—Official returns of the late general election were given out at the state house when official figures from Douglas county were available.

The vote for Wilson for president is 109,053; for Taft, 54,272; for Roosevelt, 72,714; for Debs, 10,184; for Chafin, 3,383. Wilson plurality is 36,339. Wilson does not secure a majority over Republicans and Progressives combined.

HIGH SCHOOL LEADERS MEET

Conference Will Be Held in Beatrice Next Month.

Beatrice, Neb., Nov. 27.—The high school leaders' conference will be held in Beatrice, Dec. 7 and 8. It is expected that 250 boys and members of the high school faculties from the South Platte country will be in attendance. Among those who will address

the conference are Rev. L. D. Young of Beatrice, Dr. Condra and Coach Stehm of Lincoln, E. F. Dennison, secretary of the Omaha Young Men's Christian association, and N. A. Elliott of New York city.

Chase Made Secretary.

John C. Chase of Lincoln is elected secretary of the Socialist organization in this state, according to the referendum vote, the result of which was made public here. The election also resulted in the selection of the following members of the executive committee: Dr. W. L. Mossman of Omaha, John Canright of North Platte; G. C. Porter of Survey, B. F. Watson of Geneva and C. R. Oyster of Lincoln. The vote on the state secretaryship was as follows: John C. Chase of Lincoln, 186; Alice Miller of Omaha, 83; Sadie Davison of Lincoln, 14.

A Few Pardons Refused.

Dan Holler, bigamist from Boyd county, must serve the remainder of his seven-year term in the state penitentiary, the board of pardons has denied his appeal for clemency and Governor Aldrich having approved it. Jesse Young, colored, thirteen-year prisoner from Otoe county, was also refused a pardon. The governor cut down the term of James Perry, colored, second degree murderer, from Douglas county, to nine years, which will release him Aug. 2, 1913.

Farmer's Elevator at Pickrell.

Beatrice, Neb., Nov. 26.—The Farmers' Elevator company of Pickrell expects to finish its 25,000-bushel capacity elevator this week. The building will cost about \$10,000. Farmers report that winter wheat in Gage county is looking fine. A good rain or snow, however, would improve conditions. Most of the corn has been gathered and is in the crib. The grain averaged well over the county.

Farmers to Meet in Omaha.

Omaha, Nov. 27.—Seven hundred and fifty organizations of the state which affiliate with the Country Life

congress are naming delegates to the annual convention, which will be held in Omaha, on Dec. 16 to 19. W. S. Delano of Lincoln, secretary of the organization, has received the names of more than 200 delegates, who have been appointed during the past week.

Norfolk Boy Hangs Himself.

Norfolk, Neb., Nov. 27.—Gilmore Neigh, aged twelve, he was wrapped by his mother or running away from school, hanged himself in the city park.

King Alfalfa Plant Burns.

Fire destroyed the King alfalfa plant at Nebraska City, entailing a loss of \$150,000, with \$80,000 insurance.

FARMERS ARE STOCKING UP

Heavy Shipments of Feeder Stock Move From the Yards.

South Omaha, Nov. 27.—That the farmers are making provision against shortage in the cattle crop next year appears in the heavy shipments of feeder stock from the cattle pens to the feeding lots in the country. A total of 479 cars, or 14,336 head, of stocker and feeder cattle was shipped to the country last week, as against 385 cars, or 11,067 head, for the corresponding week a year ago. The cattle were shipped to territory lying between Indiana and Colorado and Missouri and Oregon.

Traffic Manager Shoemaker at the

Union Stock yards has been urging the farmers to restock for the greater part of the year. Range men say that the end of the range stock is in sight, at least for some time, and in order to prevent a real scarcity of cattle it was necessary that the farmers and live stock growers lose no time in restocking their feeder lots.

John H. Krei came down from

Bloomfield, where he is farming the Wendle Baker farm, to spend Sunday with his parents, John Krei and family.

Pioneers and Old Settlers

Mr. A. J. Ferguson, president of the Pioneer and Old Settlers' Association of Wayne county, has already commenced his plans for a successful meeting in 1913. A full set of committees has been selected and Mr. Ferguson hopes to secure the hearty co-operation and assistance of every resident of Wayne county who is interested in an organization of this kind. President Ferguson is anxious not only for a large attendance next year, but that every part of the county will be represented and share in the pleasures of the day. With this in view he has named as members of the various committees people in every section of the county and will urge upon each committeeman the importance of working up a favorable sentiment in his vicinity. The date of the meeting and the program in detail will be announced later.

Perhaps a brief reference to the history of this organization will be of interest at this time. The nucleus of what constitutes the present association came into existence in 1898, and for two years was conducted as an Annual Pennsylvania Picnic, the membership being confined almost entirely to residents of Wayne county who formerly lived in the state of Pennsylvania.

In the fall of 1900 the question of changing the name and enlarging the purpose of the association came up for discussion, and by a unanimous vote it was decided that the name be changed to "The Pioneer and Old Settlers' Association of Wayne county." At the same time the following officers were selected: John T. Bressler, president; J. D. King, secretary;

W. A. K. Neely, treasurer; Dr. R. B. Crawford, historian.

The first business meeting under the new organization and management was held at Wayne on July 6, 1901. The records show that the following attended this meeting, the figures after each name indicating the date of arrival in Wayne county: James Britton, 1876; F. M. Northrop, 1881; J. E. Harmon, 1871; P. L. Miller, 1884; Patrick Coleman, 1882; M. S. Davies, 1881; J. D. King, 1885; B. F. Feather, 1879; E. Hunter, 1870; Grant Mears, 1879; John T. Bressler, 1870; F. M. Skeen, 1882; J. R. Russell, 1869.

A sentence from the Secretary's minutes, referring to the meeting of August 20, 1903, tells something of the interest shown in this organization ten years ago: "The attendance today was much larger than at any time heretofore, people coming from Omaha and surrounding towns, while a number of the former residents of the county were present from Iowa." The total expenditures of this meeting were \$269.15, leaving a balance in the treasury of \$42.91.

The following served as president of the association at the time indicated: 1902, J. T. Bressler; 1903, James Britton; 1904, H. H. Moses; 1905, Wm. O. Gamble; 1906, A. B. Crawford; 1907, A. B. Crawford; 1908, R. Philleo; 1909, J. T. Bressler; 1910, T. W. Moran; 1912, P. M. Corbitt; 1913, A. J. Ferguson.

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See C. A. Chace & Co., for cement blocks of all kinds.—Adv.

Bernard McConnell spent a few days the first of the week at Sioux City.

Without referring particularly to the weather we wish to remark that this has been the finest fall we have seen in Nebraska, and that we came to the state in 1911; but if we live the rest of our days here we cannot expect a nicer spell of weather.

Miss Lucy Ellison, who has been employed as stenographer in New West Minister, B. C., arrived here from South Dakota, where she has a claim, Monday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. David Ellison. She leaves in a few days for the Pacific Coast.

Miss Ida Sala, who has been spending two weeks vacation at home, left Saturday evening for Randolph to begin school work again near that place. As Mrs. Sala is yet with the boys in South Dakota, it leaves E. Q. chief cook. He can cook, but the eating of it.

Owing to the deficit in numerous state departments this year because of extravagance and mismanagement and trying to keep appropriations down at the last legislature the appropriations for the next two years will of necessity be much greater than they were two years ago.

The Creamery engine is again in running order and so is the creamery. Some of our butter-milk toppers suffered as much as some of the other fellows did when Wayne went dry 30 months ago. Fill up your bowls, gentlemen, the butter-milk is again on tap. It is excellent pancake timber.

Miss Mattie Lane was called to her home at Lincoln Monday by news of the sickness of her sister, Nellie, who is suffering from diphtheria. They are sisters of J. F. Lane, local manager of the telephone exchange here. The Wayne friends of the sick child hope that she has speedy and safe recovery.

A private retreat for nesting birds will be maintained by the federal government near Valentine, Nebraska. President Taft has proclaimed the reservation of 613 additional acres on the abandoned Fort Niobrara reservation, the only reserve in the continental United States maintained for the prairie chicken, sharp-tailed grouse and quail.

A Nebraska citizen who has been in the famous Hood River fruit district of Oregon comes home firm in the faith that if Nebraska farmers will give their orchards care such as is given the fruit trees in Hood River that this state will beat them in quantity and quality of apples. Sure, but they can grow so many other things here at a profit that they won't one in a hundred take the time to do the job as it should be.

At the national meeting of the Suffrage association at Philadelphia the first of the week the officers chosen were: President, Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, Moylan, Pa.; first vice president, Jane Addams, Chicago; second vice president, Anita Whitney, California; recording secretary, Susan W. Fitzgerald, Boston; corresponding secretary, Mary Ware Dennett, New York; treasurer, Mrs. Stanley McCormick, Chicago; auditors, Mrs. James Lees Laidlaw, New York, and Mrs. Joseph T. Bowen, Chicago.

C. E. Shaw of Winside has twice been a visitor at Wayne within the week past where he is interviewing those who are or have been members of the Knights of Pythias as well as those who wish to become members of that order, with a view of establishing a lodge here again. He is meeting with good success and if this item is read by any of the brave men who wish to associate with brother Knights here they can learn of time and place of preliminary meeting by consulting the postmaster or any of a dozen members of the order now living here.

To make more floor space to meet the demands of a growing trade the Beaman grocery has found it necessary to build a deck or gallery in the west end of the room, affording a place for the nice display of certain lines, and back of that a storage room for goods that will not admit of basement storage and yet are bought in such quantity that storage place must be had for them. The walls of the entire room have been covered a short distance from the ceiling down with a border that adds much to the appearance of the place and the displays of chinaware and other goods. In appearance as in fact, it is "ideal."

Hay for Sale

by stack or ton—all I have. Also all stock, implements, etc., everything I have except the land. Phil Sullivan.—adv. 48-1f.

Special Union Meetings

Already one week and a half of our special meetings have passed. We have had in many respects a splendid time. Evangelist Lindgren is leading the churches in a noble way. The way in which many are responding is most encouraging.

Last Sunday afternoon at the Baptist church a remarkable service was held. The house was full. Mr. Lindgren conducted a unique, sane and very helpful service on behalf of the young people and children. A good number made noble responses to his appeals. Our hearts were touched by the spirit of sincerity manifested by those who walked forward. Mr. Lindgren made no attempt to stampede the crowd by any clap-trap method, but did all in his power to prevent any one from stepping out, without meaning it. He lets the plain truth work itself out in its own way. You want to hear him. Come tonight. He has a message for you.

Below are some statements from his sermon Sunday night. Read them, then come to hear him. "For there is no difference for all have sinned and come short of the glory of God." The hardest task we have before us these days is convincing self-satisfied, self-righteous, moral people that without repentance and surrender to Jesus Christ they are as much lost as any unrepentant murderer or thief. "All have fallen short of the glory of God" declares the word of God. The glory of God refers to what God is. God is holy and that is his standard, and that standard we have fallen short of. That includes the good moral man as well as the notorious criminal, and if either is saved it will be through repentance and surrender to Christ.

"There is no difference." Without Christ we are all in one lot; helpless, hopeless, lost sinners. The moral man compares himself with others and seeing himself superior to many thinks God will save him on that account. He picks out some crooked, twisted, warped up church member, religiously, and seeing himself as good, if not better than that one, assures himself that he is alright and needs no repentance. God says, "there is no difference." Receive Christ into your heart and life and you will be saved, no matter how bad you may be; reject him and you will be lost, no matter how good you may be.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

There will be a special musical program Thanksgiving night in connection with the Union Revival meetings at the M. E. church. Quartettes, duets, trios as well as instrumental selections will be rendered.

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock Evangelist Lindgren will speak to MEN ONLY at the Presbyterian church. This is a meeting every man should attend. There will be special music by the male chorus. The subject Sunday night will be "Hot Shots for Skeptics." This is an address that has changed the thinking and life of a number of infidels and skeptics.

Only a few weeks and Christmas will be here. Have those photos made now. Craven, photographer.—adv. 47-1f.

You Ought to Get Some of These Good Specials Before Saturday Night!

In our Thanksgiving special sale we offered some of the very best values we have ever offered you. The sales in the lines advertised have been very good but we still have some of the bargains and you can save money by taking advantage of these prices before Saturday night.

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| All the 50c table damask at..... | 35c |
| 68 inch all linen table damask at..... | 69c |
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We sell the best 12½c outing flannel that you will see this season. It is a good value at the regular price but will be priced special 'til Saturday night at.....

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This is a big, very heavy wool finished blanket with bound ends. It is a good \$3.00 blanket. Special 'til Saturday night.....

Women's and Misses' Separate Skirts

This means any skirt in stock. You could hardly find a poor skirt in the whole lot. Special 'til Saturday night.....

Women's New Fall Suits

We still have some very good suits left and the price at which we will dispose of them make them easy for you to own. There are several suits for stout ladies in the lot. Special.....

It will pay you to see our Children's, Misses' and Women's Coats. You'll be glad to see how good the coats are for the prices we are asking.

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Old Papers for Sale at the Democrat office

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. J. Gustafson visited at Wakefield Sunday.

Phil Sullivan came home Monday from a visit at Sioux City.

See the Anchor Grain Co., for the best cash bargains.—adv. 48-1f.

J. M. Stallsmith visited relatives at Wakefield the first of the week.

Miss Piper goes to Lincoln to spend Thanksgiving with home folks.

Mrs. E. A. Surber and daughter were visitors at Sioux City last Saturday.

For coal of quality at bottom cash price call Anchor Grain Co.—adv. 48-1f.

Andy Blazer and wife of Carroll were here Monday for a call on James Harmon.

Mr. Box, manager of the Boyd Hotel was at Sioux City the fore part of the week.

Mrs. Henry Gardner has been quite ill the past two weeks and is now somewhat better.

Wm. Morgan sent two of his fancy Duroc Jersey hogs to breeders at Ellipton, Iowa, Tuesday.

Miss Ida Schumen of Bloomfield was a guest at the home of Wendle Baker and family over Sunday.

Waldo Hahn came from Lincoln where he is attending school to get Thanksgiving dinner with home folks.

Check C. Moore of Sioux City spent Monday at Wayne, a guest at the home of E. O. Gardner and family.

FOR SALE—A new Electric Motor, 2 horse. Will sell cheap. Inquire at Central Meat Market.—adv. 48-2.

Miss Violet Woosley's sister and brother came from Columbus Tuesday to spend Thanksgiving with her at this place.

Mrs. J. H. Wright and daughter, Miss Fontanelle went to Mascot Wednesday morning to visit Mrs. Wright's brother.

Misses Lena and Letia Lush returned home Saturday evening from two weeks spent at Parkersburg and other points in Iowa.

Emil Weber has gone to Winterset, Iowa, to spend Thanksgiving. He says that to go to Winterset he must change at Somerset.

Mrs. Ada Finerty, who has been here from Gordon for two weeks, helping care for her father, James Harmon, returned home Monday evening.

Rev. Alexander Corkey, wife and daughter were passengers to Malvern, Iowa, Wednesday morning, where they will spend Thanksgiving with friends.

J. O. Harmon, who has been here from Chicago during his father's illness, left Monday for his home, leaving the Senior Harmon on the road to health.

Frank Stodden arrived home Saturday evening from Sioux City, where he had been confined to a hospital about six weeks. His many friends will be glad to learn that he is rapidly gaining strength and is on the road to a permanent recovery.

W. E. Beaman was a business visitor at Norfolk Tuesday.

Norfolk has the whooping cough—that is many children there have.

Ralph Sterling is spending Thanksgiving with Sioux City friends.

Dr. E. S. Blair went to Chicago the first of the week to be absent for a week or ten days.

Miss Kingsberry is spending Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Meyer, near Beldon.

Miss Bessie Plumleigh returned from Sioux City Monday evening where she spent several days with friends.

John Corzine of Douglas, Nebr., and Jess Corzine of Stonington, Ill., were in Wayne to attend the funeral of the late B. E. Corzine.

Mrs. M. J. Wallace came from Nebraska City Wednesday evening to make an extended visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. O. Gardner.

I. C. Thompson came Tuesday evening from Marcus, Iowa, to visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Naffziger, during the Thanksgiving time.

J. B. Delaney and wife and B. B. Delaney went to Waterberry Wednesday morning to be present at a Thanksgiving family reunion at that place.

Superintendent M. E. Crozier of the Norfolk school claims for their foot ball team the championship of the state, including Omaha and some of the smaller towns.

Miss Winifred Gannt, who is attending college here and making her home with her uncle and aunt, M. S. Davies and wife, went to visit home folks at Sioux City Wednesday morning.

Mr. Rasmussen and wife came from Napinee Friday to visit at the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. M. Wiley. Mr. R. returned Sunday, but the lady is remaining for a more extended visit.

Mrs. Henry Myers from southeast of Wayne and her son, Annis, were visitors at Omaha Tuesday. The young man has made several trips there to interview physicians, and is now almost fully recovered.

Mr. West, who formerly conducted the Union hotel at this place, returned Monday from a trip up the branch and greeted many friends here on his return to Bancroft.

Thomas L. Sloan of Pender is said to be an active candidate for the appointment as commissioner of Indian affairs. He is an attorney, and a Bryan man and has been active in Indian questions in this state for years.

A starch plant blew up at Waukegan, Illinois, Monday, killing eight of the employes, and injuring nearly thirty others. The building was completely wrecked, and one of the victims was blown across the railway tracks to adjoining property.

The officers of the next old settlers meeting had a session last week and began to lay plans for the next annual meeting. We wish to suggest that the next meeting be in the middle of a "home-coming week" when all former Wayne people who are now living in distant lands and those not so far away be invited to "come home."

Nebraska Man to the Front

When the authorities of New York city needed a man for special work of importance they found him in Emory Roy Buckner, an Iowa lad by birth and a Nebraskan by education. The son of a Methodist minister, Rev. J. D. Buckner and wife, he was born at Carson, Iowa, and came with his parents to Nebraska, living in various places as was customary for Methodist preachers in other years, especially. His parents are known to many Nebraska people and he is a nephew of I. E. Ellis of this city.

When the committee of the Board of Aldermen of New York were looking for a strong man to aid in the work of investigating the police situation they turned to Mr. Buckner, and he has made an enviable record as those who follow the press reports of the investigation and what is coming from it. Colliers Weekly recently said of him:

"Another high honor has come to Emory Roy Buckner, of the class of 1904, in his brief, brilliant career at the bar in New York City—an honor indicative of the deep impression his legal skill and his character have made upon the most influential citizenship of the metropolis. The committee of the Board of Aldermen that has undertaken the far-reaching work of investigating the Police Department appointed Mr. Buckner its chief counsel.

The appointment came to Mr. Buckner in August as unexpectedly as did the appointment in 1909 as first assistant district attorney of New York County. He had resigned his position with its \$7,500—he was the youngest man, District Attorney Whitman said, ever appointed to that position—to go into private practice. The day he was to start on his vacation, the appointment from the city came. The salary is \$1,000 a month.

For this position of great responsibility the Aldermanic Committee considered several of the most widely known leaders of the New York bar—among them Ex-Governor Frank Black, William M. Ivins, and Ex-District Attorney William Travers Jerome—and finally selected the young Nebraskan.

The Citizen's Union—a body of representative citizens, including Dr. Lyamn Abbott, Jacob H. Schiff, the banker, J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr.—urged the aldermen to appoint Mr. Buckner. Secretary of War, Henry L. Stimson, under whom Mr. Buckner served as assistant United States Attorney for New York City from 1907 to 1909, wrote the committee that at the New York bar there is not, "of his years or anywhere near it," Mr. Buckner's equal. It was as Mr. Stimson's assistant in the prosecution of the Sugar Trust that Mr. Buckner first won distinction as a trial lawyer. To District Attorney Whitman, Secretary Stimson wrote in 1909: "I have a very high opinion of him as a man and as a trial lawyer. I have always found him capable of taking any responsibility and performing it exceedingly well."

"When the Committee of the Board of Aldermen charged with the investigation of the police situation," says The Outlook of September 28, in a highly eulogistic two-page sketch of Mr. Buckner, accompanied by portrait, "came to select its chief counsel, it was realized that the work called for strong constructive qualities and robust character, and it was only natural that Buckner should be urged upon it on all sides. Relentless in his search for truth, uninfluenced by the insidious and subtle defectors of purpose, keen in diagnosis and sound in counsel, he is not one to tear down merely to destroy. A gigantic task confronts the committee, and the greatest burden, of necessity, will fall upon its chief counsel."

"At thirty-five Buckner has a big opportunity before him," continues The Outlook, "entrusted with the constructive solution of the most far-reaching problem of New York city. He had prepared himself to meet it when it came. With a rare gift of distinguishing the essential from the immaterial, a telling forensic talent, a mind at once subtle and robust, and capable of sound generalization, with a strong joy for battle, the law has claimed him as her rightful own."

"We are decidedly pleased," that Mr. Emory R. Buckner has been selected as counsel for the investigation. Mr. Buckner is a young man who gives every sign of unusual ability and character. He worked his way through the University of Nebraska and then through the Harvard Law School. The most intelligent and progressive lawyers think highly of him. In an investigation of this kind the character of the attorney in charge is of the first importance. The public has every reason to believe that the work in this very important emergency will be well done."

Mr. Buckner's first public appearance after his appointment was as speaker at a mass meeting in Cooper Union, under the auspices of the Citizen's Union. His address was received with marked enthusiasm.

The rapid rise of Mr. Buckner—and to no Nebraska graduate of the last decade has signal professional success come more swiftly—was foreshadowed by his versatile, masterly work as a Nebraska undergraduate. When, as an honor man in the Harvard Law School class of 1907, he took the usual stipend of \$50 a month with a leading New York firm, a Nebraska professor under whom he had studied economics and who had watched his work as a debater, said: "Within a few years he will be making \$5,000 a year."

As a debater Mr. Buckner's versatile powers made their deepest general impression at Nebraska. He represented the University in the 1903 debate with Kansas on compulsory arbitration and in the 1904 debate with Kansas on the Monroe Doctrine. He was prominent in various college activities—was a member of the English Club, the Innocents, and Alpha Theta Chi; he was football manager and Ivy Day orator. He was graduated with high Phi Beta Kappa honors.

At the Harvard Law School he was promptly awarded a scholarship for distinguished record in his studies; he refused election as an editor of the Harvard Law Review because his outside work—steno-graphic, secretarial, and tutoring—would not permit him to accept the honor; and he was graduated among the very first in a class of some 250 college graduates. It was on the recommendation of the late Dean James Barr Ames and other members of the Harvard Law faculty that Mr. Buckner was selected as assistant United States attorney in 1907, only three months after he had landed in New York

when, as The Outlook states, United States Attorney Stimson "in his efforts to have the public interests as effectively represented as the large private interests against whom the Government was

Building and Loan at Hartington

Believing as we do and have for a long time that a properly conducted building and loan association would be a most excellent thing for Wayne and Wayne people, we try to let no opportunity escape to urge a move for such an organization, and gladly publish what ever we can find of interest regarding such a project. If there are those who think such an organization is not good, we will be glad to give them opportunity to present their side of the case, for if it is not good then we do not want it. Below we quote from the Hartington Herald—how it has helped our neighboring town, and they are not so far away but that their plan may be easily investigated. Here is what the Herald says:

"The papers in a number of the towns about the state are talking about the advantages of a building and loan association. Hartington has one of the best associations in the state, and may well serve as a pattern for those who wish to know how to organize such associations. The main thing that seems to be delaying most of these towns is that nobody seems to know how to start things. For the benefit of these people who are on the right track but do not know just what to do, this newspaper last week interviewed Mr. F. O. Robinson, who is and has been for years the secretary of the Hartington association. Said he:

"If this town had no building and loan association I would start right out, issue a call for a meeting. That meeting would decide to organize an association. If there were not a half dozen present that would make no difference—we would decide to organize. We would pass a resolution authorizing an attorney to draw up a set of by-laws. Almost any attorney would do the work for a public benefit like that without charge, or for a very small fee. Then we would go out in the town and canvass for purchasers of stock.

"We would explain to them the plan of such an association, that a share of \$100 could be bought at 50 cents a month, and that the money put in as an investment would draw from ten to twelve per cent interest, much better than any life insurance or other safe investment that could be made; that the borrowers from the company could own their properties by making monthly payments of little more than what they would pay as rent for similar properties; and that the total which they would pay in to the company would amount to less than the total they would pay if they borrowed at six per cent annual interest. It might be five or six months before we could make our first loan, but it would not be long before the business would be a large one.

"The Hartington association now receives about \$1000 a month in cash, and pays it out to investors and borrowers. Many of the best homes in town and no small proportion of our business houses were built with the assistance of the building and loan association. We have at the present moment over \$40,000 loaned, and have stock out standing to the amount of over \$120,000.

"The banks? Yes, I know that some bankers try to hamper the efforts of the building and loan associations in their towns, but not the bankers who know their business, and who have the best good of their towns at heart, or their own best interests. The first loan made by the Hartington association was made to a banker. And this association has always had the heartiest co-operation of the banks. It helps their business as it helps every other business in the town. For one thing, it helps to develop the saving instinct. Many a young man has paid me the first few months out of his pocket in cash, and later commenced writing me checks. We have a number of patrons who commenced paying for loan stock out of their pockets, but who have now given instructions at the bank to just pay their monthly payments out of their accounts, and to include the receipts among their checks. That saves them the bother of coming to my office to make the payments, and it save me considerable work. But it shows how the thing works.

"There is nothing hard about starting a building and loan association. The way to start is to start."

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proceeding, reorganized the District Attorney's office through a group of young men, to whom the stimulus of public spirit made an especial appeal."

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F. P. Dunne, writing the "Interpreter's House" in the December American Magazine, says in part:

"What we have to do is to make people feel that political dishonesty is as disgraceful as private dishonesty; to force upon men who regard themselves as leaders of human progress the conviction that they must play the game fairly, and that bribe-giving and bribe-taking are as shameful as forging notes, or cheating at cards, or pulling a horse in a race. Of course, there is no comparison between the crimes. A man who would slip an ace up his sleeve or bribe a jockey to put a horse in a pocket is a gentlemanly sportsman compared with the man who will sow corruption through the whole body of a community in order to gain an unfair advantage in the game of politics. Yet decent people will shun a black-leg of the race course or the card table but will not hesitate to take their dinner publicly in the company of a man who is avowedly corrupt in his relations with the Government.

A card shark is kicked out of the game. One lapse condemns him forever. We have known of a brave and (we think) honest man who was nursed to his grave by the mere rumor that he cheated at cards. Yet a man may cheat at the far greater game of politics, he may sell his and to an opponent, or throw away the stronger hand for a bribe, and be none the worse off in the opinion of the public. He can't live down a peek at his neighbor's hand, but he can not only live down but he can thrive on bribing a judge."

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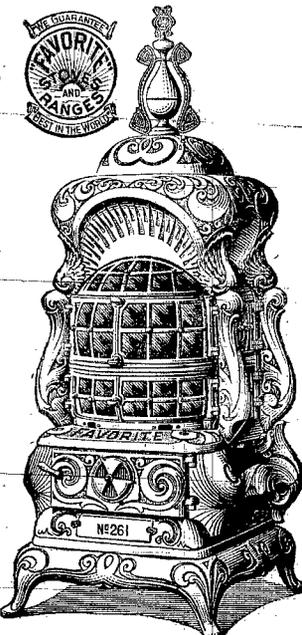
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WAYNE MARKET REPORT

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, Fat Cattle.

If not, why not shop early for Christmas presents?

If not too late, let us suggest that you do your Christmas shopping early. It is the early bird, you know.

Let us be thankful that it is no worse with us than it is, and remember that many are not as pleasantly situated as are the citizens of Nebraska.

Our export and import trade for 1912 will, we are told, break all previous records, and will total four billion dollars.

The unofficial cabinet makers have W. J. Bryan in the cabinet again. If they keep on they will install him in a cabinet position as often as his enemies have buried him.

The latest returns show that Wilson carried twelve of the thirteen California electoral votes, giving him 445 votes in the college, 78 for Roosevelt and 8 for Taft.

The question of a meridian road from north to south across the country is still being agitated. The proposed line is about 30 miles west of Wayne.

Congressmen are returning to Washington for the last bout of the present congress, which is to die a natural death March 4th.

Mrs. Maggie Davis who killed Ira Churchill in Cedar county two years or more ago, and was convicted therefor and sent to prison, but later given another trial when the insanity plea was used to send her to the asylum instead of the prison.

Columbus is discussing the question of public library and think of applying to Andrew C. Betterbury for that thrifty Scotchman is about to get busy paying some of the good money he has been given special privilege to extract from the pockets of American people.

The water power site on the Niobrara river is now in litigation. E. L. Kirk of Sioux City laying claim to it, as do the promoters of the proposed electric railway through this part of the state.

Charity is a great thing and we believe that it is being practiced more and better in this day than ever before. But the great help will be when all practice justice.

The stock gamblers of Wall street appear to be playing in hard luck, and are having to pay 12 per cent for call money, which makes them cry for Uncle Sam to come to their relief.

Now that Nebraska has adopted the constitutional amendment favoring a biennial election no one seems to be able to agree with his next door neighbor as to when this will become effective.

There are hundreds of thousands of people outside the great industrial communities who think you are a den of thieves; there are hundreds of thousands of people who think that the manufacturers of the country are no better than a set of confidence men.

Thus spoke Elihu Root the other night at a banquet to the members of the New York Chamber of Commerce. He was pleading for a better understanding between the masses and the classes, and it jolted some of the "classy" fellows pretty hard.

Think of this G. L. Carlson says in his Breeders Review: "The United States now spends \$2,400,000,000 every year in the production of Boys and Girls. This is more money than we spend on any other product.

Nebraska's Future Prosperity The farm products of Nebraska, including her live stock, reached the inconceivable total last year of \$609,222,466; this is \$610 for every person residing in the state; \$2,550 per family of five.

Compare this with any other agricultural community on earth and you will feel proud of Nebraska. For she leads the procession. In the next ten years Nebraska will produce from her farms and sell in the market places of the world, products equal in value to one-sixth of all the present value of all the farms in the United States.

Is it worth anything to have a part in that? And this much can be and will be done, without materially increasing the present rate of production per acre. When the boys now learning the principles of successful agriculture in the schools begin to apply their knowledge, Nebraska production will increase materially.

Nebraska is peculiarly fortunate in having some advantages not possessed by less favored states; she has 40,000 square miles of less soil wonderful in its almost inexhaustible fertility and unmatched in the western hemisphere.

Nebraska does not have to build these agencies; she has them. Get this into your consciousness. Nebraska is even now entering upon the greatest period of her progress. She is the dominant commonwealth in the agricultural empire.

For the stores of plenty which fill our garner and for the promise of still larger future blessings, Nebraska's have abundant reason for gratitude and hopefulness for this Thanksgiving Day.

Commissioners' Proceedings

Wayne, Neb., Nov. 26, 1912.

Board met as per adjournment. All members present.

The following claims were on motion audited and allowed and warrants ordered drawn:

Table listing Commissioners' Proceedings with names, positions, and amounts for various precincts like Hoskins, Garfield, Hancock, Deer Creek, Wilbur, Plum Creek, and Logan.

Christmas Shoppers OUR special effort this season in the direction of ORIGINAL NOVELTIES and new features has met with most gratifying success, and we shall deem it a privilege to show you a very extensive assortment of Holiday Goods that are as new as they are pleasing and appropriate.

Artist's Recital By Gustas Kolmquist Swedish Basso At M. E. Church Wednesday Evening December 4 at 8:15 sharp The remaining numbers of the course are Sadie Walker, Violinist, Jan. 13 Dorothea North, Soprano, Mar. 7 Silvio Scionti, Pianist, April 18

Table listing names and amounts for road and grader work, including Ed Hageman, Amos Longe, William Meyer, John Kay, Bill Brueckner, A. F. Pottol, Carl Nurnberg, Oscar Ramsey, Harry Brummels, Henry Krause, Nikolaus Nagel, Frank Sederstrom, Frank Carstens, Fred Penske, Charles Bernhardt, W. E. Long, George Peters, Jr., William Meyer, E. G. Hansen, William Bowles, Louis Schuerich, Otto Voss, Fred Schroeder, Paul Gehrke, E. M. Stamm, Charles Bernhardt, Charles E. Linn, Frank Lorenz, E. Strate, Fr. Carl Meyer, Peter Brummels, Charles Bernhardt, A. Blazier, Paul Brueckner, Emil Bottler, Alex Schwandt.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Rev. Karpenstein was at Winifred yesterday.

Berry for holiday goods this season—adv. 1.

Miss McBeth is giving thanks today with home folks at Osceola.

Wm. Rickabaugh was in the city the fore part of the week on business.

F. S. Berry is home from a business trip in the western part of the state.

Phil H. Kohl is looking after business interests in South Dakota this week.

G. A. Lamberson and family went to Fremont Wednesday to visit relatives today.

Miss Anna Wilson of Ashland is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Orlando Adams, this week.

Miss Ida Schuman of Bloomfield was a guest at the Wendel Baker home the fore part of the week.

Christmas Opening occurs at the Blair & Mulloy clothing store December 11 and 12. U. R. invited.—adv.

Mrs. I. P. Lowery came from Council Bluffs Tuesday evening to visit a few days with her husband at this place.

Mrs. C. A. Chace and daughter are at Sioux City today in attendance at the wedding of a friend, Miss Harie Hoskins.

Walter Savidge is erecting a neat little house for his car when in Wayne on his property just west of the city hall.

Chas. McConnell, wife and son and daughter went to Hartington Wednesday to spend a day or two with his mother.

Phil Parker from Ashland, arrived at Wayne Saturday evening and the first of the week went into a cornfield to labor.

Mrs. Peter Pryor and sister-in-law, Mrs. Elwood of Chicago, returned yesterday from Creighton where they had been visiting relatives.

C. A. Berry has moved his stock of goods two doors south of his old location and will have his holiday goods unpacked for inspection by Saturday. He invites inspection.—adv. 48-1.

Mrs. John Heeren and daughter from Carroll were guests at the Jake Ziegler home over Sunday, and Monday went to Sioux City to spend the day, returning to Carroll that evening.

To get the correct idea of what to buy your husband, son, or the prospective man of the house, peek in at the Blair & Mulloy opening December 11 and 12. Ladies are surely welcome.—adv.

Z. H. Bateman and his daughter, Mrs. Squires of Norfolk were here Wednesday on their way to Randolph to spend Thanksgiving with the lady's grandchildren and the gentleman's great grandchildren.

Mrs. C. Peterson of Sioux City who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hoguewood, went to Wakefield yesterday to eat turkey with relatives there. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Harry Cox.

Wm. Echtenkamp, one of our prosperous farmers north of town, last Wednesday bought a Sandwich 4-hole Corn Sheller, to shell his bumper corn crop, from the popular implement firm, Meister & Bluechel.

Dr. Naffziger has moved his office into the front rooms in the Mellor block across the hall from his former office. Residence, the new house one block east of the library building. Phone 65 as before or call 137.—Adv.

George Montgomery was taken to Sioux City yesterday in care of his wife and Dr. T. T. Jones, having suffered a paralytic stroke. He was taken to the Samaritan hospital where he will be given treatment. His many friends here hope for a speedy recovery.

Frank Bricker and wife came up from Ashland last Saturday to visit a day or two with A. C. Dean and wife, and look at this country, which they have decided to make their home for a time at least, as they will enter the employ of Mr. Dean in the spring. They returned Monday.

The second number of the Artist's Recital Course under the direction of the Wayne Choral Society will be given at the Methodist church, Wednesday evening, Dec. 4th. The artist who would appear at this time is Mr. Gustaf Holmquist, basso. Season tickets for the course for adults are \$1.50 and for students \$1.00. Single admissions, 50c. Please note the change in date from Dec. 3 to Dec. 4.

Buy holiday goods of Berry—adv. 48-1.

E. A. Surber and wife are visiting relatives at Elgin today.

Rev. McKenzie of Carroll was a Wayne visitor Wednesday morning.

Peter Haley of Wausa, was greeting numerous friends here Tuesday and Wednesday.

Henry Gardner and wife are enjoying Thanksgiving at the home of their daughter at Emerson.

For Sale—Good fur overcoat at a bargain—well made and nearly new. Vibber's Cafe.—adv. 48tf.

Henry Kloppling returned from South Omaha Tuesday with a car of young cattle to feed this winter.

This week Dr. and Mrs. Naffziger moved into their newly finished home in the central part of the city.

Dr. and Mrs. Beatty from Dunlap came Wednesday evening to visit at the home of J. F. Barrett and wife.

H. C. Heckert and wife are here from Missouri Valley, Iowa, to spend the day at the home of his brother, Dr. T. B. Heckert.

A. A. Seldem and wife who are visiting L. A. Fanske and family a few days are moving from Cedar Rapids, Iowa, to Seattle, Washington.

There will be something doing at the Blair & Mulloy store December 11 and 12—a Christmas opening. Watch for their big advertisement.—adv.

Mrs. C. J. Ringer arrived here from Benson Tuesday evening to visit her daughter, Mrs. Littell and son, Martin, and her many Wayne friends this week.

Mrs. DePew and Miss Hazel Whalen went to Omaha Wednesday to visit Miss Audrey Depew, who is attending St. Mary's seminary at that place.

Mrs. Morehouse and daughter of Laural came Wednesday evening from Omaha to celebrate Thanksgiving at the home of her brother-in-law, Walter Weber.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Welch have as their dinner guests today, M. S. Davies and wife, Sam Davies, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Philleo and family, A. M. Jacobs and wife.

The Sunday school of the German Lutheran church will be held at 10 o'clock a. m., and at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Rev. J. H. Karpenstein will preach his farewell sermon.

Owing to having to move to a location two doors south of old stand, C. A. Berry has only just been able to get his new holiday goods on display. He asks you to come and see any time after Friday.—adv. 48-1.

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L. M. Owen reports the death of 162 head of his hogs and shoats, leaving him but 32 head. This is a great loss, for they were in shape to have made \$3,000 worth of pork in a short time now, and with but little expense, as he expected them to follow cattle he is feeding.

The C. A. Chace Lumber Company is putting up a substantial improvement in the shape of a new lumber shed along the west side of their yards. The new building is 18x120 feet, two story high, with a roof projecting six feet on the yard or open side of the shed. It will make a lot of new dry storage room.

Monday evening there came to Wayne Wm. J. Roberts and wife, terminating a journey of 5,000 miles, for they came here direct from North Wales, and expect to become citizens of this glorious county. The lady is a niece of Mrs. Wat. Williams living just south of Wayne, and it is at their home that they are now stopping. The Welch are an industrious class of people, who, with very few exceptions, make most excellent citizens, and as such they will find welcome in America.

The Cradle.

BAKER—Sunday, November 17, 1912, to Frank Baker and wife, a son.

GRANQUIST—Monday, November 18, 1912, to Anton Granquist and wife, a son.

CONLEY—Friday, November 1, 1912, to John Conley and wife, a son.

HUGHES—Friday, November 1, 1912, to George Hughes and wife, a son.

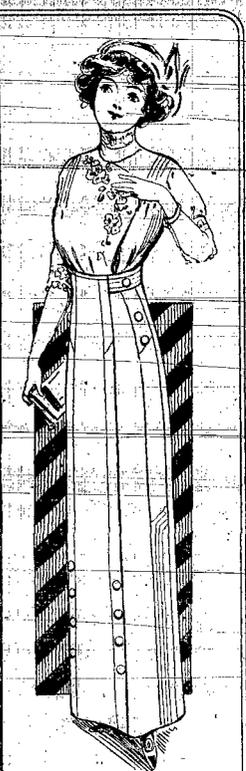
WINTERSTEEN—Thursday, November 7, 1912, to Hugh Wintersteen and wife, a daughter.

KREI—Wednesday, November 20, 1912, to Otto Krei and wife, a daughter.

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10 Per Cent Discount on Ladies' Coats

Just to get the coat selling out of the way and give us all the time possible during the next thirty days for Christmas business. Don't wait until January for your coat—buy it now just as cheap; get six weeks' extra wear out of it and make your selection from a much larger stock.

Obituary
(Contributed)

Renton F. Corzine was born in Gurnsey county, Ohio, on the 27th day of May, 1859, and died in Wayne, Neb., on the 21st day of November, 1912, at the age of 53 years, 5 months and 25 days.

At eight years of age he moved with his parents to Illinois where he grew to manhood and where he was married to Miss Emma Rettig on the 21st day of March, 1893. To this union were born six children, one daughter and five sons. Two boys died in infancy and the other four children are left in the home with their mother; and Lois, a young woman, Wayne 13, Harold 8 and Kermitt 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Corzine with their older children moved from Illinois to Pierce, Nebraska, in 1903, where he continued his life long business—farming and stock growing—until three years ago when they came to Wayne and settled in their present home.

Soon after their marriage Mr. Corzine united with the Presbyterian church at Moweaqua, Ill., of which church his wife had been a member from childhood. A little later moving to another neighborhood where they found no Presbyterian, but a Methodist Episcopal church—the denomination in which Mr. Corzine was reared—they transferred their membership to it, later on at Pierce and thence to the Methodist church in Wayne on settling here three years ago.

Bentan F. Corzine was a rugged, manly man in physique, in business, in religion and in society. Whatever savored of cant or sham found no appreciation in him. He was straightforward, open and above board. In his home he was cheerful, generous, loving and beloved, a true friend.

Nearly two years ago he was taken with a terrible cough, probably whooping cough which the children were having at the time, and from that time he has made a brave, hard fight against an insidious disease which laid hold upon him. Always hopeful and determined to recover, it was as late as last Monday when he first expressed to his pastor real doubt of realizing that fond hope and purpose. The pastor said, "You have reached the time now when you should be ready to go in either direction. Is there anything in your spiritual condition that needs further attention?" A moment's thought and he replied: "I would like to recover but I am ready and willing to do whatever may come to me." Four days later with almost no specific warning he "fell asleep" in the arms of his wife and daughter as they were aiding him from chair to a bed.

Mr. Corzine was the seventh child of Allen and Mary Ann Corzine who reared nine children to

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Right and Left.

The old English words "right" and "left" have come into more and more general use, and that, too, with the help of other than English people. For some years the words of command have been changed on the ships of a German transatlantic line. Instead of ordering a change of course by the old terms, "starboard" or "port," as the case might require, the same orders are now given by the shorter word "right" or "left." The change was made in the German navy at an earlier day.

It was not long ago that the English word "larboard" was used where we now use "port." There is no difficulty in seeing that two such words as "starboard" and "larboard" were unfit for their use, as they sounded too nearly alike. They were also too long. There is need of short, sharp words, which are easily distinguished. Often there is no time to correct an error, and a mistake is fatal. "Right" and "left" are short and sharp enough. If they differed more in sound they would serve all the better.—St. Louis Republic

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"News" Is Scarce

The following, which came to us in an exchange recently contains so many good suggestions that we pass it on to our readers. If those who read it will remember that they can frequently do much to help make their local paper interesting by adding a little to its make-up, it will be appreciated. And we find hints, there which we can take home to ourselves with profit and to the betterment of the paper:

"There is never a lack of news to the correspondent who has the news instinct. A very commonplace incident may make a highly interesting item if all of the interesting details are developed. And right here is where most failures in the matter of news writing are made. It should be the rule of the newspaper correspondent never to consider an item complete while there is left unanswered any question that may naturally arise in the mind of the reader.

And often there are facts of interest that are not necessarily suggested by the item, which might be developed by a little judicious questioning.

"Herman Johnson marketed hogs in Obert Saturday."

That is good, but it would be still better if there were added to it the number of hogs marketed, their weight, the price received and their breed. If Mr. Johnson is a breeder of fine hogs one might write a column of interesting matter about his experiences in the hog business, how he feeds, what measures he takes to ward off diseases, what he has done as a breeder in the past, what his plans for the future may be.

"John Smith is reported to be quite ill."

That is interesting, but the neighbors will wish to know if he has diphtheria, smallpox, or indigestion. It will make a difference as to their calls at the Smith home. If he is seriously ill he must have had a physician. What does the physician say about the case? Will John be out again soon, or will it be a long time before he can recover? Maybe he is well-to-do and will have to have an operation? How old a man is he? If he is very aged that will make some difference in his chances of recovery.

"The telephone meeting which was held Saturday was well-attended."

Yes, but what was the occasion of the meeting? Was it the regular annual meeting? If so, who were elected to fill the offices for next year? Who were the former officers? Why were they not re-elected? Is it against the rules, or have they removed out of the county or failed to give satisfaction, and how? What new lines were decided upon for the coming year. We ought to have at least a quarter of a column of interesting news about that meeting.

"E. R. Johnson put up his alfalfa Monday."

Alfalfa is a highly valuable crop, and is somewhat new in this country compared to Indian corn. How many acres has Mr. Johnson of this crop. When did he put it in? At what cost? How many tons to the acres did he estimate that he put up on Monday? Does he pasture it with hogs? With cattle? If with cattle has he ever had any trouble from bloat? Here is foundation enough for a dandy nice little item, not so little either.

"Threshing is about finished in this neighborhood."

Who have run the threshing machines in the neighborhood? And how have the grain fields yielded this year? Ask Thresher Smith whose was the largest yielding field of oats he threshed this year, and who raised the most wheat to the acre. Did he thresh any alfalfa seed? Will he use his engine to pull a corn shredder the coming fall, and a sheller during the winter? When you have found out who raised the most grain to the acre, there you have the foundation for three or four more good stories, about how these successful men prepared their ground, selected their seed and sowed it, and about their general methods of farming.

Always answer the questions Who? When? Where? and if possible Why? And when it is possible to do so answer every other question which may reasonably occur to the mind of the reader.

Do not be afraid of making your items too long. The trouble with most items in the country papers, both by the editor and by the correspondents is that they are too short. Brevity of expression is all right. But do not leave out any important or interesting fact. Get and give all the interesting details you can. If it needs any condensing let us do it. We may be able to put it into fewer words, but we will not omit any of the facts.

Hog Cholera and Serum Treatment

(Carroll's Breeders' Review)
The farm loss from hog cholera this year has been quite severe, and the loss from some parties from the use of vaccine has been equally as heavy. A number of reports of heavy losses have reached this office within the past month, of hogs dying in large numbers after they had been given the double treatment for cholera. Three of these reports came from Iowa. In all the reports the statement is made that the hogs were in healthy condition when vaccinated.

A word with reference to the double treatment will not be out of place at this time. We find many farmers who do not know why the double treatment is practiced, or why it should be better than the single treatment.

In the single treatment the practice differs in no way from vaccination of the human for smallpox, it being intended as a preventative only, by rendering the patient immune.

In the double treatment another principle is involved. The first intention of the operator is to infect the hog with the cholera germs, by injecting the blood of an infected hog into all others to be vaccinated. When this is done the animal is treated with an inoculation of the vaccine, as in the single treatment. By the double treatment the hog is infected with, and then made immune to the disease at one and the same time.

The Illinois and Kansas stations have reported, that not to exceed one per cent of all hogs treated by the double method should be lost if the work be properly done, and good serum used. Despite this report and experience of these stations, reports are continuing to reach us of the large number of hogs that are being lost by the double treatment. In view of such evidence that something is wrong somewhere, there should be some experimenting and investigating done by the experiment stations to learn why these hogs die in such large numbers when given the double treatment.

It is our opinion that most of this trouble will be traced back to a want of knowledge as to the true nature of the disease affecting the hog. It is so easy to say that every sick hog has cholera, that we are more likely to do this than to try and learn just what the trouble is. Hog cholera, swine plague and typhoid are all alike to many farmers, and we have a notion of our own in believing that serum for hog cholera has been obtained from many hogs that were affected with typhoid, or some other disease than cholera, thus rendering the serum dangerous to use.

It is beginning to dawn upon many breeders and veterinarians, that one-half of the so-called cases of hog cholera are typhoid fever. The symptoms are so similar that one might be excused for mistaking the one for the other. In swine typhoid, there is at first a loss of appetite, intense thirst, occasional chills, and often a troublesome cough. In some instances the animals scours as in cholera. If the fever is quite pronounced red spots will appear behind the ears and on the under side of the animal. Finally, the exhausted condition of the animal will make it easily susceptible to pneumonia, when it quickly dies.

There is so little difference in these symptoms and those of some forms of cholera, that farmers at least, might be excused for not recognizing the difference.

Whether or not there is any difference between the cholera and swine plague does not need to be discussed here. It is enough to know that in many cases of cholera the lungs are involved while in others they do not seem to be. But the point we wish to make is, that serum should not be obtained from animals unless it is known to be certain that they are free from all diseases other than cholera. If manufacturers of serum are careless in respect of this, we may reasonably expect our hogs to die when treated with the product.

It is just as essential that we know the condition of our hogs as to a disease before we vaccinate them. If hogs are suffering with swine typhoid, and we vaccinate for cholera with vaccine, we have no right expect anything but heavy loss from deaths. If the reverse of these conditions were the case, the result would be just as fatal.

The Review cannot understand why so many have been careless about these things. Neither can it understand why the experiment stations have not given more attention to this phase of hog cholera, and the likelihood of losses resulting in mixing the infection of two or more diseases in one. Hog cholera, typhoid fever, pneumonia and tuberculosis have been badly mixed in treating hogs for cholera, in this manner.

Another reason for believing that these reported losses of hogs are the result of mixed infection, caused by careless handling is, that the losses have generally been reported as coming in a way to indicate that professional skill was absent in the treatment of hogs dying in large numbers. The Kansas and Illinois experiment stations lost less than one per cent. If the same degree of skill and care were employed and exercised by others there would be no greater loss than reported by these stations.

The Single Tax

The great question that absorbed all interest at the foundation of this government was to secure the "rights of man," but the great question of this generation seems to be taxation. That is the question that has produced all the uproar in England for the last two years and resulted in destroying the power of the house of Lords. It is the all important question in Germany, although it has not attracted the attention of the world like the fight in England. There it began in the cities instead of the general government, and a great many cities have adopted something like the single tax and economists everywhere have been watching the experiment. In Vancouver it has been adopted as far as it can be by a local government, but in the very nature of the case it can never be fully tried out until some sovereign independent government puts it in force and all tariffs are abolished. Last Friday the following dispatch was sent over the wires:

"Seattle, Wash., Aug. 10.—The ordinance passed by the single tax majority in the city council, eliminating all building permits and building inspection fees after January next, was signed by Mayor Dilling today. A bill to submit to the voters a proposal to apply the single tax on land in the collection of city taxes will be offered in the city council next Monday."

Last winter there was a bill introduced in the Nebraska legislature, which if it had passed would have allowed the counties to raise their taxes in any manner they saw fit, which seems to be the case in the state of Washington. All of this shows the general dissatisfaction with the personal property tax, which results in the poor paying most of the taxes while the very rich escape. This effort in Seattle is following the example of the German cities and the results will be watched with great interest.

See C. A. Chace & Co., for cement blocks of all kinds.—Adv.

Public Sale.

We, the undersigned have decided to sell at public auction on Robert Mellow's farm now occupied by Clarence Linton 2 1/2 miles due east of Carroll on MONDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1912, the following described property.

Eleven Head of Horses

1 roan mare in foal 4 yrs. old wt. 1300, 1 dark grey horse coming 4 yrs. old, wt. 1300, 1 iron grey mare 5 years old wt. 1200, 1 black horse 9 years old wt. 1300, 1 bay horse 9 years old wt. 1300, 1 sorrel mare 13 years old wt. 1300, 1 black mare 13 years old wt. 1200, 1 team light driving mares with foal, wt. 2000, 1 suckling colt, 1 mule colt.

Eleven Head of Cattle

7 head of good-milch cows, 1 to be fresh soon, two thoroughbred Short Horn and one thoroughbred Red Pole, 1 yearling steer calf, 3 spring calves.

Farm Implements

Avery Corn King planter with 160 rods of wire in good condition. Avery Corn Queen planter with 160 rods of wire in fair condition, John Deer 4 shovel riding cultivator, Captain Kid disc cultivator, John Deer 1-row listed corn cultivator, Canton disc cultivator, New Departure walking cultivator, 5 ft. McCormick mower, with 3 sickles, 6 ft. McCormick mower with 4 sickles, New John Deer stag 12-in. gang plow, Good Enough 14 in. gang plow, Success manure spreader in fair condition, disc harrow, 20 ft. harrow, Studebaker box wagon complete with top box good condition, Blue grass box wagon complete, fair shape, hay rack and wagon, 2 single buggies, Bob sled, 3 sets work harness, 1 nearly new, 1200 bushel corn in crib, some Household goods. Other articles too numerous to mention.

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Thanksgiving Day

Among The Lumberjacks

PREPARATIONS for the Thanksgiving dinner in the lumber camps of Maine begin early in November. Traps for the rabbits, which form the principal dish, are set in place and carefully baited. Men who go to the lumber camps about the 1st of October give up the hope of having chicken or turkey or goose with cranberry sauce on the last Thursday of November. In fact, there is not one man in a dozen who goes into the woods for the winter, unless he has a family in some small town, who cares a snap for any other dish for Thanksgiving than good old fashioned rabbit soup or stew. With the trimmings such as only a cook in a Maine lumber camp is able to concoct, the meal is far better than some of the meals served in the big hotels of the cities.

The "cookie" for the first few days in camp does little more than hunt out the haunts of bunny and after locating as many as are in reasonable walking distance of the camp proceeds with his



PREPARATIONS BEGIN EARLY.

work of slaughter. Most of the rabbits make their winter home under low scrub bushes of hard wood and hunt for food under the dead leaves which have been blown from the trees during the fall frosts. These mounds of leaves are just the place to conceal the strands of wire and horsehair to be used as snares, and it is indeed a wise rabbit who can escape the trap.

A liberal supply of whole corn and oats is used as bait for the rabbits, being scattered under the leaves in close proximity to the snares. The wire is run for some distance along the surface of the ground and is then attached to the strand of horsehair with a loop and running noose in the end. In this noose more corn or oats are placed than anywhere else, and the rabbit invariably spends much time over a few kernels of the grain. It is while thus loafing over his food that he meets his doom.

After breakfast has been served in the camp and the men have gone to their work the "cookie" commences his rounds of the snares. Never does he have far to go from the starting place to find one or more bunnies carefully nosing through the leaves and selecting the choicest pieces of corn. So attentive is the animal in his quest for food that he seldom notices the approach of the hunter or any one else unless there be a dog in the party. And while thus eating the hunter crouches under some tree at the far end of the wire and at the opportune time pulls the "string" which catches the

rabbit on all fours. After that it is but easy work to dispatch the animal.

The trap is then rebaited, and the "cookie" continues his journey to the next snare, and so on until he has made the round. At the camp the rabbits are hung head down on the outside of the camp, where they freeze and are kept in good condition until the day of the feast. The night before Thanksgiving the animals are taken down from the peg, thawed out a bit before the camp fire and their pelts removed. After being cleaned the meat is thrown into a big kettle with a liberal supply of onions, potatoes, carrots and other vegetables and allowed to simmer over a slow fire.

The dish when served with a side dish of dressing and a mug of cider with just a bit of edge on it is hard to be beaten by any culinary artists.

Almost as good as the rabbit stew is the plum pudding, which the cook takes pains to have extra good on Thanksgiving day and Christmas day. Unlike the pudding of that kind, it is made with fresh bread, molasses and all the plums—the mixture will stand. It is put in the oven early in the morning and allowed to remain until ready to be served as a course with the mince or apple pie, piping hot and full of the elixir of life.

Of course the baked beans must be served on Thanksgiving day, but they are cooked just a little bit better than those doled out during the week. They are served for breakfast. The beans are picked over and the poor ones removed the evening previous to Thanksgiving and after being allowed to remain in salt cold water for a short time are put in a big kettle with plenty of pork and buried in the ground on a bed of glowing hardwood coals.

When one rolls out of his bunk in the morning, shivering just a bit from the cold, a big dish of the smoking baked beans is found on the table. Besides the beans, there will be brown bread such as cannot be constructed in any other part of the world, some cold cream of tartar biscuits, molasses and dried apple sauce. Besides, there are plenty of tea and coffee without milk, but which is good enough to keep out the cold until early in the afternoon, when the Thanksgiving dinner is served.

It was not very many years ago that woodsmen thought it necessary to have a haunch of venison or moose meat for the holiday's principal meal, but that time is past, and now it is rabbit pie, baked beans and old fashioned plum pudding.—New York World.

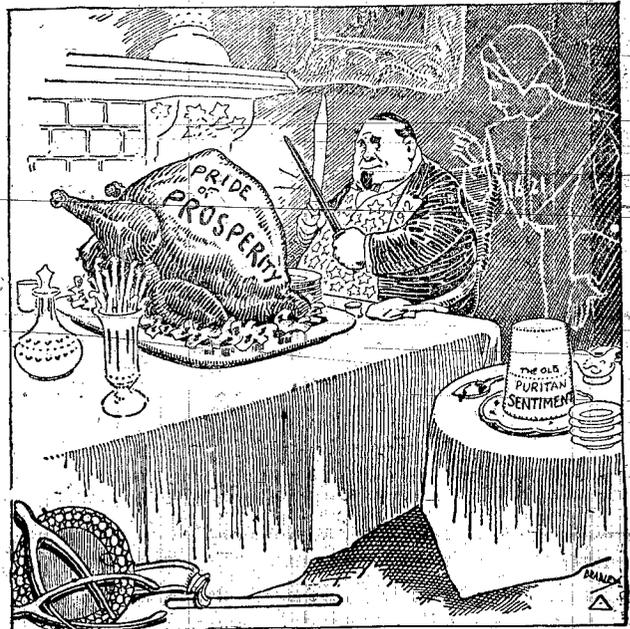
Thanksgiving.

Now we feast.
So did the pilgrims.
Now we take in football.
Then they dodged hostile Indians.
Now the hostess thinks up novelties.
Then they were pleased to have plenty of plain food.
Now we revel in asparagus, artichokes, peas and celery.
Then onions, potatoes, turnips and cabbages were their vegetables.
They were thankful, devoutly so.
Are we?

Thanksgiving Day.

With grateful hearts let all give thanks.
All lands, all stations and all ranks.
And the cry comes up along the way,
For what shall we give thanks today?
For peace and plenty, busy mills.
"The cattle on a thousand hills."
For bursting barns, wherein is stored
The golden grain, a precious hoard.
Give thanks.
For orchards bearing rosy fruit,
For yielding food and toothsome root
And all that God declared was good
In hill or dale or field or wood.
Give thanks.
For water bright and sweet and clear,
A million fountains far and near;
For gracious streamlets, lakes and rills
That flow from everlasting hills;
Give thanks.
For summer dews and timely frost,
The sun's bright beams, not one ray lost;
For willing hands to sow the seed
And reap the harvest, great indeed;
Give thanks.
For hearth and home, love's altar fires;
For loving children, thoughtful sires;
For tender mothers, gentle wives,
Who all our hearts and bless our lives;
Give thanks.
For heaven's care life's journey through,
For health and strength to dare and do.
For ears to hear, for eyes to see
Earth's beautiful things on land and sea.
Give thanks.
—M. A. Kidder in New York Sun.

"DON'T FORGET THE PUDDING"



—Bradley in Chicago News.

Among The Churches of Wayne

Presbyterian Church
(Rev. Alexander Corkey, Pastor)

Morning services will begin next Sunday at 10:30 at the Presbyterian church. The service will be especially evangelistic in harmony with the union meetings now being held.

The Sunday school will meet at 12 o'clock, after the service of worship.

At 3 o'clock a Men's Meeting will be held at the church under the leadership of Evangelist Lindgren. All men who are interested in a splendid effort to uplift life and character are cordially welcome to this meeting.

In the evening the congregation will unite in the Union meetings at the M. E. church.

Paul Mines will conduct the Mission Study Class of the C. E. next Sunday evening from 6:30 to 7:00 o'clock.

The hour of the Sunday school has been changed from 10 to 12 after a canvass of the congregation in regard to the most effective time. The preaching service begins at 10:30 instead of 11 o'clock. This change goes into effect next Sunday morning.

The Thanksgiving service last Sabbath morning was appreciated very much by the congregation. The program was rendered by the Sunday school under the leadership of Mrs. J. G. Mines and Mrs. H. S. Ringland. The special thanksgiving offering, which will be used for mission work, amounted to upwards of \$16.00.

Methodist Church

(Rev. Wm Gorst, Pastor)
"When First Things are Displaced" will be the topic of discourse next Sunday morning.

The Thursday evening services of this week will be distinctively Thanksgiving services and every body is most cordially invited to attend. Evangelist Lindgren conducted a most unique and successful meeting for children and young people last Sunday afternoon at the Baptist church. His voice was never raised above a conversational tone. He refused all methods that

might excite or procure action on the part of any person because some one else had acted. "Each one must decide for himself and come forward by himself as a token that he personally and now accepts Jesus as his Savior." Before the services closed—though time after time the warning had been given "Don't do this unless you are in the deepest earnest," about 30 children and young people had come forward and accepted the Savior.

Next Sunday will be a great day. At three o'clock in the afternoon there will be a men's meeting at the Presbyterian church. Every man in Wayne should attend and many from out in the country and towns near by. It will be a great meeting.

Baptist Church

(Rev. B. P. Richardson, Pastor)
Worship and preaching at the usual hour Sunday morning. Sunday will be our communion service. A most appropriate time to meet in this memorial service, remembering our Lord and Savior. The theme of our communion address will be: "The Way of Rest," Mt. 11:28-30.

We desire that all who have been received into our church, either by baptism or other ways, since our last communion, will be present Sunday and receive the hand of church fellowship.

We continually rejoice to see so many strong and enthusiastic young people giving themselves to Christ. The possibilities of such surrendered lives fill us with great hope. Bringing such people to a decision, religiously, is our greatest contribution to their welfare.

Sunday school and young people's meeting as usual Sunday. May the revival spirit continue to pervade these activities of the church. See special mention and announcements concerning the Union Revival Meetings in another section of this paper.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

(Rev. J. Kuhn, Pastor.)
Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Preaching services at 11 a. m. On next Sunday at the preaching services the Holy Communion will be celebrated. Preparatory services will be held before the sermon. At this time a special offering will be taken for Ministerial Education to be applied to our apportionment to Synod. The pastor hopes to see present the entire membership of the church. The pastor rooms in the pastor's Study at the church where he may be found in the forenoon. Other information of his whereabouts may be had at the Union Hotel. He will be glad to see all the friends of the church at any time, and to help any in need of his services. The Sunday school is busy planning

for Christmas. It is very much desired that more of the adults attend the school. There should be a large adult class.

The choir meets regularly at the home of Mrs. Miller. Anyone who can help in the singing are earnestly invited to be present.

State Normal Notes

President Conn and Dean Hahn visited the high school department of the Coleridge and Laurel schools last Thursday afternoon.

On Thursday and Friday of this week school will be dismissed in all departments and nearly all the students will spend Thanksgiving day at home.

President Conn has announced that the holiday vacation will begin on Saturday, December 21, and that work will be resumed on Monday morning, January 6.

Miss M. Dorothy Shultz, a student of the summer term and now engaged in school work in Stanton county, has been a visitor at the Normal during the past week.

Miss Edith M. Rouse, one of the successful teachers of Holt county, entered the Normal the first of the week and will take special work in the department of domestic science.

The Wayne county teachers' association, which is to hold a session on December 7, will be addressed by Dr. J. T. House, his subject being "If I were Again A Country School Teacher."

A very excellent program was given by the Crescent literary society last Saturday evening. Each number presented showed careful preparation, and the meeting as a whole reflected credit upon the management of the society.

In the last issue of the Goldenrod a want ad was inserted, from which it appeared that Professor Lackey was in need of an adding machine. It was written as a joke, but an unsuspecting agent made a trip to Wayne and offered to supply him with the latest Burrough's model for \$250. Professor Lackey did not accept the offer but the incident suggests that it pays to advertise in the Goldenrod.

A special chapel service has been arranged for Wednesday morning, the exercises being under the auspices of the Philomathean literary society. The program will consist of special music under the direction of Professor Coleman, reading of the President's Thanksgiving Proclamation by Alfred H. Lewis, recitation by a pupil from the model school, reading by George Wilcox and a vocal duet by Mr. Rogers and Miss McBeth.

At the last meeting of the Board of Education the following resolution was adopted: "That students of the Nebraska Normal College who have graduated therefrom and who have complied with the equal requirements of the graduates who receive a professional life certificate under the State Normal at Wayne may receive a diploma from said state normal by a minimum attendance of eight weeks." To receive a diploma from a state normal school in Nebraska requires a minimum resident attendance of twenty-four weeks, but this action by the board was taken at the recommendation of President Conn in order that graduates of the old school might become graduates of the Wayne State Normal School upon an attendance of one summer term of eight weeks.

On Thursday, November 28, accompanied by Coach Marrin and Professor Hunter, our boys will go to LeMars, Iowa, to meet Western Union College in a game of football. In announcing the game, Le Mars makes the following statement: "The Western Union College football team, undefeated for two years, will play the crack Nebraska state normal team of Wayne, Nebraska, for the inter-collegiate championship of intercolleges. Music will be furnished by the Le Mars Military band. Game called at three o'clock."

The Nebraska Wesleyan Male Quartette, assisted by a reader, gave a concert in the chapel on Friday evening, November, 22. This concert was one of the entertainments of a series of athletic events and entertainments for which student tickets had been sold early in the fall. The concert was well attended by students and citizens of the town and was well received by all present. Among the features receiving special comment were the work of Mr. Scott as reader, the solo work of Mr. Lewis, and the work of the quartette in the "Rose of Sharon, the Anvil Chorus, and the Campfire Song." The young men were gentlemanly fellows and made a good impression upon the people of Wayne.

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Choice thoroughbred "Ringlet" Barred Rock Cockerels for sale. George Leuders, Wayne, Neb. —adv. 47 M-4.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Plymouth Rock Cockerels at \$1.00 each. Mrs. T. E. Lindsay, Route 3, Wayne, Neb. —adv. 46-3*.

FOR SALE—Good family driving horse and a buggy that is in good condition. See John Morgan, Wayne. —Adv.

FOR SALE—Complete set of concrete tools, including boxes and 2x4 form stuff. John James. —adv. 44ff.

FOR SALE—8-room house and 3-acres close in at a bargain price NOW. Dr. Adams. —adv. 45ff.

\$50 good clean money saved by coming to the Democrat office if you need a good 4-horse gasoline engine. —Adv.

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"Bah! He has no energy." "He has energy enough to roll his own cigarettes and to carry a large cane. You can't expect too much of a young fellow." —Exchange.

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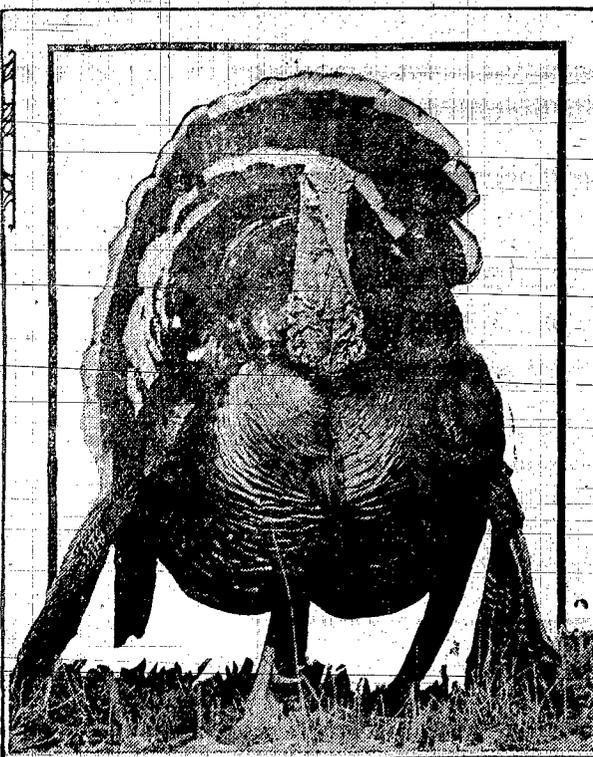
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The First Thanksgiving Proclamation

It is a mistake to suppose that the annual Thanksgiving proclamation of the president of the United States is always written or dictated by the president. As a matter of fact about all the president has to do with it is to sign his name to it. The actual composition of the Thanksgiving proclamation is the work of a specialist in the state department at

Washington. He endeavors, year after year, to express practically the same sentiments in an entirely new way or at least without repeating verbatim anything that had been said in previous Thanksgiving proclamations. And, as may be readily understood, this task is becoming more difficult with each successive annual call for a day of rejoicing and thanksgiving.

The first Thanksgiving proclamation was submitted, but it was finally allowed to stand, as shown in the accompanying reproduction of portions of the original proclamation.

The proclamation was issued on Jan. 1, 1795, and set apart the following Feb. 19 as a day for thanksgiving and prayer.

Any one who desires to see all the Thanksgiving proclamations issued by presidents of the United States will

find them preserved in red leather volumes in the state department. While George Washington originated the custom, many of his immediate successors did not follow his example, and it was not until Abraham Lincoln became president that the annual Thanksgiving as a November holiday became a regular institution in the United States.

over issued by a president of the United States was signed more than 116 years ago by George Washington, and the original document is preserved in the library of the state department. The first draft of the proclamation started off: "in the calamities which afflict so many of the nations." But Attorney General Edward Randolph did not approve of such a gloomy be-

ginning for a Thanksgiving message, so he changed it to "When we review the calamities which afflict so many other nations, the present condition of the United States offers much matter of consolation and satisfaction."

Even this sentence was changed, rewritten, corrected, revised, modified and altered several times by various members of the cabinet, to whom it

Thanksgiving Favors. Decorations for the Thanksgiving dinner table arouse much interest in the candy and pastry shops. There never was such a variety before.

Three inch turkeys constitute candy boxes. There are dolls dressed in pumpkin colored paper from hat to train. In their hands they carry little bags made out of tiny pumpkins.

Little negro doll boys clap pumpkin cymbals; others guide automobiles that have pumpkin wheels. Little pumpkin coaches as charming as the one that carried Cinderella to the ball stand in line with other devices.

Fruit plates are dived with red checked apples, grapes, bananas, pears and lemons, each one of which is a candy box. Careful reproductions are seen in the mammoth peanuts and the miniature lobsters, which also make candy boxes.

The Real National Bird. Do you know that the bird of Thanksgiving day is more of a national bird than the lordly eagle? The eagle is to be found a native of Europe and Asia as well as America, but the turkey is all our own. He was not known until a full century after Columbus. He was first seen in the Carolinas, and when specimens were carried over to Europe they were hailed as "the most beautiful present made by the new world to the old." It is a curious fact, however, that considerable error prevailed as to the true source of the fowl. Dr Samuel Johnson gravely defined the turkey as a "larger domestic fowl, supposed to be brought from Turkey." Europeans had peacocks, venison steaks and even canary birds' tongues, but what were any of these as compared with the American turkey?

CONDENSED NEWS

The Carnegie corporation will give ex-presidents pensions of \$25,000 a year.

The American Federation of Labor approved President Gompers' nonpolitical policy.

Government statisticians place Chicago as the most healthful of the world's great cities.

Sixty barrels of whisky and sixty barrels of beer, consigned to Tulsa, Okla., as a carload of bran, were seized at Kansas City.

Dominic Selvaggio, an Italian, was electrocuted at Columbus, O., for the murder of three of his countrymen in September, 1911.

The bodies of 200 persons killed in the earthquake have been recovered from the ruins of the little town of Acambay, Mexico.

Ten dead and thirty-six injured is the record of the 1912 football season. Last year there were fourteen deaths and sixty-seven injured.

Burglars hurled a horseshoe through the window of Berg & Co., jewelers, on Michigan boulevard, Chicago, and escaped with jewelry valued at \$2,500.

The annual report of the state mine inspector shows the gold production of South Dakota the last year to be \$3,035,598, the largest ever reported for the state.

Secretary MacVeagh asked for the resignation of Gideon C. Bantz, as assistant treasurer of the United States. Mr. Bantz will be succeeded by Christian S. Pearce.

The National Horse Show association brought its annual show in Madison Square Garden, New York, considered one of the most brilliant and successful in its history, to a close.

William M. Fink, an American citizen, superintendent of the San Toy Mining company, whose camp is about fifteen miles from Chihuahua, is being held for \$5,000 ransom by Mexican rebels.

Virgil Cowling, who, as prosecutor of Jackson county, represented the state in the two trials of Dr. H. Clark Hyde, charged with the murder of Thomas H. Swope, died at Kansas City after a long illness.

Mrs. Almee Givins, who married Edward Bohm, a Chicago chauffeur employed by the wealthy Kirkman family, thinking she was marrying Edward B. Kirkman, has become reconciled to her chauffeur husband.

Resolutions advocating a more rigid anti-trust law, the repeal of the parcels post law and the defeat of the Oldfield bill against price fixing were adopted at the closing session of the National Federation of Retail Merchants.

Jack Johnson, negro pugilist, was granted by Judge Carpenter of Chicago three weeks in which to file demurrers to the five charges against him of violation of the Mann white slave act.

October was a record month for imports at New York. The aggregate value of merchandise imported amounting to \$109,821,079, is the largest that ever came through that port in any one month.

Miss Cecelia Farley, the pretty young stenographer of Columbus, O., who for weeks has been on trial for first degree murder on the shooting of Alvin E. Zollinger, an advertising solicitor, was acquitted.

The executive committee of the National Grange was reorganized at a meeting in Spokane. C. S. Stetson of Maine, elected at the recent session of the grange as a representative of the "insurgent faction," was made chairman.

Three new counterfeit notes have been unearthed by the United States secret service. The counterfeits are a \$10 national bank note of the First National bank of Ashley, Pa.; a \$10 gold certificate and a \$20 gold certificate.

Eight passengers and a Pullman porter will be compelled to remain under quarantine for two weeks in the sleeper at Castle Rock, Colo., as a result of the discovery of a case of smallpox by the conductor of a Santa Fe passenger train.

A large crowd welcomed W. J. Bryan and Mrs. Bryan on their arrival at Miami, Fla. A brief address of welcome was made by the mayor, then the visitors were escorted to their home on the bay front, where they will spend the winter.

The United States still is the "bread basket" of the world, according to the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, which issued a report showing that this country is furnishing food-stuffs to other nations at a steadily rising ratio.

Holding the new rates of the Modern Woodmen too burdensome to the members and are excessive and unnecessary, Judge Shirley of Springfield, Ill., granted a perpetual injunction restraining the head camp from putting the rates into effect.

An involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed in the federal court against the United States Motor company, having offices in Jersey City. In the petition it is alleged that the concern owes more than \$12,000,000 and has assets that will not exceed \$9,000,000.

Sidna Allen, leader of the Allen clan, which shot up the Carroll court at Hillsville, Va., last March, resulting in the death of five persons, was found guilty of murder in the second degree for the killing of Judge Massie. The jury fixed the penalty at fifteen years in the penitentiary.

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Calamity Joe
 Afterward Called "Cupid"

By CLARISSA MACKIE

Five men on the Flying V ranch watched the approach of the latest addition to the force. He was riding slowly up the trail, his long legs dragging below the stirrups. "You can stop on trouble now, boys," declared Hen Morgan. "How's that?" queried his companions curiously. "This here gent approaching, him who is to be line rider on the Flying V along with the rest of us, is the champion dispenser of bad luck. Wherever he goes he brings calamity with him."

"I've heard about him, then. Ain't his name Joe Bliss?" asked Pete Willis. "Yes. They call him 'Calamity Joe' because of the sure woe that camps on his trail perpetual," answered Morgan. They sat about the door of the mess house and watched the shambling forms of horse and rider approach them. Presently the horse scuffed to a standstill, and Mr. Joe Bliss threw a long leg over the saddle and stepped to the ground. "Howdy, gents?" he said, looking gloomily down at them. "Howdy, Joe?" said Morgan sadly. "Let me interjooce my feller sufferers" and he gravely mentioned the names of his companions, who all exchanged nods and muttered "howdys" with the newcomer.

"What happened over to Flamm's?" asked Morgan as Bliss sat down and rolled a cigarette. "Measles," replied Bliss stoically. "I never had 'em in my life, but old Flamm seemed to be afraid I'd catch 'em, so he fired me. I'd only been there a week." The next morning they rode forth together, Joe Bliss ahead and the five following in a broken line. "Seems to enjoy his bad reputashun," remarked Morgan to Freeman. "Quite some! I been looking for measles spots all the morning," returned Freeman.

"It won't be measles this time. He changes his calamity every time he changes a job. We'll get something else as sure as eggs is eggs," muttered Morgan. "If he plants any calamity on this here outfit he'll sure get his," declared Freeman violently, and somehow Joe Bliss heard the words. "I got ter do something to get rid of that reputation," he admitted to himself and thereupon thought long upon the matter. And it bore startling results. It took some time to accomplish, but the nature of Calamity Joe's vindication of his ill name will go down in the history of Pooregrass county.

Several weeks passed without anything unfortunate occurring to bear up to the evil reputation of the new man. Then one day Joe Bliss received leave of absence and was gone all the morning. At noon as his fellow riders were eating lunch on the fringe of the scattered herd of cattle Joe rode hastily up to Morgan. "Gents," he said excitedly, "there's some ladies in distress yonder in Salt canyon—Picnic ladies they are, and some yaller minded individual has stampered their horses. What's them delicate females goin' to do?" "Huh!" ejaculated Morgan. "Where they from?" "They say they are salesladies from Finklestein's dry goods emporium in Eagle City."

"What they picnicin' so far from home for?" demanded Freeman. "Skeered—plumb skeered for fear old Finklestein will change his mind and call 'em back on the job. Why, them girls is so upset about how they're going to get back to Eagle City that they can't enjoy their lunch now," exclaimed Calamity Joe. "Finklestein's, in Eagle City?" queried Smith suddenly. "Why, that's where I bought this here handkerchief. She was a queen, that girl was!" "Was she a blond?" asked Jepson eagerly. "I remember a peach of a blond in Finklestein's, who?" "Nary blond," was Freeman's emphatic reply. "She was a dark eyed queen! I'll go over, Morgan, and help my lady friend out of trouble."

"Huh! You don't even know her name!" snorted Morgan contemptuously. "I guess I'll move along over there myself. I bought a shirt in Finklestein's last week, and I want to ask the red haired lady I got it from if it's a fast color." His handsome face flushed defiantly. "Mebbe there ain't a red haired lady to the picnic," said Smith disagreeably. "She's there!" interjected Joe Bliss hastily. "Mebbe all you gents could ride over to the canyon and rescue them dames. I ain't much on ladies' company, and so I'll jest look out for the critters."

The five other men consulted together, and finally all rode off in the direction of Salt canyon. Meantime Joe, the harbinger of calamity, stuck to his job and manfully did the work of six herders that sunshiny day. "That combination ought to break up that there evil reputashun I've got," he grumbled as he rode back and forth. The five men rode single file through

the narrow entrance to Salt canyon, and once within its confines a pleasing sight rewarded their coming. Around a campfire were seated half a dozen girls. Most of them were pretty, and all were attractive. The queenly brunette and the "peachy" blond and the red haired damsel all were there as well as three others. All of them sprang up from the picnic feast around which they were gathered and viewed with alarm the approach of the gentlemen. Morgan was in advance, and whipping off his hat with a graceful sweep, he addressed the red haired divinity. "Excuse me, miss, but we are the rescue party," he said pleasantly. "What you going to rescue?" demanded the red haired one imperiously, while the others drew close together and giggled.

"We was informed that some yaller hearted varmint had stampered your horses," said Morgan calmly. "Yes," said the imperious one stiffly. "It's all true, but we don't need any rescuing. We're going to get-home all right." "How?" "Walk," she returned calmly. "Any objection?" "Yes, ma'am," said Morgan emphatically. "We don't let ladies walk twenty miles when they're out for a holiday time—not in Pooregrass county."

"I'm sure they're very kind, Mabel," spoke up one of the other girls. "You know, we were saying just before they came that we didn't know how we were going to get home," added the queenly brunette, with a flashing smile at Freeman. "I suppose it is well meant, and we are obliged," said the spokeswoman suddenly. "Perhaps you gentlemen can tell us how to get our horses back. They belong to Dan Perry, the liveryman at Eagle City."

In response to these amenities on the part of the red haired damsel the five rescuers slipped from their horses and awkwardly submitted to Morgan's elaborate ceremony of introduction to six ladies whose names were unknown to any of the gentlemen. In their guise of members of a rescue party they were invited to partake of the lunch and having done so entered into serious consultation as to the best methods of discovering the miscreant who had run off the horses or stampered them and also the all important question of how Finklestein's salesladies were to be returned to Eagle City that evening.

At last the unfortunate picnicers consented gracefully to submit to the better judgment of the men, and it was agreed that each lady should ride one of the Flying V horses and that its owner should walk beside the horse so as to ride it back when their deed of chivalry should have been accomplished. Of course all this required much discussion in general and then in details, where names were exchanged and there was much merry badinage as past purchases of "gents furnishings" at Finklestein's emporium were recalled.

It was Smith who scouted around and found one of the missing ponies grazing out on the plain. He quickly mounted his own horse and caught the animal, and in this way there was provided a mount for the sixth lady, who was suffering from the toothache and cared little whether she was furnished with an attendant cavalier or not. It was she who hurried them homeward at sunset, when her companions had decided to ride back to Eagle City in the moonlight.

They formed a procession as they set forth on the twenty mile journey to Eagle City. The toothache lady led the way, and the others straggled after with a man at every horse's bridle. This was, of course, necessary, because never had there been collected together such a number of vicious, ill-tempered brutes as the horses that belonged to Messrs. Morgan, Freeman, Smith, Jepson and Pete Willis, and the fair riders appeared timid. At dawn the five weary cattlemen rode slowly into the camp. Calamity Joe was on watch and without a word handed cups of hot coffee to his friends.

"You gents are some heroes," he ventured, breaking into their reveries of tender looks exchanged and engagements promised for Wednesday evening to come, for the Flying V men were bachelors all. "I reckon so," said Freeman absently. "He was wondering if he could earn enough to support a certain blond beauty in case she would marry him." Morgan suddenly looked up and caught Calamity Joe's attention with a sharp glance. "Who do you reckon run off them bosses?" he asked. "I dunno!" declared Joe. "You was seen doing it and might as well own up," shrewdly said Morgan.

Then Calamity Joe confessed his duplicity. He told how he had waited his opportunity and, hearing about the proposed picnic of Finklestein's clerks, had himself stampered their horses and thus created a situation whereby his comrades could rescue the fair damsels and at the same time make their acquaintance. In the guise of a matchmaker Calamity Joe had hoped to hide his unfortunate reputation. And he did, for ever after they called him "Cupid," and he was obliged to officiate as best man at so many weddings that he almost regretted the step he had taken.

After all, the foreman of the Flying V declared that Joe had brought calamity in his wake, for five of his best men married within a year and started ranches of their own. But he retained Joe Bliss because there were no signs of his getting married and straying off.

Legal Notice
 Notice of Sale of Real Estate by Referees.
 In the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska.
 David Thomas, Plaintiff, vs. Daniel E. Thomas, William Thomas, John R. Thomas, George Thomas, Jennie Viergutz, George W. Marshall, Albert Marshall, Lottie DeLong, Ida Lunt, Lena Marshall, Thomas Marshall, a minor, and Elisha Marshall, a minor.

Under and by virtue of an order made and entered by the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, on the 11th day of November, 1912, in an action pending in said District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, for the partition of the real estate hereinafter described in which David Thomas was plaintiff and Daniel E. Thomas, William Thomas, John R. Thomas, George Thomas, Jennie Viergutz, George W. Marshall, Albert Marshall, Lottie DeLong, Ida Lunt, Lena Marshall, Thomas Marshall, a minor, and Elisha Marshall, a minor, were defendants.

The undersigned referees were directed by said court by said order to sell said premises, will on the 23rd day of December, 1912, commencing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day at the front door, known as the east door, of the court house in the said city of Wayne, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder the following described real estate, to-wit: the southwest quarter of section ten (10), township twenty-six (26), range one (1), east of the 6th P. M. in Wayne county, Nebraska, also lots nine (9) and ten (10), block five (5) first addition to the village of Carroll, Wayne county, Nebraska. Said sale will remain open at least one hour; the terms of said sale will be as follows: For the southwest quarter of section ten, township twenty-six, range one, east of the 6th P. M., the purchaser will be required to pay the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2000.00) on the date of said sale and the remainder of the purchase price to be paid February 20, 1913, without interest; the terms of sale for lots nine and ten, block five, first addition to the village of Carroll, Nebraska, will be all cash at time of sale. Purchasers are to be furnished abstracts showing merchantable titles, free of charge to purchaser. Taxes for 1912 and former years to be paid and said real estate to be clear of all incumbrances; possession of said southwest quarter of section ten, township twenty-six, range one, east of the 6th P. M., in Wayne county, Nebraska, to be given March 1, 1913, and possession of lots nine and ten, block five, first addition to Carroll, Nebraska, to be given to purchaser January 1, 1913.

Dated at Wayne, Wayne county, Nebraska, this 21st day of November, 1912.
 ROLLIE W. LEY
 A. R. DAVIS
 DANIEL DAVIS
 Referees.

Guardian Sale of Real Estate
 Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of license therefor issued to me by A. A. Welch, Judge of the District Court of Wayne county, Nebraska, on the 7th day of November, 1912, for the sale of the following described real estate of Elmer Jensen, a minor, to-wit: An undivided one-ninth (1-9) interest in and to the southwest quarter of section 15 and the north-west quarter of section 14, all in township 26 north range 1 east of the 6th P. M., Wayne County, Nebraska. I will sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the door of the office of the Clerk of the District Court of said county in the court house of Wayne in said county, on the 5th day of December, 1912, at 2:00 o'clock p. m., of said day, the real estate above described, said sale to remain open one hour. Dated this 8th day of November, 1912.
 JULIANE JENSEN,
 Guardian of the person and estate of Elmer Jensen, minor. 46-3.

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County Correspondence

Shoes Items

Mr. and Mrs. Root autoed to Randolph Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Gibbs of Madison is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Halpin at this place.

Sam Erskine took the early train to Norfolk Wednesday morning to spend Thanksgiving with his wife.

E. R. Wilson of Randolph is doing some retouching and varnishing for the Wayne County Bank.

E. M. Knight went to Carroll Saturday evening to spend Sunday with his brother-in-law, Gomer Jones.

The latest news from Rochester, Minn., is that Mrs. Jess Jenkins is getting along nicely since the operation.

Jess Jenkins left for Rochester, Minn., to be with his wife who was to undergo an operation the following day.

Miss Mae Martin of Carroll who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Marvina Root the past week, returned home Monday noon.

Misses Bessie Grant, Athol Stevenson, Iva and Alice Root came up from Wayne Wednesday evening to be at home Thanksgiving.

The first shelled corn marketed here this fall came in last Tuesday. Morris Ahern did the shelling. The corn is dry and of good quality.

After two days of hard knocking Mr. Steele left town. Our advice would be, in order to get business, don't knock on some other man in the same line of work.

Three of the Wesleyan Male Quartette were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Root and the other two by Mr. and Mrs. Brakemeyer, and they found them to be gentlemen in every respect.

The dance at this place last Saturday night was quite well attended and all enjoyed the excellent music furnished by the Collins orchestra. After the ball was over W. H. Root drove the orchestra to Winside.

Adolph Ritchie sent in several loads of hogs to E. W. Closson on Tuesday. Owing to ill health Mr. Ritchie's neighbors hauled the hogs in, his brother Henry, county commissioner-elect, attending to the business for him.

Miss Porter and Miss Smith, teachers in our schools, expect to eat turkey at home Thursday. Mr. Root took them as far as Wayne Wednesday evening. Miss Porter lives in Norfolk and Miss Smith at Ponca.

Arrangements are under way at the E. W. Closson home for the regular annual gathering of the Closson family on Thanksgiving. Earnest and family of Omaha is expected as usual which will bring the six brothers together once more.

A turkey shoot and raffle was held on Monday at the home of August Hagelestein's. Shooting blue rocks and target shooting with the rifle were the principle means of winning a turkey, goose or duck, although several were won by the euchre deck route.

Wakefield News.

Miss Alma Paul went to Emerson Monday.

Walter Carlson made a business trip to Coleridge Monday.

Albert Borg returned from Dakota City Tuesday morning.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Sackerson, Nov. 23, 1912, a son.

Mrs. Ray Larson spent a couple of days with Mrs. Daniels of Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Haas and children went to Sioux City Friday.

Miss Margaret Sodeberg is visiting in the Leech home at Sloan, Iowa.

Mrs. Gustafson of Wayne visited her sister, Mrs. N. Sackerson Saturday.

Mrs. Oscar Felt and children are visiting in the H. A. Lyons home at Laurel.

Miss Anna Anderson of Concord was in town Monday having dental work done.

M. Jackson Jr., went to Omaha Tuesday after a brief visit with home folks.

H. V. Ellis went to Sioux City Wednesday to take a mail clerk examination.

Rev. Charles Baskerville of Bellevue was the guest of J. D. Haskell Friday night.

Miss Perdita Morgan returned to her school work at Hoskins after a month's vacation.

The Kensington club met at the home of Mrs. T. Kemp with Miss Florence Welch as hostess.

Mrs. W. V. Gillispie and children went to Wayne Friday night to visit her brother, Chas. Murphy.

Mrs. R. A. Montgomery returned to her home in Harrison after a visit with her son, H. Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tomlinson of Red Oak, Iowa, visited at the Dr. Tomlinson home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Kemp are spending Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Ware of Coleridge.

Miss Ruth Hosford went to Nacora Saturday where she will teach school the remainder of the week.

Mrs. Levi Kimball, who has been visiting a few days at the home of her son near Hartington, came home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Korth came up from Thurston Friday to take in the play, "The House of a Thousand Candles."

Hon. H. P. Shumway returned Tuesday from Excelsior Springs, Mo., where he has been for the benefit of his health.

Miss Vida Leamer is helping to invoice the Kay hardware stock which Mr. Kay traded to Ekeroth and Sar for a South Dakota farm.

Wilbur Precinct.

N. E. Erickson and family were Wayne visitors Saturday.

Quite a number in this vicinity have finished husking corn.

Mr. W. H. James of Carroll was a caller in this vicinity Friday.

Peter Nygren and S. Okerblom and families spent Sunday at Chas. Johnson's.

Mrs. Peter Nygren and daughter Nannie spent last Friday afternoon with Mrs. A. A. Smith.

Mrs. W. S. Larson and daughter Myrtle left Wednesday for Oakland, Nebraska, to visit relatives for two weeks.

Messrs. Edwin Olson, Ernest Johnson, Leslie Phillips, John and Fred Beckman and Eston Summers and Misses Ruth and Alice Olson, Clara Johnson and Amy Phillips were guests at the H. C. Lyons home Sunday.

Hunter Precinct.

Marguerite Soderberg was a passenger to Sloan, Iowa, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Worth visited at Henry Bartling's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Anderson visited at Louis Johnson's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Elfien and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brummond spent Sunday at Carl Gust's.

Lydia Linder died at her home four and one-half miles southwest of Wakefield Sunday. Funeral services were held from the Christian church Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Holstrom, who has been visiting friends and relatives in this neighborhood for the past two months left for her home at Winner, S. D., Monday.

A crowd of young people gathered at the home of Chas. Soderberg Saturday evening and helped John celebrate his fifteenth birthday. An enjoyable time was had by those present.

Winside Notes

(From the Tribune)

Ed Stevens of Ft. Collins, Colo., a former resident of this place was here last Thursday shaking hands with old friends.

Joe and Thealin Spinder of Doone, Iowa, are here visiting at the home of their brother, W. A. Spinder, southwest of town.

Mrs. Tom Johnson and baby went to Dodge, Nebraska, Sunday where her husband is working at his trade of bricklayer.

Earl Lyons and Hook Boock, who have been working for the Standard Bridge Co., in the vicinity of Grand Island returned home last week and are working with a bridge gang in the vicinity of town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wiand of Blakesburg, Iowa, visited last week with their daughter, Mrs. Herman Krause and departed Monday morning for Lenox, Iowa, for a visit with the former's brother before returning home.

The teachers of the school here entertained the pupils of the high school building last Friday evening. Games were the amusement of the evening after which light refreshments were served.

Nine car loads of cattle were shipped to Chicago from here Saturday. F. Weible 3, Needham Bros. 3, Moses Bros. 1, Mrs. Jno. Glazier 2, Ed Weible, Louie Needham, Erving Moses and Herman Glazier went along to care for the stock.

Chris Gosch and wife, who recently returned from Davenport, Iowa, purchased through Lound & Smith the John Dimmell residence property now occupied by Henry Muhs, consideration \$2,950. Mr. and Mrs. Gosch will take possession about January 1st.

Commissioners' Proceedings

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| C. L. Cleberg, road work | 2.00 |
| Adolph Dorman, road work | 5.25 |
| Herman Ritzke, road work | 14.45 |
| George F. Timson, road work | 2.25 |
| Oscar Magee, road work | 14.00 |
| R. Longe, road work | 111.50 |
| O. G. Boock, road work | 62.25 |
| John Carrey, grader work | 3.90 |
| Nels Nelson, grader work | 3.50 |
| Jack Lewis, grader work | 24.00 |
| Harris Sonson, grader work | 3.50 |
| Adolph Baier, grader work | 7.00 |
| William Meyer, grader work | 6.00 |
| Martin Holst, grader work | 4.35 |
| Ernest Hanson, grader work | 8.00 |
| William Meyer, grader work | 49.00 |
| Henry Frevert, grader work | 5.00 |
| Herman Ritzke, grader work | 49.35 |
| George F. Timson, grader work | 25.00 |
| Herbert Peters, grader work | 4.35 |
| William A. Danime, grader work | 4.35 |
| Fred Frevert, grader work | 4.35 |
| Emil Hansen, floating roads | 16.72 |
| John Fox, grader work and hauling | 18.50 |
| F. F. Fisher, road and grader work and floating roads | 48.00 |
| Bernard Meyer, road and grader work | 45.50 |
| C. C. Pflueger, road and grader work | 28.00 |
| J. W. Selders, grader work | 75.50 |
| Oil Selders, grader work | 15.00 |
| Henry Glassmeyer, grader work | 148.35 |
| Dean Hanson, grader work | 30.00 |
| B. Grone, road work | 3.50 |
| F. M. Hostetter, road work | 24.00 |
| Henry Vahlkamp, road work | 47.00 |
| H. L. Harner, road work | 14.00 |
| Christ Haas, road work | 10.50 |
| George F. Timson, floating roads | 2.50 |
| Wilbur Van Fossen, road work | 108.50 |
| Michael Finn, road work | 87.50 |
| Matt Finn, grader work | 56.00 |
| Matt Finn, grader work | 44.00 |
| John W. Jones, grader work | 124.00 |
| F. M. Hostetter, road work | 25.75 |
| J. N. Wilson, road work | 5.00 |
| Oscar Jonson, grader work | 31.50 |
| Oscar Jonson, road work | 36.00 |
| L. W. Brown, road work | 3.50 |
| Harvey Hostetter, grader work | 15.00 |
| Marion Hostetter, road work | 6.00 |
| Harvey Hostetter, road work | 14.00 |
| F. W. Bruggeman, grader work | 7.00 |
| O. Selders, grader work | 80.25 |
| Albert Doring, road and grader work | 30.00 |
| Ernest Henselke, road work | 17.50 |
| Alfred Johnson, grader work | 3.50 |
| Frank Hansen, road work | 98.25 |
| August Hansen, road work | 3.50 |
| C. John Johnson, grader work | 24.00 |
| Elmer Railroad, road work | 4.00 |
| Chas. W. Reynolds, postage for September | 3.50 |
| W. M. Welch Mfg. Co., supplies for superintendent | 22.50 |
| Silver, Burdette & Co., supplies for county superintendent | 33.28 |
| Hammond & Stephens Co., supplies for county superintendent | 28.60 |
| University Publishing Co., supplies for county superintendent | 5.00 |
| Klopp and Bartlett Co., supplies for treasurer | 8.00 |
| Klopp & Bartlett Co., supplies | 6.00 |
| Zion Office Supply, supplies | 9.75 |
| W. M. Welch Mfg. Co., supplies for county superintendent | 32.70 |
| Klopp & Bartlett Co., supplies | 10.95 |
| James Britton, postage | 1.00 |
| University Publishing Co., supplies for county superintendent | 4.00 |
| National Office Supply Co., supplies | 18.00 |
| Chas. W. Reynolds, salary for September | 127.50 |
| Nebraska Telephone Co., October and November rent and October tolls | 35.90 |
| A. Bloomberg, blacksmithing | 50.25 |
| Walter Gaebler, registrar of births and deaths | 3.25 |
| H. Hostetter, grader work | 4.00 |
| Roy Klotting, bridge work | 12.50 |
| W. T. Lambing, blacksmithing | 5.15 |
| Abel Rhone, hauling steel span | 8.00 |
| Forrest L. Hughes, court attendance | 26.00 |
| George T. Porter, salary from October 4 to November 4, 1912 | 100.00 |
| James Baker, registrar of births and deaths | 1.50 |
| A. C. Dean, court bailiff | 22.00 |
| George T. Porter, posting election notices and summoning jury | 14.00 |
| Earl Potter, work on culverts | 23.50 |
| D. J. Cavanaugh, grader work | 92.00 |
| Paul Gohrke, road work | 26.25 |
| Nebraska Culyert and Mfg. Co., corrugated culverts | 592.80 |
| Jorgen Nielson, road and grader work | 87.25 |
| P. P. Huff, tiling | 15.05 |
| A. G. Bohmert, meals for jury | 17.20 |
| Thomas Hennessy, hauling and setting tube | 2.75 |
| J. E. Harmon, janitor's salary for October, 1912 | 50.00 |
| J. E. Ellis, board of jury | 22.60 |
| Bert Brown, court bailiff | 24.00 |

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School Notes

Thanksgiving vacation today and tomorrow.

Dr. House spoke briefly to the fifth grade on Wednesday morning.

Mrs. J. J. Williams and Mrs. E. J. Raymond were visitors on Monday.

The Thanksgiving programs given Wednesday afternoon brought many visitors to the schools.

This afternoon the football team plays its last game of the season. The opposing team is Wakefield.

Thanksgiving programs were given in all the grades on Wednesday afternoon. Prof. Britell visited several of the grade schools on Tuesday forenoon.

The Wayne Public Schools made a Thanksgiving offering of pennies, nickels and dimes, amounting to \$12.67 for the benefit of the Child Saving Institute of Omaha, Neb.

Frank Stodden, who has been seriously ill, is home and will soon be back in school. On Wednesday afternoon he made his way to the school building for a little visit, and everybody was glad to see him again.

The football team was defeated at Bancroft last week, but it was wholly due to the disorganized condition of the team. Marsteller was not able to play, which made it necessary to shift several men to new positions and explains the defeat.

Don't fail to examine the children's reports carefully and see whether there isn't something you can do to help improve the next report. Perhaps the child is not in school as regularly as he ought to be. Perhaps he is not at home in the evenings and studying as much as he ought to be.

The following table shows the per cent of attendance and punctuality of the different grades for the month ending November 22.

| Grade | Attend. | Punct. |
|---------------|---------|--------|
| Kindergarten | 99 | 99 |
| First Grade | 98 | 100 |
| Second | 97.6 | 100 |
| Third Grade | 99 | 100 |
| Fourth Grade | 97.8 | 100 |
| Fifth Grade | 99 | 100 |
| Sixth Grade | 97.8 | 100 |
| Seventh Grade | 96.1 | 99.9 |
| Eighth Grade | 98.8 | 99.8 |
| High School | 96.2 | 99.9 |

DR. HOUSE AT HIGH SCHOOL

On Wednesday morning Dr. House of the State Normal addressed the high school students and teachers and delighted his audience as usual. Mr. House prefaced his address with a few thoughts appropriate to the Thanksgiving season. He said that all ought to be thankful for living at the beginning of the twentieth century, when the spirit of democracy prevails throughout the world. When the hope for humanity is so great. When people think more about folks than ever before, and think only of other things in their relation to the welfare of humanity. Dr. House then spoke on "The Relationship Between Common Folks and Geniuses," and in part he said: "Humanity has an instinct for workmanship which urges the individual to good effort and gives keen satisfaction to the one who does a thing well. The reward of labor is in labor itself. The purpose of all labor ought to be for human welfare. Whether a farmer, a shoemaker, an editor, a lawyer, a merchant or a teacher, be a master in doing your full duty and you will have joy unspeakable and the world will be worth living in."

Historical Accuracy.

Perish the thought that the novelist or playwright should be tied down to historical accuracy! Lady Dorothy Neville quotes an amusing correspondence between Bulwer Lytton and her brother:

My Dear Walpole—Here I am at Bath—bored to death. I am thinking of writing a play about your great ancestor, Sir Robert. Had he not a sister Lucy, and did she not marry a Jacobite?

My brother promptly replied:

My Dear Lytton—I care little for my family and still less for Sir Robert, but I know that he never had a sister Lucy, so she could not have married a Jacobite.

However, this mattered little to Lord Lytton, for his answer ran:

My Dear Walpole—You are too late! Sir Robert had a sister Lucy, and she did marry a Jacobite.

So, in defiance of history, the play "Walpole" came to be written.

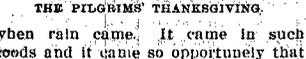
Wellington's Wrist of Steel.

The Duke of Wellington had only one vanity—his wrist was like steel. Now, when he was given the sword of state to carry it was his infinite delight that he was able to carry it upright. All his predecessors had had to slope it toward the shoulder. He would go down to posterity, he resolved, glorified by the power of his wrist. In vain Sir Thomas Lawrence pointed out that as a matter of art it would never do; that the sight of a man perennially carrying a sword from his wrist would fatigue those who looked at his picture. The duke insisted upon having his way. Lawrence did manage to smuggle in a cushion upon which the duke seems to rest his elbow, but close examination shows that arm and cushion do not meet.—London Sketch.

The Pilgrims' First Thanksgiving Day

TO the grand old pilgrim father William Bradford, governor of the original New England colonies, belongs the honor of being the first to proclaim in America a general thanksgiving day which should be a festival as well as a day of thanksgiving. The month of November, 1623, had been a weary one to the bitterly tried pilgrims. Their months of toil and patient waiting for the ingathering of the harvest seemed about to end in the deepest disappointment. The earth was parched, the whole land cried out for rain, and the crops were being ruined for lack of moisture. It was under these depressing conditions that Pilgrim Father Bradford called together the little band of settlers and set apart a day to be devoted to fasting and prayer that the glassy skies might become cloud covered and the windows of heaven be opened to give life to the thirst dying fields.

It did not look promising for a day of thanksgiving, and yet circumstances changed the day appointed for fasting and prayer to one of rejoicing, feasting and thankfulness. The pilgrims were in the very act of praying for rain



THE PILGRIMS' THANKSGIVING.

when rain came. It came in such floods and it came so opportunely that the pilgrim fathers were convinced that Providence had smiled on the little band of forlorn men, women and children who, driven from their own homes, had been forced to pitch their tents on the wild and inhospitable shores of a foreign land.

William Bradford in his proclamation had called the day a feast of thanksgiving, and the best hunters in the colony had been scouring the adjacent woods for wild turkeys and other game to supply the wants of the colonists and their guests. The kitchens of the pilgrims were crude and rough, but the good dames did their best, and the result was a repast satisfying and sumptuous enough for the most exacting. The menu consisted of roast turkey dressed with beechnuts, venison pasties such as the pilgrim mothers knew so well how to make, savory meat stews with dumplings of barley flour, clam chowder served in enormous bowls with sea biscuits floating on the surface, roasts of all kinds, broiled fish, salads, cakes and plum porridge. Lastly, there was a bountiful supply of oysters, the contribution of Massachusetts and his ninety warriors to the first Thanksgiving bill of fare. The greatest dinner of the festival was given on Saturday, the last day of the celebration. History chronicles that it was one of the loveliest days of the Indian summer, and so mild was the weather that the good pilgrim dames were able to set their tables in the open air, and in the primitive forests in the wildest country, in a new and unexplored world, was celebrated the brightest and most joyous Thanksgiving on record.

THE INDIANS' CELEBRATION OF THANKSGIVING DAY.

THE interest in Thanksgiving day and its observance is just as intense these days among the reservation Indians as in college towns where great football games are scheduled to occur. Especially is this true in the southwest, where the Indians have had an opportunity to become thoroughly civilized of late years. The white people find no more enjoyment in this day of universal cheer than do these same dusky Redskins.

It is a day of feasting, playing and gaming, with a big dance at night. Such sport comes only once a year to them nowadays, when they have had to forsake their hunting knife for the plow. Their wild nature revolted at the idea of work, and it has been with much difficulty that the government agents have made farmers out of the young braves. A day of rest and amusement is considered good for their better nature, and the government authorities are willing that Thanksgiving day shall become a festival time for the reservation wards of the nation.

The Kiowa and Comanches, who not long ago were placed on allotments, will have forsaken many of their wild plans of amusement this Thanksgiving, owing to the fact that they have been cut off the free list of beef issues. They have arranged to draw grass money on Thanksgiving, and a goodly portion of this will be spent in purchasing food for a grand feast. At night they will take part in a green corn dance, at which thanks will be offered to the Great Spirit for the good crops which they have had the last season. The spirit of thankfulness pervades the Indian celebrations.

The Osages hold a big feast at Pawhuska, their capital city. All members of the tribe are invited to take part in the festivities. At the beginning and end of each month—and there are many—the aged missionary who lives among them is invited to deliver a short prayer, thanking the Great Spirit for the good things which the agent has sent them. The food is cooked by the squaws, and while it could be prepared in a much cleaner and more tasteful manner, the cooking is an improvement over that of a few years ago. With this cheer they give thanks that "by the goodness of God they were far from want."—New York Tribune.

Reflections of a Thankful Pessimist.

Did you ever think, when it's raining and snowing at the same time and the streets form a dainty swamp of slush and the hills are running up and down and back, how very much you have to be thankful for? On such occasions look in your empty coal bin and fold your arms in content.

True, the coal bin is dark and dank. But think how much blacker it would be if the coal were there!

It's the little things that make or mar one's happiness; therefore the less coal one has the happier he should be.

For such is logic.

A noted philosopher has said, "The coal bin is a has-been."

Shivers are the very soul of comfort.

Filling a Want.

Bighead—My folks say that if I come home for Thanksgiving they'll kill the fatted calf.

Miss Sharpe—Yes; I suppose if you don't go home they won't have any fatted calf there.

INASMUCH.

Inasmuch as you have filled The needs of him that willed, In that measure be you thrilled In your thanks.

Inasmuch as you have given In the aid of what has striven Upward, so be you, too, driven By your thanks.

As you lifted you may rise, You may soar beyond the skies, Even with the thought that flies, With your thanks.

—E. Barford in Philadelphia North American.

THE SEAL OF THANKSGIVING

