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WAYNE WILL REMAIN DRY

The License Question the Only One Which There is Any Contest and License Loses by an Increased Majority

Wayne's election was all over when the caucuses finished their work more than two weeks ago except that the question of license or no license was to be passed upon. This question brought out a full vote, and the majority against license was greater than on the two previous elections when the question was an issue.

The result by wards this year and 1911, is given below:

	1911	1913
1st ward	80	19
2nd ward	85	103
3rd ward	54	124
Totals	219	246
Majority	27	51

The following were elected to fill the offices:

Mayor, C. A. Chace; treasurer, H. S. Ringland; clerk, J. M. Cherry; councilmen, 1st ward, long term John Gaertner, short term, W. O. Hanssen; 2nd ward, Herman Lundberg; 3rd ward, J. G. W. Lewis. For members of the school board, T. W. Moran and Rollie Ley.

At Randolph the dry people carried the town by a majority of 53, and the Sunday base ball carried by a majority of 30.

Buttermilk will continue the favorite beverage for Wayne, and we make it right in town.

Results

Of the Democrat's 30-day special offer were very gratifying. It produced more subscription business, both of new and renewal, than any month since the present owners have been in charge of the paper. Not only that, it has been very popular with the patrons—many freely expressed their appreciation of the plan of allowing them to save what we might have had to pay an agent for doing. It has also been a demonstration of the fact that it pays to advertise—that like most of the newspaper men—we do not take enough of our own medicine. It is so good in its results—that advertising dope—that we shall take more in the future. The publishers thank you one and all.

Tornado Insurance

For dependable tornado insurance at right prices see Johnson & Duerig, who will write your tornado risk at \$2.00 per \$1,000 one year—three years at \$4.00 per \$1,000. The storm season is at hand.—adv 14.

ASK US ABOUT PILO

All the pain, itching, and other discomforts associated with blind, bleeding, or itching piles are quickly banished by the use of Nyal's Pilo. It is sure—positive in its action.

A few applications of Nyal's Pilo will afford instant relief

The contents of one or two boxes used regularly according to directions will absorb the tumors, soothe the heat, the inflamed and irritated parts surrounding the tumors and do it so that you are not inconvenienced in any way.

Do not put off treatment—and do not worry about the result.—you can place your entire confidence in Nyal's Pilo—it will do just as we state.

Be sure and ask us about it. Fifty cents a box.

When we had a chance to get the exclusive selling agency for Nyal Family Remedies we jumped at it. They are shown among all druggists as the highest quality line on the market, and are prepared by a great firm of manufacturing chemists, famous for fifty years.

THE DRUG STORE PHARMACY
FELBER'S OF QUINCY
DEUTSCHER APOTHEKER
H. FELBER, DRUGGIST
WAYNE, NEB.

James White Killed

At Emerson Saturday evening, W. J. White, for many years a resident of this place, fell under the moving passenger train in attempting to get on after the train had started. He was coming from his Dakota home to Wayne where his sister and children live and got off at Emerson and went to a lunch counter and remained until the train had started before returning.

OBITUARY

(By the Pastor)

W. J. White was born at Sharpsburg, a suburb of Pittsburgh, Pa., on July 28, 1849, and departed this life on March 29, 1913, at Emerson, Nebraska, aged 63 years, 8 months and 6 days. He grew up in Pennsylvania and in 1869 removed, with his parents and sisters to Iowa, where he resided for a number of years. He was married at Walnut, Iowa, on April 14, 1882, to Althea M. Taber, and from the union were born five children, Max, Helen, Madge, Ruth and Edith, all of whom were present at the funeral. He also leaves one sister, Miss Charlotte M. White, and a number of nephews and nieces as well a wide circle of friends. In the fall of 1886 Mr. White moved to Wayne county, and made his home on a farm southwest of town. His wife died on December 17, 1902. During the past five years he has been in South Dakota most of the time, making a long visit to his family last winter. He was returning to Wayne, after proving up on a homestead to make his home here in the future, when the fatal accident at the Emerson depot occurred.

The sympathy of the community goes out to the bereaved children and to his sister in their sad affliction. Mr. White was a kindly man, easily making loyal friends, essentially a lovable man, the family had been looking forward to his return to Wayne with great expectations, but it was not to be. Bowing before the providence of God we can only say,

"My Jesus, as Thou wilt,
O may Thy will be mine,
Into Thy hand of love I would my
all resign;
Through sorrow and through joy,
conduct me as Thine own
And help me still to say, My Lord,
Thy will be done."

Assessors Met Saturday

Last Saturday the assessors of the county met at the court house with County Assessor Carter to receive their supplies and the instructions necessary to insure a uniform assessment over the entire county. All assessors were present except two. A schedule of stock valuations was given to work to, which we give below.

Horses, mules and jacks are to be valued according to this list: Under 1 year \$30, under 2 years \$50, over 3 years \$80, from 3 to 12 years \$100, over 12 \$50. Stallions \$200 to \$500; jacks \$100 to \$400.

Cattle under 1 year \$20, 1 to 3 years \$30 to \$35, 2 to 3 years \$45 to \$40, cows \$40 to \$50, fat cattle \$5 to \$7 per cwt.

Sheep \$3 each, hogs 7c per pound, dogs \$5 each, poultry \$5 per dozen. Grain per bushel: wheat .60, corn .35, rye .50, oats .20, barley .35, potatoes .30; hay per ton \$6.

Assessor Massie is now out listing Wayne property and will no doubt be glad to have you "fess up" to him. All Nebraska assessors are supposed to begin work the first of this month.

The New Library Building

Wayne's new library is at last completed and last week the books were placed therein. This neat little building will be shown in the next issue of the Democrat with a brief history of the building and plans for its future conduct. The library is now open except Monday and Sunday from 2 to 5 each afternoon and from 7 to 9 each evening, and the reading room is open Sunday afternoons from 2 to 5 o'clock.

Fire at Bloomfield

At an early hour this morning fire was discovered in a fruit store at Bloomfield, and for a time the entire place was threatened, but good work on the part of the firemen checked the fire. The loss is not known, but the damage was mostly confined to the building in which the fire originated and the Citizen Bank building.

COMMERCIAL CLUB MEETING

Comes From Winter Quarters in Hustling Spirit and Moves to Have Things Doing for the Next Year.

The executive committee of the Wayne Commercial club held a business meeting last Tuesday evening and set the pins up for good work in the future. They first allowed and issued orders for outstanding bills as follows: Wayne Herald \$14.50, Davis and Berry for attorney fees in the city depot case \$51, A. E. Smith \$3, A. E. Smith and J. W. Gullion for opera house \$10, Nebraska Democrat \$2, Orr & Morris 72 cents.

The financial statement of the club shows a balance of \$222.15 after all bills to date had been paid.

A committee appointed to solicit funds for the Omaha tornado sufferers collected \$137.50 for that fund, to which the club appropriated an additional \$50. This, with \$14.05 collected at the Presbyterian church made a total \$201.55 which was sent to Omaha. Besides this numerous private donations have been sent by individuals direct to friends they knew to be in distress.

A move to give Wayne additional publicity was introduced when a motion prevailed naming Fred Philleo, Frank Gamble and C. M. Christensen as a committee to prepare a pamphlet advertising Wayne; the pamphlet to show views of Wayne, a list of industries needed here and also those now established. The committee to report at the next meeting.

The secretary was instructed to write to Mr. Heckert who is considering the erection of a new hotel here, assuring him that Wayne is in a receptive mood, and asking him to submit some plans for consideration.

It was proposed to have a quarterly banquet for the business men to get together and get acquainted, so that they might work together with greater unity, and the first banquet is set for the evening of April 22. C. W. Hiscox, Horace Theobald and Lambert Roe are named to arrange for this banquet, while E. W. Huse and J. H. Kate will arrange for a speaking program, to be largely made of local talent. Mr. Heckert will be invited to attend and present for consideration a proposition for the hotel building. The committee then adjourned to meet again the evening of April 15th.

Horse Advertising and Printing

No live stock industry depends more upon the quality produced than does the breeding and growing of horses. To raise the standard of the different types of horses is the ambition—or should be—of every farmer and every breeder, and the season is now at hand for considering what is the most profitable horse to raise and our farmer readers are considering these questions much more than they did a few years ago and watching the advertising claims of the owners of different animals. Not only that, the owners are very much awake to the fact that if they wish the business they must present to the people the merits they claim for their stock. And the Democrat goes a step beyond and is well prepared to present the claims in black on white to the farmers of Wayne county at a very reasonable rate. If it pays to advertise anything—and we know that it does, it pays to advertise horses at this season of the year. All kinds of cards printed on short notice.

Winside Not Dry

The report has been circulated persistently here since election that the village of Winside had voted the saloon out. The license issue was not even presented at the election there this year. C. E. Needham and D. J. Cavanaugh, nominees of the Citizens and Independent parties were elected members of the village board over Herman Fleer and Fred Witt, both nominated by petition. The report that the town is dry is said to be a malicious slander circulated to hurt business.

Advertised Letter List.

Letters: Frank Curtis, G. W. Moore. Cards: Mr. Ricklef Plahn, W. H. McNeal, P. M.

The Democrat for job printing.

Death of Mrs. J. H. Graves

Mrs. Graves died at her home at Norfolk Saturday, March 20, 1913, from diabetes, after three years of failing health. Mrs. Graves was born in Northampton county, Pennsylvania, 63 years ago, and later moved to Stevenson county, Illinois. Came to Nebraska in 1882, settling at Wisner. Later they came to Wayne county, and for a number of years lived on a farm just north of town, leaving there after selling the place seven years ago, to go to Norfolk, where, with her husband who survives, she made her home until the end came. Besides the husband, she is survived by five sons, William of this city, Oliver of Wayne, Frank of Dakota City, George and Wallace who live in Illinois, and two daughters, Mrs. Florence Riffles and Mrs. M. Briggs.

Rev. Mr. Millard of the Methodist church conducted funeral services at the family home at 9:30 o'clock Sunday morning. The body was taken to Wisner, the old home, at noon Sunday for interment.

We wish to express our thanks to all the friends who so kindly remembered us with sympathy and flowers in our sorrow and loss.

H. J. Graves and family.

Garden Seed

Congressman Stephens had a quantity of seed sent to the Democrat office, requesting that we make known to our readers that they are here—the property of the people because the people have paid for them, and while they last those who desire may secure an assortment. The list says there is corn, muskmelon, onion, lettuce, radish and turnip. Uncle Sam gives a few lines of instruction as to the growing of the seed and asks that a report of results be made. It is quite probable that this feature of our agricultural education will be discontinued in the future as it should have been in the past, but few have gained any useful knowledge from the use of these seeds, and a large proportion of them fall into indifferent hands, and in other years many worthless varieties were sent out, and seeds that would have been adapted to the conditions under which they were grown were sent to places where soil and climate were such as to make the seed practically worthless. The seeds with this offering, however, are of known standard varieties.

Glad to Be Alive

J. H. Beach writes from Waterloo, Nebraska, that they lost all of their buildings, and the furniture was destroyed, and he wants his Wayne friends to know the condition. He says "Everything we had, house, hen-house, barn, furniture, clothing and all fixtures were totally destroyed. Are surely thankful we escaped with our lives, but are pretty badly bruised up as it is. Mrs. Beach is in bed but hopes to be up in a few days. We are staying with a neighbor who escaped the terrors of the storm. Had fairly well insured."

W. L. Hurlbut, who went from Carroll last week to visit his sister, reported upon his return that the barn, which burned, was set on fire by the cook stove which could be tracked from the house to the barn by pieces left along the path where it had struck the ground every few feet. Mr. Hurlbut wonders from the appearance there that Mr. and Mrs. Beach are alive.

Dixon-Slaughter

There was a quiet wedding at the Parish house in this city Thursday evening, the 27th, when Father Kearns said the vows which united the lives of Miss Margaret Dixon and Edward Slaughter while life does last, in the presence of the immediate relatives only. Both bride and groom spent their childhood days here together. The bride is a daughter of Patrick Dixon and wife, and has been engaged as teacher in the schools at Burke, South Dakota, where the groom is in the banking business, being president of the German American bank of that place. The happy couple departed for their new home on the west bound train Friday evening, only their most intimate friends knowing of the happy event before their departure.

Strahan & Kingsbury shipped a car of hogs to Sioux City Wednesday and will ship another this evening.

SOME VOLUNTEER ROAD WORK

The Road Drag and the Dragged Road Growing in Favor. Several Public Spirited Farmers Set Good Example

The streets of Wayne have been given a good dragging during the past few days and it has helped much in appearance and comfort of those who ride or drive. It will also help much when other rains come to have the streets in shape to run the water off. We hope that the farmers have seen to it that the roads passing their places have been given a dose of the King drag.

Since the above was put in type we learn that Ed Grier took four of his good work horses and dragged five miles of road between his farm and Wayne Saturday, also that Thomas Brockman who lives five miles north of this place dragged two miles of road in good shape several times this spring, which is more than the amount of road abutting on his place. The farmer who told of these good deeds by his neighbors has also been dragging roads in his neighborhood, and is intending to buy a drag and, keep the good work up but he says that there would be some pay for this work if it is kept up all season, speaking more for his neighbors than himself. He also asserted that it is his opinion that in this way more benefit will accrue to the public for work than by any known system of road work.

J. Pierpont Morgan Dead

This noted financier died at Rome Monday, March 31st. He was perhaps the greatest financier of all time. At one time he is said to have controlled wealth to the amount of nine billion dollars. He had a great ambition to own or control men and money, and he gratified this desire to the greatest extent imaginable. He was born at Hartford, Connecticut, April 17, 1833, and was almost eighty years of age. M. Allen Starr, who was one of the physicians in attendance, stated that his breakdown was attributed to emotions caused by the investigation carried on by the Pujo committee into the operations of the trust. This investigation is said to have caused a similar sensation to John D. Rockefeller.

Death of W. S. Cook

W. S. Cook, one of the early settlers of this county, and widely known here, died at Happy, Texas, Thursday, March 27, 1913. Mr. Cook was for many years a stock buyer with headquarters at Wakefield, and with his family moved to Texas about five years ago, where they lived most of the time since. For a short time they lived in Colorado, but had recently returned to their Texas home. Many of the pioneers will be saddened by the news of the death of him who was once among them.

How about your subscription?

Council Proceedings

At the regular meeting of the council Monday evening the following bills were allowed and warrants issued on the proper funds: H. S. Ringland, freight, \$318.40; Sheridan Coal Co., coal, \$254.70; Ed Murrill, salary, \$90.00; Gust Newman, salary, \$60.00; John Harmer, salary, \$60.00; C. E. Conger, dray, 50c; Standard Oil Co., oil, \$14.54; G. L. Miner, salary, \$75.00; Walter Miller, salary, \$90.00; J. W. Nelson, labor, \$20.00; J. L. Gildersleeve, labor, \$3.50; J. H. Vibber, rent, \$9.00; Klopp & Bartlett Co., supplies, \$6.80; J. T. Leahy, Meter returned, \$17.00; A. E. Smith, meter returned, \$17.00; Duncan Electric Co., meters, \$68.00; G. A. Grunemeyer repairs, \$1.95; J. R. Rundell, sundries, \$19.93; Dodge Car. Iron Co., culverts, \$480.00.

An ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 48 of the city of Wayne relating to the change of city ward boundaries was then taken up for consideration and put to death by the slowest and most painful process provided for by law. If they were going to kill it, why prolong the agony. This will be a very good ordinance for the new council to resurrect before the citizens call it from the grave.

The estimate of the railroad company as to the cost of building a switch to the power plant was read. This estimate placed the total cost at \$1933.60, and the cost to the city would be \$1,504 besides the right of way.

The Last Sale Good

Last Saturday closed the regular pavilion sale season here, and the last sale was good—better than the first, but not so large as some. The Saturday sale amounted to \$3,000. The sale pavilion has proven a good thing for Wayne—and not Wayne alone, for it has made opportunity for buyer and seller to meet and deal to their mutual advantage. The sales have all been on the level and the offerings there have always been presented to a good crowd for their judgement as to the value.

Out Shooting Ducks

Harry Fisher and Frank Morgan took a little hunting trip down into the reservation the first of the week and bagged 19 ducks and 4 geese. They were a few days too late for the best of the flying season, for you cannot shoot the game that has gone by any more than you can "grind with the water that has passed."

Firemen's Dance April 9th

On the evening of April 9th the Wayne firemen will give another for their popular dances at the city hall. Tickets are but \$1.00, and the Sullivan harp orchestra will furnish the music. The invitation is to all who enjoy a social dance with good music and good order.

JONES' Book Store

Season 1913

Artistic WALL PAPER

Our line is large, complete, up-to-date and selected with idea of artistic merit and due thought to wearing qualities.





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The Paint Question will be settled when you let us open up a can of B. P. S. Paint for you.

Come In! We'll explain why we believe B. P. S. is the Best Paint Sold.

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GOOD WORK AND PRICES SATISFACTORY

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Fore Word

I want to have a frank face to face talk with you about my chick feed.

I do not claim to have any patent right on honesty, nor do I claim that I am the only one that can manufacture good chick feed. But here are a few points that are worthy of your consideration. I do not run a mill to manufacture oatmeal, nor kindred products. We do not handle wheat, kaffir corn, cracked rice, ground peas for any other purpose than for our chick feed. Consequently, we do not have any screenings, dust or dirt to get rid of by working them into chick feed, like the big mills do. When I began this department of my business the handling of it was put in the hands of the writer, with this strict injunction to make only the best. This we have steadily adhered to.

QUANTITY Will Follow QUALITY

Always, and that is just what it has done for us. Our sales in 1912 were double those of 1911, and that has been about the ratio of increase ever since we began. It is also very pleasant to state that those who have used it, will have no other. You can get it from me or any of the wideawake grocers and general stores in Wayne, Win- side and Carroll.

G. W. FORTNER Wayne Feed Mill

Phone Black 289 Wayne, Nebr.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mrs. A. M. Jacobs was a visitor at Omaha Monday.

Miss Irma James was at Carroll between trains Friday.

Mrs. H. B. Jones was a Sioux City passenger Saturday.

W. J. Geary went to Sioux City Sunday for a short visit.

Mrs. Ed Johnson returned from Sioux City Saturday morning.

Miss Gertrude Stodden was at Sioux City Monday taking depositions.

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

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Moran returned from Sioux City Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones came down from Hartington Saturday morning.

Mrs. Herman Sund and Mrs. Billmeyer were visitors at Sioux City Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lute Carter were here from Winside between trains Monday morning.

Mrs. John Gettman and Mrs. E. Elder from Carroll were visitors at Sioux City Monday.

N. W. Dayton and wife were at Norfolk Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Graves.

Mrs. Alma Liedtke and daughter, Miss Clara, were visitors at Sioux City Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Wright and daughter, Fontanelle, went to Marcel Saturday to visit relatives.

Mrs. C. A. Berry and children left Friday morning to visit relatives at Huron, South Dakota.

Saws, razors, knives and shears sharpened as they should be at the Wayne Novelty Works. adv. 2tf.

Miss Nellie Hilton came down from Whitten, S. D., Friday to visit her friend, Miss Thompson.

Miss Nellie Sackerson came down from Wakefield Monday morning to visit at the home of Mrs. Arther Gustafson.

George Buskirk of Pender was a caller last week, and placed a small advertisement of his short-horn stock in this paper.

Mesdames Chas. Madden and J. H. Foster went to Omaha Sunday to visit relatives and friends and to view the wreckage.

Ben F. Robinson formerly of Sholes, greeted a few Wayne friends Saturday while returning from the teacher's meeting at Norfolk.

John Foster was at Wakefield Saturday driving stakes for the new brick building for which Foster & Son have the contract.

At Emerson Tuesday they voted on the question of granting a franchise for an electric light plant and of city ownership of the same.

Among those who visited at Sioux City Saturday were Mesdames T. B. Heckert and A. H. Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fisher.

Miss Phoebe Liljedahl, whose home is at Red Oak, Iowa, but who is teaching at Wakefield, was here Saturday, visiting her uncle, Gust Johnson.

Our new spring and summer patterns are now on display. We trust to have the pleasure of an early call. HENRY SCHROER. — adv 6tf.

Mrs. Pryor returned home Friday evening from a week's visit with her son at Omaha. She was there at the time of the storm, but escaped unhurt.

Judge A. A. Welch and wife went to Rochester, Minnesota, Monday, where they will consult with Mayo Brothers in regard to the latter's physical condition.

Among those who recently went to VanTassel, Wyoming, were Phil Damme and his daughter, Miss Emma, the lady having taken a claim there last fall, has gone out to improve it.

The many friends of D. H. Surber, who has been confined to the house for several months, will be glad to learn that he is once more able to be out and about. He was in town Saturday.

Some of our good farmers should have some tested seed corn for sale and some will want to buy—why not let your wants be known in the Democrat column devoted to "for sale, wants, etc.?"

Jake Roush came from Burkett Monday in response to a message telling him of the sudden death of James White. While in no way related to Mr. White, they had lived and worked together so many years that he seemed like a brother, so he made the journey to pay the last homage to a friend.

John McIntyre sent a car of hogs to Sioux City Monday.

Miss Florence Welch was home from Wakefield over Sunday.

Miss Eva Mellor is spending her Easter vacation with home folks.

J. H. Clausson and son went to Omaha Monday for a short stay.

Cedar County has 1,000 more men than women living within its borders.

Miss Pauline Biegler was at Winside on business for the Herald Monday.

Conrad Jacobsen returned from a brief visit with friends in Omaha Monday.

Fred Kruger, a former Wayne resident, came down from Sioux City Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Huntmer returned Monday from Sioux City and other points in Iowa.

Miss Helen Blair returned from Tekamah Saturday evening for a brief visit with her parents.

Mrs. D. C. Main and children were at Sioux City last Saturday to see Maude Adams in "Peter Pan."

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Wallin returned to their home at Bloomfield Monday morning after a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Panabaker.

For The Most Money—Bring your cream to the home creamery at Wayne, where you can get more for it than at any centralized plant. —adv. 44.

Mrs. Elsie Littell went to Omaha Monday to visit her parents a few days while the roads were getting in better condition for driving through the county to visit the various schools.

Mrs. A. C. Dean went to Sioux City Friday, and from there went to Ashland the day following to join Mr. Dean, who went to Ashland Friday to visit his mother who is in poor health.

L. A. Kiplinger was at Sioux City Monday on legal business. He went Sunday afternoon, and accompanied his mother that far on her way to Freeport, Illinois, where she is called by the sickness of a sister.

Mrs. Mary Wallace, who has been spending the winter at the home of E. O. Gardner and wife, her daughter, left Saturday to visit at Omaha a few days, after which she will go to visit a daughter at Nebraska City.

At Creighton the six candidates for the postoffice got together last week and agreed to submit their claims to a committee, to be composed of three men named by each candidate, and they are to meet April 17th and ballot it out on that line if it takes all night.

Geo. Peters and Adam Soules each shipped a car of hogs from their farms to South Omaha Monday. They figure that this is a year when hogs have proven a good investment—the price is high and corn has been less than in some other years and the farmer who escaped cholera has made well on hogs.

Prof. M. A. Fennell, formerly Co. Supt., of Thurston county, has proved up on his claim near Rapid City, and returned to Emerson. He has taken the school that Miss Nellie Brink recently had to relinquish on account of the unruly pupils. Mr. Fennell will teach this school and bring the recalcitrants to time or know the reason why. Some kids require the "iron hand." Moral suasion won't do.

C. S. Scranton, a brother of Mrs. O. E. Graves, writing from Omaha to Mr. Graves, lays much emphasis upon the fact that the people of Omaha are many of them in sore need and that the aid sent so freely is not only needed, but that it is distributed to the best advantage, and says that Mr. Graves may assure any who contribute to the authorized authority that their donation will be placed where worst needed.

Congressman Stephens addressed the Albion commercial club last week on the occasion of their annual meeting. This club appears to be a live one, and they are wisely devoting considerable attention to road improvement. The club is a live one of 116 members, and they are entitled to credit for legislation in this state which is beneficial to places the size of Albion. They have stirred up a pride in the appearance of their city.

J. W. Overman in accepting the advantages of our anniversary offer writes from Hoskins saying that he is among the pioneer subscribers to the Democrat, and we do not doubt it, as the name appears on the oldest record we have at command. We find that the Democrat has many on the list who appear to have tied to it for life, and we are endeavoring to make a paper from which they will not wish a divorce.

Try our made-to-measure department for your next suit and get a Shackamaxen. We can save you dollars. HENRY SCHROER. — adv 6tf.

FOR SALE—At a great bargain. Must be sold before May 1st, 160 acres of good level land all broke, four miles from good town in Southeastern South Dakota. This land is as good as anything in Wayne county and you can buy it at specially reduced price. Positively must be sold before May 1st. Inquire at Leahy's Drug Store. —adv.

Mr. Heckert and wife from Missouri Valley, Iowa, returned Sunday, following a visit at the home of his brother, T. B. Heckert at this place. Mr. Heckert is an experienced hotel man and has recently sold a good business at Missouri Valley, and is now looking to locate in the business again when he finds the opportunity that suits. Wayne looks inviting to him, we are told.

Weather prophesies are not all good this year. March came in like a lion and fairly well fulfilled the other half of the saying. The groundhog had his full six weeks of sleep and two more before the weather was such as would tempt one from comfortable quarters. But it rained on Easter Sunday, and the Sunday following was dryer than the average prohibition town. Thus all signs fail us at times.

John Gustafson went to Omaha Saturday to look after his property there. He says it was not in the path of the storm, and so far as he knew had escaped any damage. From Omaha he planned to go to Excelsior Springs, Missouri, and remain a few weeks. He spent a time there last spring and was greatly benefited, and will therefore try more of the same kind of water, both internally and externally.

At Creighton, according to the Liberal, there is an element so unmanly that they will not behave themselves while at the lobby of the postoffice waiting for the distribution of the Sunday mail—yet there are six applicants for the job of postmaster at that place. Better select the biggest and strongest one and accompany his commission with a good sized elm club and have a real roughhouse or else quiet.

Henry Gardner and wife of Wayne will soon become bonafide residents of Emerson, having purchased the Mrs. McPherran residence property in South Emerson. They expect to take possession in about two weeks, says the Emerson Enterprise. Mr. and Mrs. Gardner have been residents of Wayne a number of years, and have a fine property in the southwest part of town, but they desired to live near the home of a daughter, hence the move.

James Pile returned Saturday from a visit with his mother, who was spending a week at Denver. He reports her well, and that Fred Pile is doing nicely in Utah. On his way he visited Sioux City, Omaha and Lincoln. He landed at Omaha Sunday evening just ahead of the cyclone, and spent that night and Monday in the stricken district and can tell of many of the wonderful freaks of the storm's fury. No one who does not see it can form an idea of the extent of the wreck. He reports that Denver is very quiet.

George Hopp received a letter from his brother who now stays at Syracuse where he lived before the storm of last week Sunday, saying that the cyclone struck them or their place. They ran to the cave and were safe but when they looked out after the storm had passed every one of his farm buildings were destroyed. His horses were left standing on the floor of the barn, but the rest of the barn was taken. Some of his cattle were killed, and their bodies were found nearly half a mile away. One of his neighbors were killed.

The Cedar County News is asking an investigation of county affairs, especially in relation to the bridge fund, and the prices paid for bridges. The editor thinks that the county board has been buncoed or the taxpayer robbed, and he calls upon the people to demand an investigation, thinking that money may be recovered for excessive charges. One county in Kansas received judgment for \$40,000 that had been stolen from the taxpayers by bridge concern. Things have been run with too loose a line in this state in many counties. Two weeks ago the Democrat printed a comparison of the prices paid in several different counties of the state, and they showed that some counties are charged fully twice as much as others for what appears to be the same class of work. The bridge combine should not be allowed to kill the Smith bridge bill.

Young Man!

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Community Interest. The Proper Solution of the So-Called Country School Problem.

A. G. Meating in Hoard's Dairyman
During the last few years there has been considerable agitation over the status of the rural school. Remarks like the following are common: "It is common knowledge that the rural school has not kept pace with modern progress. In the early times a community interest centered about the country school, and teachers were better prepared for teaching in the country school than they have been in recent years."

At the risk of being considered retrogressive, I wish to challenge the correctness of the greater portion of this quotation. I admit that the country school has not made progress commensurate with its city rival, and that it does not fully serve its patrons. I refuse to admit that country school teachers are less earnest; that they are not as well prepared for teaching as the teachers of an earlier day; that they do not reflect the life of the community. Why, then, is there so much criticism?

—The High Schools at Fault
First. What is the source of most of the criticism? Not the people in the rural communities. If they do not have schools that satisfy them, they have the same recourse that city communities have. Let them pay higher salaries to their teachers, and get teachers who will earn the salaries that they ought to pay. This criticism comes largely from high school sources.

That the high school is not a sure criterion of the value of the country school's work is evidenced in part by the fact that the high school is open to the same criticism on the part of the people it is supposed to serve. In the city, we hear that the high school graduate is incapable of entering the business world because he lacks in practical ability; that he cannot spell correctly, or figure rapidly and accurately; and that he does not write a legible hand. The high school, then, will do well to clean its own dooryard before it challenges too openly the efficiency of other institutions.

High school authorities say that rural school pupils come to them poorly prepared. Eighty per cent of my teachers are high school

graduates. Ten per cent have had two or more years' work in the high school. Whom shall we blame if the pupils taught by these high school teachers are deficient?

My arraignment is:
1. That the high school does not thoroughly teach the pupils enrolled there.
2. That the high school pupils are not taught to think. Their work is too much in the nature of digesting text-books from a memoriter standpoint without getting down to underlying principles.
3. That the high school does not teach pupils to appreciate the relation of school work to life.

These premises are based on extensive observation covering a period of more than ten years. Since the high schools furnish better than eighty per cent of my teachers, how can these teachers, with such deficiency in practical training, make their work in the country school reflect its environments?

The Remedy is Plain
They say that "chickens come home to roost." The whole country school problem comes right back to the people who support it. There is a lack of appreciation in rural communities of the work that a school should do. Few school patrons ever visit the rural school. Very few ever give the school any thought. The hiring of the teacher is too often a bargain that the school board drives with competitive applicants. The school is given to the lowest bidder. Of course this is not always the case. If it were, the situation would be hopeless. We have the solution of the rural school problem right here—except in the real small school. The real small school is too small for the teacher to develop any enthusiasm on the part of the pupils. Competition in class work is absent, and so the work of the school lags. In the average school, however, the remedy is clear.

The school patrons must take an active interest in the school. They must visit the school, send their children to school regularly; inquire into the work of the school; lend the teacher their assistance to show the pupils that the work of the school is worth while; in short they must realize that the school-room is an adjunct of the home, and that they must follow the children to school to see that they are giving their time and energy to useful pursuits, and that the teacher is trying to emphasize those things that it is essential their children should know well.

The school board must hire teachers who are mature enough to teach school understandingly. There is no place for bargaining in the hiring of a teacher. Pay wages that will get a real teacher, and then see that a real teacher is hired.

Home and School Should be Related
There must be a closer relation between the work of the school and the life of the pupils at home. Pupils must be shown that they are being taught, not to commit to memory various text books merely, but to get text book facts so that they may know how to apply the principles therein to the business of living. The school, then, should take concrete problems occurring in the daily business life of the farm, and make the pupils conversant with them.

Whenever you find a school district that is applying these principles, there is no one who can successfully attack the efficiency of that school. We have enough schools of this class so that I am positive that this will do away with the so-called rural school problem. The solution of the rural school problem is the application of a little business common sense to the machinery of the school, and as soon as the rural community realizes this and devotes the same measure of attentive oversight to its school that the individual farmer gives to the development of his own farm business, just so soon shall we keep pace with the modern progress of the rural community.

Advertising Brings Results
If it is results that you want, it pays to advertise. The bachelors of the Rosebud country advertised for wives, and unless they establish the plural marriage in that country they cannot take the entire offering. But if it works well to advertise one way why not another? So the bachelors are now said to be advertising to dispose of their surplus. They have a "waiting list" of 150, of many different nationalities, and varied accomplishments. We mildly suggest that an advertisement in the Democrat will reach a number of men in this place who are old enough to have and appreciate a loving wife, they are scattered all the way down from college hill to the city limits on the south.

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The Administration Policy on Chinese Loan

The following is the text of President Wilson's statement concerning the administration's policy on the Chinese loan as concurred in by the members of the cabinet: "We are informed that at the request of the last administration a certain group of American bankers undertook to participate in the loan now desired by the government of China (approximately \$125,000,000). Our government wished American bankers to participate along with the bankers of other nations, because it desired that the good will of the United States towards China would be exhibited in this practical way, that American capital should have access to that great country and that the United States should be in a position to share with the other powers any political responsibilities that might be associated with the development of the foreign relations of China in connection with her industrial and commercial enterprises."

"The present administration has been asked by this group of bankers whether it would also request them to participate in the loan. Representatives of the bankers through whom the administration was approached declared that they would loan under the proposed agreements only if expressly requested to do so by the government."

"The administration has declined to make such request, because it did not approve the conditions of the loan or the implications of responsibility on its own part which it was plainly told would be involved in the request. "The conditions of the loan seem to us to touch very nearly the administrative independence of China itself, and this administration does not feel that it ought even by implication be a party to those conditions. The responsibility on its part which would be implied in requesting the bankers to undertake the loan might conceivably go to the length in some unhappy contingency of forcible interference in the financial and even the political affairs of that great oriental state, just now awakening to a consciousness of its power and its obligations to the people. The conditions include not only the pledging of particular taxes, some of them antiquated and burdensome, to secure the loan but also the administration of those taxes by foreign agents. The responsibility on the part of our government implied in the encouragement of a loan thus secured and administered is plain enough and is obnoxious to the principles upon which the government of our people rests."

An Epoch-Making Decision
Elsewhere will be found President Wilson's decision in the matter of the six power loan. The president has reached the only conclusion that a democratic president could reach. President Taft and Secretary Knox acted in good faith in asking a New York syndicate of bankers to join with similar syndicates in five other countries to finance a Chinese loan but they looked at the matter from their standpoint, which is essentially different from the democratic standpoint. The conditions upon which the six power loan was to be made would be entirely in keeping with the principles upon which the republican party has administered affairs at home, but a democratic president, committed to the program which President Wilson has outlined, looks at the entire situation from a different standpoint, and it is well that the announcement of the president's position came at the beginning of his administration. It clears the air and gives our financiers at home and the borrowing nations abroad notice of the change that has taken place in the government at Washington.

This administration will encourage the extension of trade but it will be an extension open to every legitimate trader—not trade limited or restricted to a few. Other nations, too, will understand that the United States does not propose interference with foreign governments or the independence of nations when it encourages American capital to invest abroad. (China will breathe easier as she recognizes the friendliness of our country and measures the force of the example which our nation sets. President Wilson could have done nothing better calculated to promote American commerce—nothing better calculated to promote peace and friendship between our nation and the nations whose resources await development.—Com-moner.

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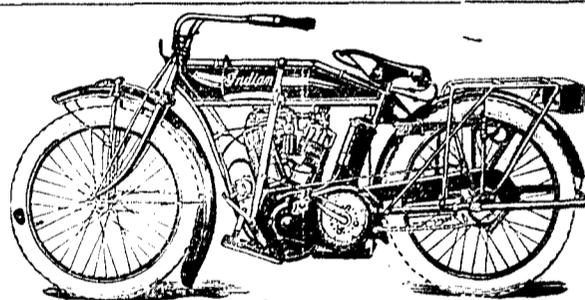
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WAYNE MARKET REPORT

Following are the market prices quoted us up to the time of going to press, Thursday: Oats .25c Corn (new) .39c Barley .40c Spring wheat .76c Wheat .74c Eggs .18c Butter .25c Hogs .8.50 Fat Cattle . \$5.50 @ \$8.50

One indication of the political revolution that is moving the people of the United States away from the things they once adhered to is in evidence in Iowa, where those who vote at the primary must name their party, and if they desire to change their party affiliation, they must record the change of heart with the county auditor—else they will have to make the change under oath to the judges of election at the primary election.

Woman suffrage has scored in Iowa. It has passed the legislature and received the signature of the governor. It must pass another legislature and then be ratified at the polls to be completed. The tendency of the times is to abolish everything that seems to be exclusive to men. It is said that the next move will be to change the "amen" with which prayers are usually ended to "awomen."

Norfolk Democratic

Norfolk April 2.—Dr. C. J. Verges, present democratic councilman from the First ward, was elected mayor of Norfolk over W. H. Blakeman, the republican nominee, by a majority of 459 votes at Tuesday's municipal election.

Hoskins Town Election

Tuesday was election day, and there were no lives lost nor any free-for-all fights during the voting hours. There were 49 votes cast all told, but we could not learn how many were Bull Moose's, Republicans or Democrats.

What About Baseball?

With the approach of the ball season the fever begins to rise, and a restlessness is disturbing the fans. The Sunday ball question will have to be settled. Then the people will know where they are at.

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State Normal Notes

Miss Gertrude M. Kayl of Ponca enrolled for work Monday morning.

Dean Hahn will address a meeting of the Platte county teachers at Humphrey next Saturday afternoon.

Miss Thersa Burns is just closing a successful term of school near Lyons, Nebraska.

Among the new subjects provided for in the second half of the semester is a class in mental arithmetic.

Superintendent C. F. Lehr of Pender spent Wednesday at the Normal visiting his son and inspecting the work of the school.

Hon. J. R. Gettys, member of the board of education of state normal schools, visited the normal between trains last Friday, coming to Wayne from Norfolk where he addressed the teachers' association.

The Alumni association is preparing to give an entertainment at the opera house in Wayne some time in the near future. "Strongheart" a thrilling, college drama, will be presented under the direction of Miss McBeth.

Superintendent A. H. Waterhouse of Fremont, secretary of the board of examiners for state certificates, was a visitor Wednesday and met the members of the various classes who are applying for state certificates.

A class in bookkeeping has been organized for the last nine weeks of the semester. It will offer an opportunity for work in this subject to those who are preparing to pass the examination in second grade certificate subjects.

The Crescent literary society has accepted an invitation from Wausa Nebraska to give the play, "Highly at Harvard" on the evening of Friday, April 4. This play was put on in the Normal chapel several days ago and it was greatly appreciated by those in attendance.

Mr. Arthur E. Hughes, a student of the school last year and now principal of schools at Inman, Nebraska, has been re-elected for the ensuing year at a substantial increase of salary. Mr. Hughes may decide to return to Wayne and continue his work at the Normal.

Nothing definite has been done during the past week in the matter of normal school appropriations. A bill carrying three-fourths of a mill levy passed the House and was amended in the Senate to read a full mill on the assessment roll of the state. The House failed to concur in the amendment to the bill and final action now rests with a conference committee.

German Lutheran Church

Rev. Rudolph Moehring, Pastor. There will be no preaching services next Sunday as the pastor will go to Winside.

School Notes

Sara Graves and George Macklin entered the second grade this week.

A number of out-of-town teachers visited the Wayne schools last Thursday enroute to Norfolk to attend the Teacher's Association.

Hays Main of the high school won first place in the oratorical class of the Declamatory contest held at Norfolk last week. Hays is now entitled to enter the state contest.

Track work has begun and from the interest shown by the boys a good team is promised.

The weather is getting too warm for much indoor exercise so the grade pupils are having their games on the school grounds west of the building.

Miss Jones, a representative of the Palmer penmanship people, spent Monday and Tuesday in the Wayne school assisting the teachers and instructing them in the Palmer method. The teachers are enthusiastic and though results have been very gratifying this year, Miss Jones' visit will undoubtedly prove very helpful and even better results may now be expected.

READ THIS

The Art and Industrial Exhibit which Wayne schools had at Norfolk last week, will be on exhibition at C. A. Berry's store next Saturday, April 5th. It is hoped that the patrons of the schools and the general public will avail themselves of the opportunity to see this little exhibit which is representative of the work done in the schools in these lines.

It is exceedingly kind of Mr. Berry to give the space in his store for this exhibit and he merits and has the thanks of the schools and the pupils for his kindness.

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COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS

Wayne, Neb., April 1, 1913. Board met as per adjournment. All members present.

The following claims were audited and allowed and warrants ordered drawn: Forrest L. Hughes, costs in case state vs. Howard Neary \$ 12.40 Forrest L. Hughes, issuing venire for jurors 50 C. E. Shaw, costs in case state vs. Willie Koepke 15.90 Forrest L. Hughes, making certified list of jurors 1.50 Forrest L. Hughes, issuing bar docket 9.50 Nebraska Democrat, printing . . . 96.09 Nebraska Democrat, printing . . . 8.25 Wayne Herald, county assessor's supplies and printing 109.54 Wayne Herald, printing 70.64 Wayne Herald, county assessor's supplies \$24.50 and supplies for county treasurer \$7.50, total . . . 82.00 A. G. Grunemeyer, plumbing 2.50 A. H. Carter, one-third county assessor's salary 200.00 Wayne Herald, printing 12.84 State Journal Co., supplies 24.45 Hammond & Stephens Co., supplies for county superintendent . . . 4.27 University Publishing Co., supplies for county superintendent 5.00 State Journal Co., supplies for county clerk 8.25 Klopp & Bartlett Co., supplies for county superintendent 5.00 Klopp & Bartlett Co., supplies for county superintendent 6.00 Klopp & Bartlett Co., supplies for county superintendent 24.00 Fred Ellis, hauling coal 11.60 Forrest L. Hughes, issuing statement of jury fees 12.75 Forrest L. Hughes, costs in case state vs. Simon Goemann 28.00 Forrest L. Hughes, costs in case state vs. Clifton Neary 38.70 Forrest L. Hughes, costs in case Behmer vs. Huebner et al 9.50 Forrest L. Hughes, costs in case Behmer vs. Strate et al 5.00 Forrest L. Hughes, making trial docket for 1912 terms of court . . . 30.75 Forrest L. Hughes, cash advanced for supplies and report to state board of health 3.25 Forrest L. Hughes, issuing statement of jurors' service 26.00 Forrest L. Hughes, costs in case Schuerich vs. Strate et al 5.00 George S. Farran, commissioner's services 103.50 Henry Rethwisch, commissioner's services 87.00 Eph Anderson, commissioner's services 56.00 Dr. F. C. Zoll, professional visit to Mrs. Goemann on order of court 2.00 George T. Porter, board and jailor's fees 2.00 Charles W. Reynolds, salary for February 137.50 Charles W. Reynolds, postage and telegram for February 5.09 Bert Brown, court bailiff 14.00 Klopp & Bartlett Co., supplies for county clerk 7.00 George T. Porter, salary from January 8 to February 8 100.00 Forrest L. Hughes, court attendance for January, February and March 26.00 Charles A. Riese, court bailiff . . . 12.00 Gaertner & Beckenhauer, supplies for county superintendent and district judge 7.25 W. P. Agler, first quarter rent of poor farm and eight weeks' board of pauper 74.50 J. J. Williams, viewing dead body of H. Simpson 5.50 Furchner-Wendte, supplies for janitor 1.30 Mrs. L. E. Panabaker, meals for jurors 40.95 Klopp & Bartlett Co., prepaid express for superintendent's supplies49 State Journal Co., supplies for county clerk \$19.75, for clerk of district court \$6, for county judge \$5.70, total 31.45 Klopp & Bartlett Co., supplies for county superintendent 31.00 Charles W. Reynolds, salary for March 137.50 Klopp & Bartlett Co., prepaid express for superintendent's supplies57 Klopp & Bartlett Co., prepaid express for county superintendent's supplies23 City of Wayne, lights for March . . . 17.98 James Baker, registrar of births and deaths 1.75 Elsie Littell, salary, postage, express and drayage for January . . . 115.64 Forrest L. Hughes, salary for quarter 100.00 A. R. Davis, livery hire, inspecting county line road 5.50 W. P. Agler, four weeks' board of pauper 16.00 E. W. Cullen, six scrapers 136.50 Christen Hansen, refund of tax 3.33 P. H. Benschhof, registrar of births and deaths 10.75 Charles W. Reynolds, salary for January 137.50 Charles W. Reynolds, postage and

express for January 6.37 John L. Soules, board and care of James Sneath for March 20.00 James Britton, express and postage 1.80 Forrest L. Hughes, postage and cash advanced for supplies 4.40 J. E. Harmon, salary for March . . . 50.00 Nebraska Telephone Co., February tolls, April rent 16.55 C. Templin, registrar of births and deaths 1.50 Charles W. Reynolds, postage for March 6.75 Orr & Morris, supplies for Mrs. Sparks 25.45 L. A. Kiplinger, first quarter salary as county attorney 200.00 Klopp & Bartlett Co., supplies for county judge 2.13 Walter Gaebler, registrar of births and deaths 2.50 Elsie Littell, salary, postage, express and freight for March 118.83 Klopp & Bartlett Co., voting booths 25.00 Elsie Littell, salary, postage, express and drayage for February 119.13 School district No. 73, rent of building for primaries and elections of 1911 and 1912 12.00 School district No. 20, rent of building for primary and election 1913 6.00 Klopp & Bartlett Co., metal furniture for clerk of district court 395.00 Furchner, Wendte & Co., supplies for janitor 2.80 J. J. Melick & Son, hardware 12.55 Nebraska Culvert and Manufacturing Co., corrugated culverts . . 747.70 A. G. Grunemeyer, plumbing 13.40 Bruce & Co., hardware 17.60 William Splittgerber, road and grader work 8.75 Chauncey Kinney, road work 4.00 Chauncey Kinney, grader work 6.00 Ed Jones, road work 3.50 John Heyer, road work 10.50 E. Harrigfeldt, grader work 17.50 August Lohberg, road work 18.00 Evan Jones, road work 7.00 G. Henry Albers, road work 7.00 Robert Werk, blacksmithing, claimed \$7, allowed at 5.00 C. A. Chace & Co., lumber 10.35 C. A. Chace & Co., lumber 583.35 Childs & Johnson, lumber 180.10 Bowman Krantz Lumber Co., lumber 385.81 Edwards & Bradford Lumber Co., lumber and hardware 15.15 Bowman-Krantz Lumber Co., lumber 140.75 L. C. & O. A. Mittelstadt, lumber 424.75 Edwards & Bradford Lumber Co., lumber 6.40 Carhart Lumber Co., lumber 11.43 Carhart Lumber Co., lumber 162.29 Carhart Lumber Co., lumber 32.45 Haley & Trow, lumber, claimed \$18.65, allowed at 17.13 J. J. Melick & Son, lumber and hardware, claimed \$173.55, allowed 156.64 Costs in case state vs. Simon Goemann: James Britton, county judge's costs 6.90 G. S. Mears, sheriff's costs 2.10 J. L. Soules, constable's costs 1.85 Hannah Goemann, witness 1.00 Mabel Goemann, witness 1.00 Peter Henkle, witness 1.00 George Hoffman, witness 1.10 Costs in case state vs. Roy Neary: Forrest L. Hughes, clerk's costs 35.70 George T. Porter, sheriff's costs 10.65 Henry Wesselschmidt, witness mileage 3.70 Henry Muhs, witness and mileage 3.60 Peter Reeg, witness and mileage 3.00 SEE OTHER GAL Paul Gehrke, witness and mileage 3.30 Herman Westerhaus, witness and mileage 3.00 Joe Cadwallader, witness and mileage 3.00 William Kruger, witness and mileage 3.30 Frank Danberg, witness and mileage 3.20 Al Martin, witness and mileage 3.20 Hiram Wilson, witness and mileage 5.30 Costs in case of James Lyman Miller, inebriate: Dr. J. J. Williams, examination and commissioner 8.00 A. R. Davis, commissioner 3.00 Forrest L. Hughes, clerk's costs 6.00 George T. Porter, sheriff's costs 3.20 Costs in case state vs. Earl Munson: James Britton, county judge's costs 2.80 George T. Porter, sheriff's costs 1.00 Costs in case state vs. Fred Wrobel: James Britton, county judge's costs 5.25 George T. Porter, sheriff's costs 4.40 Claude Forney, witness 1.40 Delia Wrobel, witness 1.40 Costs in case state vs. Sam Miller and George Gheuther: James Britton, county judge's costs 2.40

We Have All the Goods You Need for Housecleaning Time April is the month which strikes terror to the hearts of mere man. Brooms and Dustcloths are more in evidence than ever before and the homelike comfort is sadly upset for awhile. We want the women to remember that we carry a full line of housecleaning implements and accessories. Special For Saturday 10 QT. AND 12 QT. GALVANIZED PAILS. 10c Wayne Variety Store.. The Store of a 1000 Bargains

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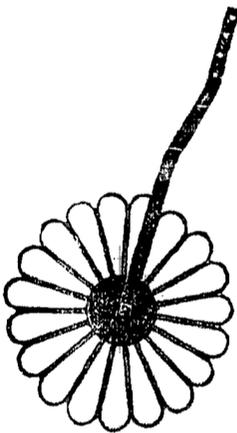


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MORE CORN PER ACRE.

We illustrate herewith a revolving fender such as were used by several hundred of Iowa's best farmers last year. These men claim it to be a great time saving device. The fender works so perfectly that the manufacturers guarantee that when properly adjusted to a plow a man or boy can plow as much corn in a day the first time over, and do perfect work, as he can the last time, thus saving time. The benefit is not alone in time saved, but in superior work done as well, for with the open wheel continually revolving the fine



soil is sifted through the wheel and around the corn, thus covering all weeds and grass between the hills and in the hills.

The fender is well constructed and will outwear any plow to which it is attached. It is adapted to two row plows, either surface or shovel, as well as all other styles of plows.

In the vicinity of Truro, Iowa, where so much thoroughbred corn is raised, the farmers have discarded all other styles of fender for this revolving fender.

The manufacturers have arranged to manufacture about 60,000 pairs this year, but even at this early date the sales would indicate that they would not be able to supply the heavy demand. They will largely limit their sales this year to Iowa, and in view of the fact that there are over 600,000 plows in use in Iowa, only one in ten will be able to get them this year, and the man who is able to secure a pair may consider himself favored.—Winterset News.

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Among The Churches of Wayne

Methodist Church

Rev. Wm. Gorst, Pastor

Next Sunday morning the pastor will preach his last sermon before removing to the West. In the evening there will be a Union service whose program will be prepared and carried out by others.

Superintendent Hosman is in correspondence with several students at Garrette Biblical Institute and he will be able to supply the church with a pastor, in a very short time, no doubt. Mr. Hosman will conduct the services himself both morning and evening on Sunday, April 13.

It will be a fine chance for the people to further make the acquaintance of their district superintendent.

The April meeting of the little Light Bearers and King's Herald's will be held Sunday, April 6 at four o'clock in the afternoon in the League room. Let the children come.

Baptist Church

Rev. B. P. Richardson, Pastor

Sunday will be our Communion service. We are planning to have a unique service on Sunday, a service without a sermon. It will be a communion service throughout. Those whose letters have been received the past month, and those who have been baptized lately will receive the hand of the church fellowship at this time.

A new Sunday school class was created last Sunday. A class for young married women. We expect to have a strong class out of this beginning. We believe it meets a real need. It is for those who have felt out of place in some of the other classes. Let us make the class what it should be.

At the missionary meeting last Friday they re-elected Mrs. Mary Norton, president, also Mrs. M. T. Munsinger as secretary and treasurer. We are sure these ladies will lead the society in a good year's work.

The young people's lesson Sunday will be a study of the Ideal Christian.

Instead of our regular evening service, we will join with the Presbyterian church in a farewell service for Dr. Gorst at the Methodist church. We deeply feel the going of Brother Gorst, for he has been a strong power and a wise leader in religious life of Wayne. We hope his retirement will only be a temporary arrangement. Let all of our people attend the farewell service.

As Sunday is the first Sunday of April, it is the time when the evening service begins half an hour later. Preaching service and prayer meeting at 8 o'clock.

We are glad to welcome any stranger or visitor.

Presbyterian Church

Rev. Alexander Corkey, Pastor

"Members One of Another" will be the subject of the sermon at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath morning. This will be the first in a special series of sermons on the Church which will be given during the morning services in April. In the evening the congregation will unite in the farewell services to Rev. William Gorst at the M. E. church.

The morning service begins at 10:30, followed by the Sunday school at 12 o'clock. In the evening the C. E. meets at 6:30.

Mr. W. A. K. Neely has been chosen by the session of the church as the representative at the Presbytery of Nebraska which meets on April 15th at Randolph.

March 31st is the close of the church year and the annual reports have been sent in to the head officers of the church. These reports show a very prosperous year, in some respects the best year the congregation has ever had. The total list of the active membership is 250, and the Sunday school enrollment is 205. The gifts to benevolences this past year were exceptionally large, including one individual thanksoffering of \$100. The condition of the local church represents the average church of the denomination in America as the past few years have witnessed a revival of religion which has been general among the Presbyterians resulting in accessions to membership and increased gifts to missions and benevolences.

President Conn made a telling address at the morning service last Sunday on the necessity of the "dry" policy in Wayne if the State Normal school was to be given a square deal in Wayne.

His remarks were listened to with approbation by the congregation, practically all of whom agreed with the speaker that his arguments were unanswerable.

Mr. F. H. Jones was re-elected teacher of the Brotherhood Bible Class for another quarter at the weekly meeting last Sunday.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

(Rev. J. Kuhn, Pastor.)

Miss Ada Stambaugh entertained the Ladies' Aid society Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Mary Swanson. It was largely attended and a pleasant meeting.

The Sunday school has made a fine record for the first quarter. There were twenty eight persons who have not missed during the entire quarter. These have earned and received the bronze button offered in the "Crossed Crown" system. Efforts are being made to increase the attendance and interest in the Sunday school work.

Last Sunday the pastor preached a very interesting sermon on the Sunday school. The text was Dent. 31: 21-3. Here is a description of a model Sunday school. This is God's plan for the study of the propagation of the truth. This is better than the plan now followed. The one now followed is traced to that of Robert Raikes, 130 years ago. But the Raikes school was for the benefit of the children having no religious training at home. Christian parents were expected to train their own children. Since the beginning of the modern Sunday school parental training has been sadly neglected and from about five hours of Bible teaching in the Sunday school we now have less than one hour. There is an improvement, however, in these days. Formerly it was considered a children's school, but now it is for all the people. And so we have the home, adult, youth, intermediate, primary and cradle roll departments. This forms a model school, and is God's plan as seen in the text and the great commission of Christ.

Our services for next Sunday are as follows: Sunday school at 10 a. m. and preaching services at 11 a. m. Let all of our members and friends endeavor to begin with the Sunday school and remain throughout the preaching services.

The next meeting of the Ladies' Aid society will be held at the home of Mrs. John Gustafson.

In The Honeymoon

Savoyard in Duluth Herald

Washington, March 29.—Special to The Herald.—Well, we've got a new administration to take in keeping the political affairs of this great people. It is a popular administration as were all that preceded it—in the honeymoon, though there were gradations of that public applause. I have seen a good many presidential successions in this town, and this is the one from whom most is devoutly hoped and confidently expected by those who have eyes to see and hearts to feel. Woodrow Wilson has been chosen to the biggest job of political reform that ever came to man.

This town is full of men who desire that Wilson shall fail, some of them alleged Democrats, with the bar-sinister writ all over their brazen brows and deceit loquacious on their lying tongues. Will he fail? Not unless the country fails him.

There never was such a cabinet, and it was chosen by the best judge of men this country has known since Abraham Lincoln. He asks "team work" from it, and, now listen, he's going to get it. Then and in that event the country will be recreant if it does not come to his support regardless of party, panic or no panic. You have seen no panic yet, and that, too, despite the fact that panics are ready-made while you wait—in this glorious country of ours. Even discounting the tall lying that was done to "explain" the acquisition of the Tennessee Coal & Iron company by the Steel trust, we know that a panic can be set on foot in this country whenever the political exigencies demand it and the monopoly interests require it. Let 'em dare do it.

William Jennings Bryan is the particular member of the administration 'gainst whom the knaves direct most of their malicious mendacity. They said he wouldn't allow Wilson to make the cabinet. They said that he intended "to be everyman himself and depopulate the city." And now they say, since the event has exploded that lie, that Mr. Bryan will not allow congress to make the tariff bill. For one as a Democrat, sans peur et sans reproche, I devoutly wish—I would exult in the fact—that the principles of tariff taxation as understood by Mr. Bryan might be writ large in the new laws. It is too much to hope for, but it will come before the world is much older—taxation for public purposes only.

Even the Washington Star, that has some pretensions to respectability, standpat though it be, is pointing about President Wilson's "ingratitude" to Jim Smith. Madame de Pompadour would not allow Louis XV to grant a license to print a French version of Fielding's "Tom Jones." There is a prosperous lie—that Wilson discovered in-

gratitude in his conduct toward Smith.

What are the facts? In 1910 Smith needed Wilson; Wilson did not need Smith. Wilson was nominated for governor because he was the one Democrat whose nomination was equivalent to election. This here Smith had taken the senatorship from Lon Abbott some twenty years earlier, and he had proved an ingrate to the Democratic party by helping Arthur P. Gorman cram the Wilson tariff with party perfidy and party dishonor.

But allow that Wilson was ungrateful to Smith—allow that for the mendacity of it—he had to be ungrateful to the boss or false to the people, who elected him governor and trusted him to reform the public service. Now, the fact is that Woodrow Wilson would have been nominated and elected governor if Jim Smith long before had been gathered to his fathers. He would have been nominated and elected governor if Jim Smith had actively opposed him both for the nomination and the election. That is the truth of the case, and all the truth of it.

That thing has been fought to a frazzle in New Jersey more than once. The Democratic party considered and decided it at Baltimore. Had there been no Jim Smith opposition to Wilson, then and there, it is possible Wilson had not been nominated for president. The Democratic party has tried this case repeatedly in New Jersey and in the nation. So have the whole people, and it is as silly as it is impudent for Wilson's enemies to ask for a new trial. The case of Harvey of Harper's Weekly is just as weak as Jim Smith's. No doubt Mr. Harvey is a very excellent man. They claim that he made Wilson. Suppose he did? It was a devilish good job. Let him set about it and make another half as fine a man and the world will call him blessed.

As I say—the administration is new and the world is in love with it. We have a captain we can follow. The cabinet looks as though it is a team to pull together.

Let the country rally to the support. It must be so, and the Democrat who pouts, or who betrays, will live to regret it.

When I began this, it was my intention to write a chapter on Bryan. I shall reserve it for another whack.

About Bridges

Two weeks ago the Democrat quoted some figures at which bridge contracts were let in several counties of the state and also figures from the contracts from this county. The commissioners of this county discussed the questions slightly with the Democrat man when here Tuesday, wondering from what company Gage and Otoe counties received their very low bids. This we were unable to answer. With the members of the board the figures were gone over on a 16-foot wooden superstructure taking the amount of lumber per running foot at the car lot price, and it figured out that the bids this year for Wayne county of \$3.65 per foot is nearly a dollar cheaper than the county could do the work and furnish material, and with the counties named above the commissioners were of the opinion that if the company having the contracts in Gage and Otoe counties at \$2.45 and \$2.50 per foot buy any bridges of that class the company building same will do the work at a heavy loss.

The chairman of the board thinks that Wayne county has a good contract on wooden bridges, but admitted that they had no means of knowing whether they had a good contract on steel bridges, except that the other counties in this part of state are taxed about the same. The board here demands a bridge of good weight. Concrete they think, is cheapest for the county.

Real Estate Transfers

For the week ending March 31, 1913, as reported by I. W. Alter, bonded abstractor, Wayne, Nebr.

Wm. Aviszus to Henry Thielholdt, s & n w 17-25-2, \$7300.

G. G. Haller to Ella M. Haller, n & s e 1 and n e 1 31-26-3, \$1.

Henry Thielholdt to Gilbert E. French, s 1/2 n w 17-25-2, \$8500.

I. E. Ellis to C. W. Duncan, lot 4 and e 1/2 lot 5, blk 2, S & S add to Wayne, \$1400.

James O'Connor to John J. O'Connor, s e 1/2 21-27-2, \$16500.

Michael Leahy to James T. Leahy et al, w 1/2 lots 7, 8, 9, blk 7, north add to Wayne, \$1.

James T. Leahy et al to Emil Hansen, w 1/2 lots 7, 8, 9, blk 7, north add to Wayne, \$2000.

NOTICE

Having sold our hardware stock to Wm. A. Hiscox we kindly request all those knowing themselves to be indebted to us to call and settle their account at once, which will be found at the State Bank of Wayne. Voegt's Hardware.

Our Spring Coats

Are going so well that we have wired the manufacturer for a new supply to be on sale Saturday. These will include some larger sizes in the light colors that are so popular. See us for Coats and Suits

NEXT SATURDAY

Our Ready To Wear Dresses are creating favorable comments. They are well made, have style and fit, at less than cost to make. We can please you with wash dresses

Separate Skirts are a necessity in every wardrobe. We have just opened up a new lot of the celebrated Sheuerman Bros. "Sheep to Shape" skirts. These are man tailored, sponged and shrunk, warranted all wool, and they have the style. "We Can Please You With Skirts."

Oxfords, Pumps and Slippers in all the late late styles and leathers. Stocks complete. Get fitted here.

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Phenomenal Values for Saturday

1 Large Can Hawaiian Sliced Pineapple.....23c
You will have to pay 30c a can at other stores.

1 Gallon Pail Corn Syrup.....37c
You have paid 45 and 50 cents all winter for this same goods.

1 Can Full Weight 3 lb. Best Tomatoes.....15c
Other stores ask 20c a can for same goods.

1 pkg. Arm & Hammer Soda.....07c
The ruling price is 10c a package, you better pick up this snap.

1 pkg. Dried Raspberries.....20c
Other stores ask you 30 and 35 cents a package. You had better get busy and pick up some of these bargains Saturday.

New, Fresh, Yellow, Red and White Onion sets at 10c a quart or three quarts for 25c.

Our Bakery Foods are the purest and finest that ever came out of the oven. The "Tip-Top" loaf is selling more every day and the "Special" Health Bread cannot be beat; each loaf is full 1 and 2 pound net weight. Will have a larger stock of those Large Cream Puffs Saturday so we can fill all orders. If you want something fine eating buy the Advo Bakery Foods.

Fresh Vegetables and Strawberries will arrive daily from this week on.

MR. FARMER, I will pay you more for Butter and Eggs than you are getting.

The Advo Grocery

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Old Papers for Sale at the Democrat office

NEBRASKA NEWS

RECONSTRUCTING OMAHA

Out of the Recent Cyclone Will Come a New Metropolis.

Omaha, April 1.—Order and system is rapidly being developed out of the chaos which followed the tornado which struck the residence section of Omaha Easter Sunday. Never in the history of great catastrophes has such system been developed in such a short time.

Contributions from all cities in the state are being gratefully received and are being distributed where they will do the utmost good. The permanent restoration of the city will be taken up in detail by a committee composed of W. H. Buckholz, Casper Vest, John L. Kennedy, Harry Tukey and other members of the Commercial club.

Omaha is making a grand effort to handle the situation. Her business men have rallied to the city and have given of their time and money. Plans are being made for the restoration and rehabilitation of the district. A company will be formed which will finance all cases where assistance is needed and in less than six months the entire tornado district will be replaced by better homes than those which featured the district. The path was about four blocks wide and four miles long and over 1,700 homes were either entirely destroyed or badly wrecked.

The known dead now total 127 in Omaha and immediate suburbs. The injured number 492.

Especially gratifying has been the tenders of assistance from the various towns and cities of the state. The generous attitude of the people of Nebraska has been the subject of many complimentary resolutions by the citizens' relief committee, composed of C. C. Rosewater, E. F. Denison, John J. Ryder, J. M. Gault, T. J. Mahoney, Dan B. Butler, Father John Williams and Thomas Byrne. This committee has absolute charge of all details and has evolved a wonderful system.

SOIL IN GOOD CONDITION

Burlington Man Sees Banner Year for Nebraska Farmers.

Omaha, April 2.—During the latter part of March, W. W. Johnson, assistant general freight agent of the Burlington, sent letters to all of the company agents in Nebraska and Kansas, asking them to report on the condition of the soil and the prospects for the winter wheat crop.

Replies to the letters sent by Mr. Johnson are coming in and all of them are most optimistic. Everywhere the agents report the ground in perfect condition, with an abundance of moisture. There is nothing to indicate that the wheat in any locality was damaged by the weather of last winter.

In speaking of the situation, Mr. Johnson said: "During my thirty or more years' residence in Nebraska there never has been a spring when prospects looked so bright for a wheat crop as now. The acreage is unusually large and the fields begin to take on a bright green color. Everywhere the farmers are busy. They have not commenced plowing for corn, but all of them through this state and Kansas are right in the midst of sowing oats and barley and it looks as though the area of cultivated land would be larger than ever before.

"In many localities farmers have commenced breaking their uncultivated land, which later on they will sow to flax or plant to sod corn."

Woman Jumps Off Bridge to Death

Omaha, April 1.—While scores of persons were on the Douglas street bridge, an unidentified woman, about thirty-five years of age, walked hurriedly from the Omaha side, climbed over the railing directly in the middle of the river and, uttering a scream, jumped. She sank immediately, but a few moments later her body was seen floating down stream. Two men put out in a boat and brought the body ashore.

Governor Refuses Stehr Clemency

Lincoln, April 2.—Governor Morehead has refused to grant clemency to Henry Stehr of Madison, sent to the penitentiary on a charge of manslaughter. Stehr had a hearing before the governor about a month ago, in which W. V. Allen appeared in his behalf. The evidence against Stehr showed that he had neglected to properly care for a young stepon after his feet had been frozen, and from which he later died.

Wilber Man Accidentally Killed

Wilber, Neb., April 1.—Emil Bouska about twenty-three years old, was killed in his barn on a farm two miles southwest of town. Just how the accident happened is not known, as he went to the barn to do some chores and when he did not return to the house his brother went to the barn and found him dead. The presumption is that he was killed by one of the horses. He was unmarried.

Man Caught in Belt

Tecumseh, Neb., April 1.—While at work about a gasoline engine, which was driving a wood saw, Albert Albers, whose home is near Hallam, suffered serious injury. He was caught by the belt wheel and his leg was broken, his head injured and he suffered internal injuries. He was taken to a hospital in Beatrice and it is thought he will recover.

New Board of Control to Meet

Lincoln, April 1.—As soon as the board of control bill has been signed by the governor there will be a meeting of the board, consisting of Henry Gerdes, Howard Kennedy and S. A. Holcomb, who will confer with Governor Morehead on the work to be laid out by the new board.

House Bill is Thrown Over by Upper Chamber.

TO ABOLISH RATES TO JOBBERS

House Cuts Down Claim of Sheriff Hyers—Favors Measure to Establish State Reformatory—Measure Creating Water Power Districts.

Lincoln, April 2.—Representative Keckley of York introduced a resolution in the house declaring all preferential and jobbing rates discriminatory, and instructing the railway commission to cancel all such tariffs. Representative McAllister's report of water power sites was adopted. A committee was appointed on final adjournment.

The senate killed the house bill to abolish the death penalty for first degree murder. Another house bill to substitute electrocution for hanging is pending in the upper body.

The senate spent the afternoon in committee of the whole and ordered thirteen bills engrossed for third reading and referred S. F. 425 back to a special committee, consisting of Placock, Hoagland and Saunders, to fix it up. The bill is by Hoagland of Lincoln and creates water power districts.

Gus Hyers' Claim Cut Down

In committee of the whole the house reduced the claim of Gus Hyers for \$2,500 to \$928. Hyers wanted the money to pay the expenses of his defense of a charge of having participated in the killing of Roy Blunt, following the outbreak at the state penitentiary.

The bill appropriating \$150,000 for a state reformatory was also recommended for passage, as was the bill to appropriate \$20,000 for an armory at Nebraska City.

Speaker Kelley tried to amend the reformatory measure by having it located at Grand Island. The amendment was defeated and the institution will be located by the state board of control. Yates tried to get the house to reconsider its action in indefinitely postponing his workmen's compensation bill.

United States Senator Norris addressed the joint assembly of the state house and senate this afternoon.

Treasury Condition

State Treasurer George has issued a statement of the condition of the state treasury for the month ending March 31, 1913, which shows that at the beginning of the month there was a balance on hand of \$666,302.14. The receipts for the month have been \$94,915.79 and the expenditures \$273,850.74, leaving a balance on hand of \$487,327.19, which is divided as follows: Cash on hand, \$6,113.03; cash on deposit, \$443,238.92; general fund warrants, \$37,975.24.

SURVEYING STORM AREA

Condra and Loveland Gathering Data for Federal Government.

Lincoln, April 2.—Dr. George E. Condra of the University of Nebraska and Professor George A. Loveland of the weather bureau left this morning for an automobile tour through the storm-swept area of the state to gather data for the federal government.

Two or three weeks will be devoted to an examination of the various phases of the storm. Dr. Condra will pay particular attention to the loss occasioned by the storm with respect to the class of buildings that best withstand the wind. Professor Loveland will make a complete summary of the atmospheric conditions attending the storm.

TO MAKE TEST OF SUIT

Attorney General Martin Takes Hand in Thorpe Case.

Lincoln, April 1.—Attorney General Martin has concluded to make a test for the state in the suit brought last week by John P. Thorpe, agent for a creamery company in Cumby county, who was arrested on a charge of making a false cream test by Nels Hansen, at that time pure food commissioner. Thorpe has since sued Mr. Hansen for \$50,000 for false arrest.

In the trial of Mr. Thorpe, Judge Graves found the defendant not guilty and he was set free. The attorney general believes that the law regarding the testing of cream is good and will take the matter before the supreme court.

Sheep Butchers Walk Out

South Omaha, April 2.—For a moment it appeared as if the long-threatened labor troubles had begun in South Omaha. About thirty sheep butchers employed at Morris & Co., walked out at noon. The walkout was the result of a difference between the butchers and the management of the plant over the amount of time given the men each week.

Holds Oil That Was Rejected

Lincoln, April 1.—Food and Oil Commissioner Hattman has on his hands a large quantity of gasoline, the property of the Mutual Oil company of Fremont, which failed to come up to the test prescribed by the department and is in somewhat of a quandary what he will do with it. The oil tested too light.

Woodmen to Hold Big Convention

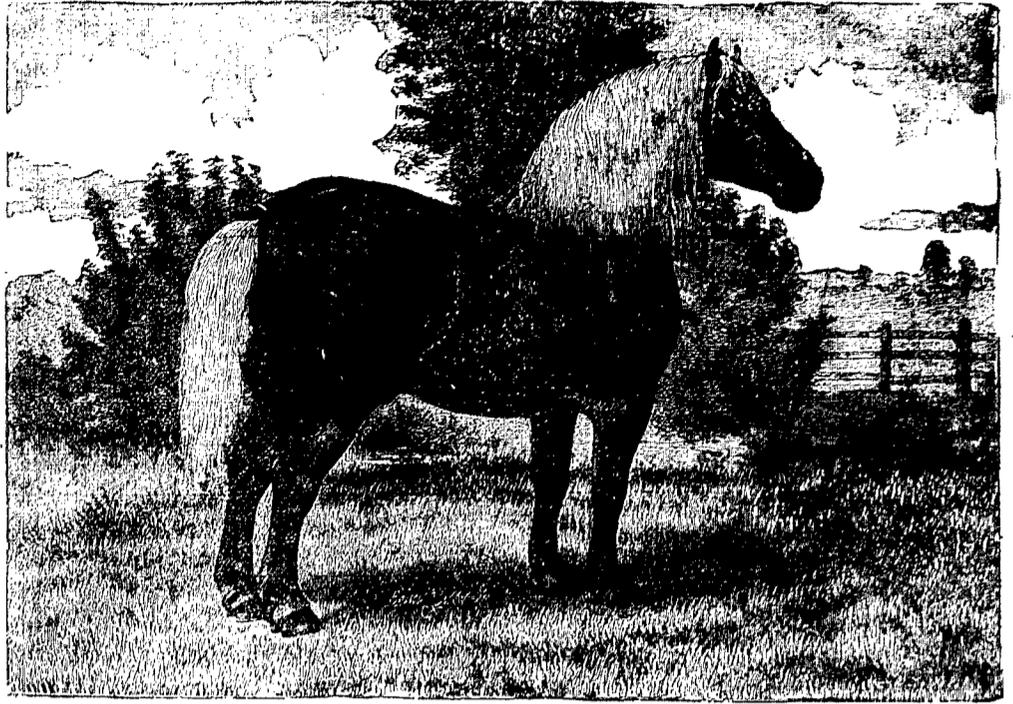
Grand Island, Neb., April 2.—The head camp convention of the Woodmen of the World for Nebraska will be held here April 8 and 9.

The Imported Percheron Stallion

REVEILLON (44,690)

Imported From France By Watson Bros.

Registered in the Percheron Stud Book of America and his recorded number is 27605



This stallion weighs 1,850, and is a good individual

Will be at Wayne this season at a private barn near the creamery

TERMS:--\$15.00 to insure colt to stand and suck.

I. E. ELLIS

Owner and Manager

CONDENSED NEWS

call law. It covers all officers in Nevada. One-fourth of the voters are required to institute the recall.

Directors of the Chicago board of trade voted to expel Mark Bates. The charge of which Mr. Bates was found guilty was that of "cross trading."

The removal of his appendix converted a remarkably bad Minneapolis boy into a remarkably good one, according to the report of Dr. Newkirk.

Bulgaria accepted the offer of mediation made by the European powers but with provisions that practically negative the proposals of the powers.

J. A. Kimberly, millionaire paper manufacturer and capitalist of Wisconsin, is dangerously ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Bergstrom, at Los Angeles.

Heavy losses on both sides marked the final successful assault on Adrianople.

Floyd and Claude Allen, members of the outlaw band in Carroll county Virginia, were executed at Richmond.

Winston Churchill, first lord of the British admiralty, urges all nations to cease naval construction for one year.

Mrs. Jessie Eaton was indicted for the murder of her husband, Rear Admiral Joseph G. Eaton, at Plymouth Mass.

Governor Odde has signed the re-

William A. Towles, aged sixty-five, a wealthy retired merchant, dropped dead just as he had made a particularly fine drive of a golf ball at West Newton, Mass.

Officers of the Los Angeles district Federation of Women's clubs, launched a campaign to banish the barrel skirt, the draped dress, and the slit gown as a menace to morals.

Justice Henry Bischoff of the New York state supreme court plunged eleven stories down an elevator shaft to his death in the Immigrant Savings Bank building, New York, where he had offices.

President Wilson learned that an American financial syndicate stood ready to furnish the republic of China a short term loan of about \$10,000,000

and would later negotiate a long term loan up to \$100,000,000.

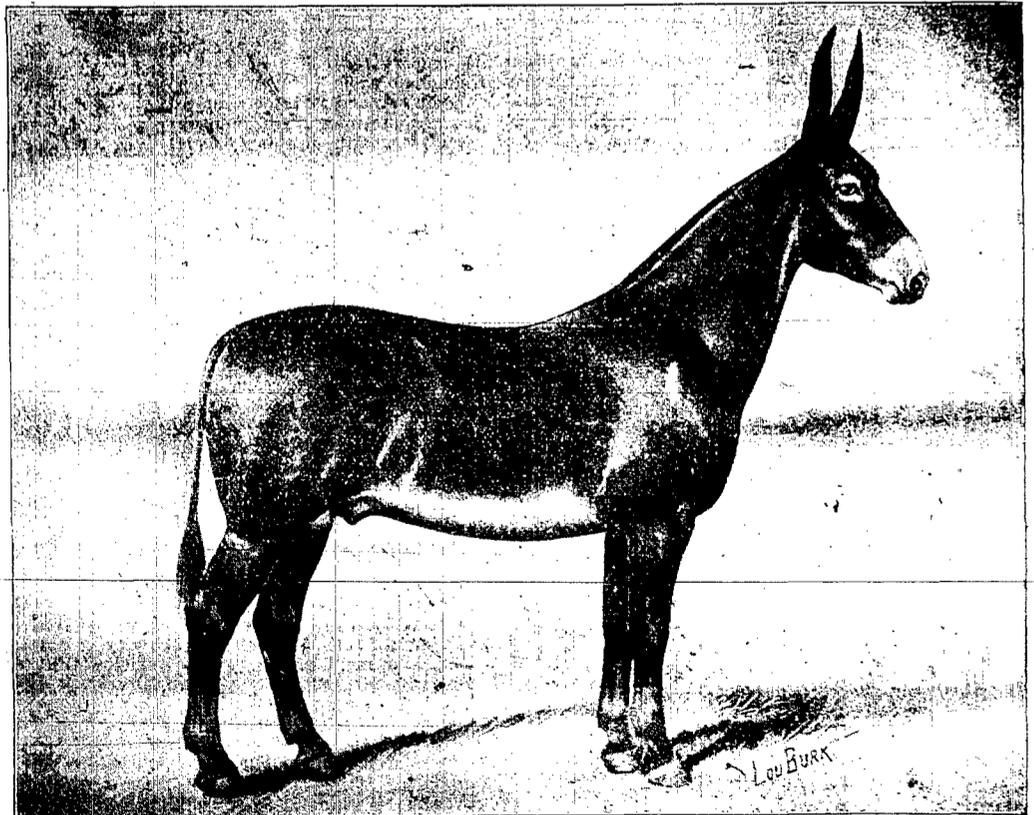
Maple syrup and sugar makers in Vermont are a disappointed lot of men. The season is a failure and nowhere near the usual amount of the Vermont product will go to lovers of the delicacy this spring.

James Hamilton Lewis (Dem.) was elected United States senator for the full six year term, and Lawrence Y. Sherman (Rep.) was chosen for the remainder of the vacated Lorimer term by the Illinois legislature.

The New York assembly has passed the Levy bill, which would compel the incorporation of stock exchanges. Five other stock exchange measures, recommended by Governor Sulzer, also were passed without opposition.

THIS BLACK, SPANISH JACK

Will make the season of 1913 at a private barn near the creamery



This Jack is registered in the Stud Book of America, and is a good individual, weighing about 950. Terms: \$15.00 to insure colt to stand and suck.

I. E. ELLIS

OWNER AND MANAGER

Advertising in the Medical Profession

In my "stories" so far given I have tried to give some facts concerning the effect of diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat. Before I give more let me say a few words concerning my "plan." I do all kinds of office work. I make a special study of the eye, fitting of glasses, ear, nose and throat and the removal of foreign bodies in the eye. I use medicine, electricity, massage, vibration, surgery, and all modern rational methods of treatment. Surgical fees according to the case, but always argued upon before the work is done. I make no contracts to cure, no treatments by the month. My work is put on its own merits. I do my best to please. It is my constant effort to improve myself, my office, my tools, my service; to dispense good medicine, good advice, plenty of cheer and sunshine. Putting off till tomorrow the enjoyment of life due today is a crime. If I can help you, come.

Dr. S. A. Lutgen

Phone 30. Wayne, Neb.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The farmer has commenced to farm.

Ralph Rundell was a visitor at Sioux City Tuesday.

Mrs. E. J. Huntmer is visiting her sister at Winside.

Herman Mildner went to Omaha Wednesday to look after business.

W. O. Hanssen had a car of hogs on the market at Sioux City Monday.

John Krei went to Ord, South Dakota, Monday evening to visit for a time.

The Firemen's Dance at the city hall Wednesday, April 9. Tickets \$1.00.—adv.

Ed Nieman of Winside was in Wayne Wednesday having some dental work done.

F. A. Nance went to Hartington Tuesday to play that evening with an orchestra there.

Father McNamara of Bloomfield was the guest of Father Kearns here Monday afternoon.

Soft and Good Work Shoes—Not the cheapest, but the Best at Gamble & Senter's.—adv.

E. W. Closson returned to his home at Sholes Wednesday from a visit at Omaha and Lincoln.

Wm. Lilje and daughter, Miss Mattie and Miss Anna Eichtenkamp visited at Sioux City Monday.

W. F. Reetz moved his household goods to Wisner this week, where he he will locate this season.

The Parr-Reed orchestra arrived in the city Tuesday morning and gave one of their popular dances at the opera house that evening.

F. S. Berry and Howard Whalen were Norfolk passengers Tuesday morning.

We have a good Work Shoe for \$2.50—all leather, at Gamble & Senter's.—adv.

Mrs. J. M. Cherry and daughter, Francis, went to Norfolk Wednesday to visit friends.

J. W. Mason went to Meadow Grove Tuesday morning to visit his son at that place.

Mrs. S. D. Relyea and daughter, Miss May, went to Sioux City Tuesday to visit relatives.

Madison voted 254 to 92 for Sunday base ball. Madison also voted to continue wet.

Mrs. Ed Murrill went to Bloomfield Wednesday morning to spend a week with home folks.

The body of John Kroth of Randolph passed through here Tuesday. He died at Norfolk the day before.

Try a pair of Hand Sewed Guaranteed Work Gloves at \$1.00 and up. GAMBLE & SENTER.

Attend the firemen's dance at the city hall, Wednesday, April 9th. A good time assured.—adv.

Oscar Anderson spent Sunday with home folks at Randolph, returning to work Monday morning.

Emil Hansen has purchased the Leahy property on east 4th street, but will not occupy it himself at present.

Miss Della Swartz returned to her home near Hoskins Tuesday morning after a visit with relatives in these parts.

The Sullivan harp orchestra will furnish the music for the firemen's dance at the city hall Wednesday, April 9th.—adv.

Fred VanNorman went to Bassett the first of the week to look at a ranch which he contemplates purchasing near that place.

Mrs. Lynch and baby returned to Sholes Tuesday morning after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pawelski at this place.

Mrs. Aug. Ruhlow of Hoskins was here Monday visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Moratz. She was accompanied by Mrs. Herman Weiler.

Miss Eleanor Norton from Algona, Iowa, came this week to visit her friend, Miss Louise Bowe at the home of Noah Williamson and wife.

Mrs. Duncan and daughter, who recently moved to Wayne from Pilger and who occupy a house east of the ward school building, are said to be ill.

Andy Quigley, who worked here for A. M. Holt last season, returned from Fremont Wednesday, where he has been for two or three months with friends.

It is now time for some of our exchanges to kill the coal advertisement and look up the ice man. We don't happen to have many coal advertisements in this town.

I wore a pair of Red Ball Band Rubber Boots five years, said a customer of ours. We would be pleased to sell you a pair. adv. GAMBLE & SENTER.

Special Music Sale at Jones' Book Store. We purchased a large quantity of late 25c music and are placing 1000 copies on sale Saturday at 2 for 25c. Come in and hear this music played. adv.

Archie Lindsay and wife are visiting at the home of their son near Winside, where they were called to welcome a grandson, who was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lindsay Saturday, March 29, 1913.

Messrs. Malstead and Swanberg, Wayne's popular tenorsial artists, returned from Sioux City Monday evening where they had a "good time."

Mrs. J. L. Murray and children who have for several weeks been visiting her mother, Mrs. Margaret Wade, returned to her home at Pierson, Iowa, Tuesday morning.

Mrs. J. J. Byrne returned to her home at West Point Tuesday morning after a visit with friends at Randolph. She greeted some of her Wayne friends at the station here.

S. Temple went to Stanton Tuesday to be present at the opening of a cigar and tobacco store by his son Duard at that place, where the young man is embarking in that line of business.

The Logan Valley Motor Co., has installed a new lathe for the use of the repair department. The new machine will hold for turning a piece 96 inches in length and 24 inches in diameter if necessary.

J. C. Swanson is adding a dining room to his bakery and short order business and can then serve meals. A new and completely modern soda fountain is soon to be installed in place of the old one.

Jos. White, who went to Des Moines last spring with his mother, came last week to spend a vacation week at Wayne, a guest at the home of his uncle and aunt, Eph Cunningham and wife.

Miss Mary Shannon went to Sioux City Monday afternoon to meet two nieces, Misses Blanchard and Katherine Shannon, who came from Fairbanks, Iowa, to visit at the Shannon home in this city a short time.

E. E. Fleetwood, or "Bunt" as he is better known, is engaged by W. A. Hiscox as an assistant in the hardware he recently purchased of Mr. Voget. Mr. Fleetwood is a tinner and a good all-round hardware man.

This spring weather should sprout the buds which will blossom into a full-grown building and loan association at Wayne. Why not help a lot of us fellows to help ourselves to get something better for our money than a rent receipt?

M. C. Christensen and wife of Stanton were here this week, seeing to the placing of a tombstone at the grave of a child that is buried in the Wayne cemetery. They formerly lived at Wisner, and have but recently moved near Stanton.

Mrs. P. L. Panabaker came up from Omaha to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chichester near Wayne. She was one of those who lost much in the tornado, but was not seriously hurt, but Mr. Panabaker is yet at a hospital. The children came here with their grandfather several days earlier.

A mistake in price figures in the advertisement of the Variety store in last week's Democrat made much trouble for Mr. Nuss. He had to explain so often that the advertisement was printed wrong, and that the price intended was low without the reduction of 10 cents extra as the advertisement made it appear.

Harry Jones and wife left here Wednesday for an extended trip through the west. They plan to visit relatives and friends in California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Colorado, and view many places of interest. His mother is spending the winter in California, and Mrs. Jones also has folks in that state. They will undoubtedly be absent five or six weeks.

Hartington, Dakota City, Norfolk, Laurel, Fremont and West Point in this corner of the state voted to continue wet. The dry people appear to be gaining. In a list of towns voting on the license question but two changed from dry to wet, but there were seven which had been wet that voted dry. Next week at Bloomfield the question will come up at a special election.

Mrs. Mary McMakin of Winside, returned a short time ago from a visit to Florida, and reports that she likes the country well there. The fruit of that country gathered and eaten there, after ripening on the trees, is not the flat, tasteless fruit which we so frequently get after it has been ripened in a refrigerator car. She was expected this week to visit her son, Charles, at this place.

Spring is here—clean up the yard and make garden, set the old hen or an X-Ray, beat the rug for your wife and don't kick if you find all of the furniture out on the lawn and a cold lunch for dinner. Spring housecleaning comes but once a year, and it is hard on the man of the family while it lasts but really the woman who stays and does the digging has the big end of the job.

Ready Made Garments THAT STAY NEW

When you buy your Spring Suit or Coat try, if you can, to see the garment as it appears after six months' hard wear.

When we tell you that even the APPEARANCE of any garment we sell you is guaranteed for two whole seasons you begin to realize the extra value that must be in these garments.

You Know—Merchandise that is made simply to SELL looks good at the time of sale, but unless the real value is there it will not have that good appearance for any length of time.

Come to the store and let us show you the kind of garments that are guaranteed to stay new. You'll find the price as reasonable as is asked for garments that are only ordinary.

Coats \$10.00 to \$25.00 Suits \$17.50 to \$30.00

House Dresses in Percale or Gingham, perfect fitting..... \$1.25
Wash Dresses—for street, in pretty materials..... 5.00 to 8.00
Summer Kimonos in Cotton Challies or Crepes..... 1.00 to 3.50
New Summer Waists in all the new styles..... 1.00 to 3.50

Dress Materials that You will be Wanting Right Away

Worsted Fabrics... 50c to 2.00 Silk Mulls... 25c Voiles... 25c to 75c
Flaxons... 25c to 40c Tissues... 25c Ratine... 25c to 75c Gingham... 12 1/2-15-25c
New Dress Silk... 85c to 2.00 Embroidery Flouncing, 45-inch... 1.49 to 3.00

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GROCERY SPECIALS

Gallon Svrup..... 40c 1 3-lb. Can Honeymoon Coffee... \$1.00
4 Cans Standard Corn..... 25c 4 Bars White Rose Soap..... 25c
1 can Baking Powder and 1 Broom 50c 7 Bars Sunny Monday Soap..... 25c

Make this store your regular shopping place. We will give you the Best of Values, Good Service and Any Accommodation We Can

Orr & Morris Co.

Phone 247 W A Y N E Phone 247

W. L. Fisher arrived this morning from Neleigh for a short visit with Wayne friends.

Miss Marjorie Geary went to Carroll Wednesday evening to visit at the home of her sister near that place.

Lots For Sale—Three well located 50-foot vacant lots for quick sale. See O. E. Graves, Wayne.—adv. 14-2.

HELP WANTED—Man and wife to work on farm, apply to M. D. Coleman, five miles southeast of Wayne. Phone 122-411.—adv. J4.

Chas. B. Thompson will ship a car load of draft horses to Sioux City today, and in about ten days or two weeks, he is planning to have a car load for the Chicago market.

J. M. Cherry, Ed Johnson and Forrest Hughes were among those who went to Norfolk last evening to attend the Voget musical recital. They report a high class musical entertainment.

About twenty-five young people gathered at the Swan Soderberg home last Saturday evening, giving Warner a most hearty surprise in honor of his twenty-first birthday. The evening was pleasantly spent in general sociability at the close of which a three course supper was served. Everybody in attendance had a jolly good time.

Happily the estimate of the loss of life from the Ohio and Indiana floods were largely over-estimated last week, and in reality were not more than one-fifth of figures which came to hand last week Thursday morning. While doubting, the Democrat gave the figures of the day fearing that they might be too true, for these floods had been under observation for three days at that time, and it seemed that the press reports could not be so far exaggerated at that time. The tendency to exaggerate early reports of great disasters is so common that it is customary to discount such reports from 25 to 95 per cent.

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

The Library Board wishes to thank the ladies of the Country club for the clock they gave to the Library and Mr. Geo. Crossland for a donation of Ten dollars in shrubbery to beautify the grounds. Just as a suggestion to clubs or persons who wish to make presents, a few good statues and pictures would be acceptable.

The farmers southeast of Wayne are glad to know that the county commissioner for that district, E. Anderson, has decided to improve a piece of road of about two miles between the Emil Hansen place and the Mike Lauer farm. This road is in Hunter precinct, and has been practically idle because never properly worked. It will allow those from the southeast to dodge some bottom road when it is bad at certain seasons of the year.

What Would You Think

When makers of absolutely distinct types of ranges recognize the desirability of the UNIVERSAL? The operation of this range is simplicity itself. Before you buy any range consider the UNIVERSAL.

You will always find here a complete line of

Perfection Oil Stoves Gasoline Ranges
National Cream Separators Crystal All Enamel
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FRESH SEEDS OF ALL KINDS

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HIGH STANDARDS MODERATE PRICES

JUST IN--

A Beautiful Line of DRESSES

Now is the time to get your spring

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We have just what you are looking for. See us for

Fine Millinery

Yours For Good, Up-To-Date Merchandise

Jeffries Shoe Co.

Over-Capitalization of Our Industries An Issue as Big as the Tariff

By Clyde H. Tavenner

Special to the Democrat, Washington, March 31.—One hundred dollars annually! This is the amount the crime of over-capitalization, or watered stocks, costs every American family!

This statement flows easily from the pen, but it can be best demonstrated by a little arithmetic.

Various prominent financial students and authorities are responsible for the statement, and their conclusions are wholly sustained by reports of the United States Commission and the published figures of the National Corporation Tax Returns, that about \$30,000,000,000 of the stocks of our industrial or tariff trusts, represent only water.

On this stock, dividends of about \$1,500,000,000 are being paid yearly, amounting to approximately \$18 a person or nearly \$100 an American family!

This \$1,500,000,000 is not picked up out of the streets. Where, then, does it come from? The answer is: from the pockets of the consumers. There is not a dollar of "water" or inflation in the capitalization of corporations which deal in commodities, or in railroad or other public service corporations, that does not impose burdens upon the consumers and producers of this country.

The above figures, which may be accepted as fairly conservative in view of the fact that United States Senator LaFollette and various other students of the question assert that the amount of watered stock is more than double the amount estimated above, mean this: That an average family in this country is paying a tax of \$100 a year in supporting the over-capitalization of our industries. Can there remain any doubt, then, as to over-capitalization's being one reason, a sister reason to high tariff, for the ever increasing cost of living?

Watered stock is not only one of the prime causes for increased prices of commodities, but it is also an important cause of the present unsatisfactory condition of labor. To pay these dividends on watered stock, the trust magnates must either hold down wages abnormally low, or raise prices artificially high. The fact is they are doing both.

Over-capitalization, therefore, is obviously one of the most important problems confronting the American people today. Politicians, for some reason, refer to it less than they should. The subject ought to be one of the foremost political issues.

Five hundred glaring illustrations of the crime of over-capitalization could be cited. They would average like this: The Chicago & Alton was capitalized at \$80,000,000. When turned over to the purchasing syndicate in 1899 it was capitalized at \$94,000,000.

The people are not going to forever permit the Perkin's and the Morgan's and other financiers to strap upon their backs the burdens of these enormous over-capitalizations, which constitute one of the principal causes of the increase in the cost of living.

The Farm Advisor

There is much being said pro and con in regard to "farm advisors" and it would seem that the place is not popular generally with the farmers. We reprint a short letter written to the Burt County Herald on the subject: "To the Editor of the Burt County Herald: I notice that the people are thinking of having a farm advisor for each county. Now I would respectfully suggest that Burt county buy and equip a farm with horses, harness, binders, two row cultivators, and monkey wrenches. This farm could be say, 5 or 6 miles northwest of Decatur, put this advisor on it and ask him to return 6 per cent on the investment, besides his salary, and advice at the same time. The taxpayers could stand it for some time—say three years. He would find out that it costs 30 cents to raise a bushel of corn and deliver it at the elevator in Tekamah, he would find out that pork cannot be produced at a profit where there is not lots of cheap pasture, and along about the time the county got ready to close him out, he would find out that there was a missing link between corn at 39 cents a bushel and land at \$125 per acre.—A Retired Farmer."

Sure, and the missing link is what they want advisor to find. Most farmers now know there is a missing link or a whole chain, perhaps, but how to restore it is the problem. All try it.

Auto Livery

If you want to take a business or pleasure trip, call James Steele. Phone Ash 30.—adv.

Omaha's Upbuilding Plans

Omaha, Neb., April 2.—Order and system is rapidly being developed out of the chaos which followed the tornado, which struck the residence section of Omaha last Sunday night. Never in the history of great catastrophes has such system been developed in such a short time. Within less than 48 hours after the destruction, permanent relief stations were established throughout the district and hundreds of families were supplied daily.

Omaha is making a grand effort to handle the situation. Her business men have rallied to the city and have given of their time and money. Plans are being made for the restoration and rehabilitation of the district. A company will be formed which will finance all cases where assistance is needed and in less than six months the entire tornado district will be replaced by better homes than those which featured the district. The path was about four blocks wide and four miles long and over 1700 homes were either entirely destroyed or badly wrecked. The known dead now totals 136 in Omaha and immediate suburbs. It is possible that this is the total list. The injured number 402, many minor bruises. Especially gratifying has been the tenders of assistance from the various towns and cities of the state. The generous attitude of the people of Nebraska has been the subject of many complimentary resolutions by the Citizens Relief Committee, composed of C. C. Rosewater, E. F. Denison, John J. Ryder, J. M. Guild, T. J. Mahoney, Dan E. Butler, Father John Williams and Thomas Byrne. This committee has absolute charge of all details and has evolved a wonderful system.

Contributions from all cities in the state are being gratefully received and are being distributed where they will do the utmost good. The permanent restoration of the city will be taken up in detail by a committee composed of W. H. Buckholz, Casper Yost, John L. Kennedy, Harry Tukey and other members of the Commercial Club.

How About Grain Seed

In this country we have in the past given much attention to the testing of seed corn, and practically none to the small grain. In Minnesota, where corn is not so nearly king as here, they have been applying a test to small grains, and the following bulletin is of the finding there and suggests the importance of giving seed grain a test:

"A great variation is found in the germinating qualities of seed from the same locality; according to tests made at the Minneapolis Agricultural Experiment Station. A sample of wheat grading No. 1 Hard, shows a germination test of 90 per cent; a sample of No. 1 Durum only shows 65 per cent; a sample of barley shows 99 per cent and another sample from the same locality only shows 30 per cent. It would therefore seem of great importance that every producer of grain should, before seeding, apply a germination test to all grain he intends to plant."

To Audit \$6,000,000

At a meeting of the insurgent stockholders of the Independent Harvester Co., at Chicago, W. H. Green of Creighton was selected to make a complete audit and appraisal of the company's affairs. Representative stockholders from Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska and Oklahoma were present.

Under the terms of the stipulation which the officials of the harvester company afterwards signed, Mr. Green was empowered to employ chartered accountants and appraisers and it is estimated that it will take three or four months to complete the work. The Independent Harvester Co., has a paid up capital of \$6,000,000 and has 27,000 stockholders, mostly farmers. The company owns the factories at Plano, Ill., where the Deering and Plano harvester companies got their start as manufacturers.—Ex.

Oratorical Contest at Norfolk

At Norfolk Thursday evening 26 high school pupils were trying for the honor of first prizes. Below we give the list of prize winners as it appeared in the Norfolk News:

Oratorical Class.

Hays Main, Wayne, First.
Harvey Montgomery, Ewing, Second.

Dramatic Class

Helen Cooper, Laurel, First.
Alice Hosford, Albion, Second.
Mary Emley, Wisner, Third.

Humorous Class.

Marjorie Jenkins, Neligh, Second
Byron Baer, Stanton, First.
Fay Wright, Battle Creek, Third.

The Democrat for job printing.

THE PERCHERON STALLION

BIZERTE (53,236) 60,557

Percheron Society of America

Imported by Frank Iams



Will make the season of 1913 at H. B. Hutchings' Barn, Wayne, Nebr.

BIZERTE is a very richly colored fellow and has always been a show horse, having won First Prize at the Nebraska State Fair in 1903 as a two-year-old. He was not shown again until 1906 and then won at Nebraska State Fair and the Inter-State Fair at Sioux City, Iowa. He also won Second Prize at Inter-State Fair in 1908, besides winning Reserve Ribbon by the Percheron Society of America in the Champion Stallion, Open Class, and has proven himself an extra good breeder. He will be a credit to any horse breeding establishment.

Terms: \$20 to insure colt to stand and suck; \$16 to insure mare in foal. Foal bill becomes due if mare changes owners or county. Care will be taken to prevent accidents but will not be responsible should any occur

O. A. WALDO - - - **OWNER**

Absentee-Owned Land

One of the great hindrances to the development of the agricultural resources of different sections tributary to the Missouri Valley is the fact that large amounts of land have been purchased for speculative purposes and are held by non-resident owners, waiting for a rise in land values. Such land as this, especially in western Kansas and Nebraska, is by this means prevented from producing what it might produce, if it were in the hands of actual settlers as owners.

The time is at hand when every acre of land capable of production should be made to produce. All such land should be put under cultivation; the public welfare demands this. Public welfare is paramount to individual interest. No individual who lives for the sake of gain should be permitted to stand in the way of development demanded by public interest.

Ireland has had this problem to solve and has solved it. Such unoccupied, unproductive land is there condemned under the law of eminent domain, its sale value determined by a commission, and it is then purchased by the government and resold to actual settlers at the price determined by the commission, and the settler is given a long term of years in which to make his payment for the land. This method is rapidly doing away with absentee landlordism in Ireland.

This same method may have to be invoked in this country in order to relieve the situation caused by so much non-resident ownership, the result of mere speculation in land values. This country now consumes nearly all of its agricultural products. Some countries of the old world even now feed us more than we feed them. It will be a bad time for the nation when it has to import its foodstuffs. With the population growing at its present rate, that time is not far distant, unless we increase our production. Nonresident ownership stands in the way of such an increase. It may become necessary to abolish such ownership in order adequately to increase pro-

duction. This is our problem. How would the Irish solution operate in solving it here?—Twentieth Century Farmer.

Extravagance of the Rich

With a string of pet canines for which she had purchased eighteen full-fare tickets from Chicago to San Francisco in order that they might not be required to descend to the level of common curs and ride in the baggage car, Mrs. Melcomb Whitman, nee Miss Jennine Crocker, the California millionairess, passed through Columbus in a private car on Union Pacific train No. 15, Monday afternoon, says the Telegram. When Mrs. Whitman left Chicago with her blue-blooded aristocracy of dogdom the Pullman company refused her passage unless she would put the pups in the baggage car. Revolting at such poor passage for her pets, Mrs. Whitman chartered the private car, "Mishawaka," loaded her doggies onto it and in triumph proceeded on her way to the coast. To get the car, she had to buy eighteen full fare tickets from the Windy City to the Golden Gate. Almost a year ago to the day, Mrs. Whitman, then Miss Crocker, passed through Columbus in the same private car enroute from San Francisco to New York City. It was at the time of the Platte river rampage, and after the train crawled slowly over the soft roadbed between Columbus and Fremont it was stalled at the latter place, and the aristocratic lady was flood-bound in her private car at Fremont for three whole days. Such are the trials of wealth in transit.

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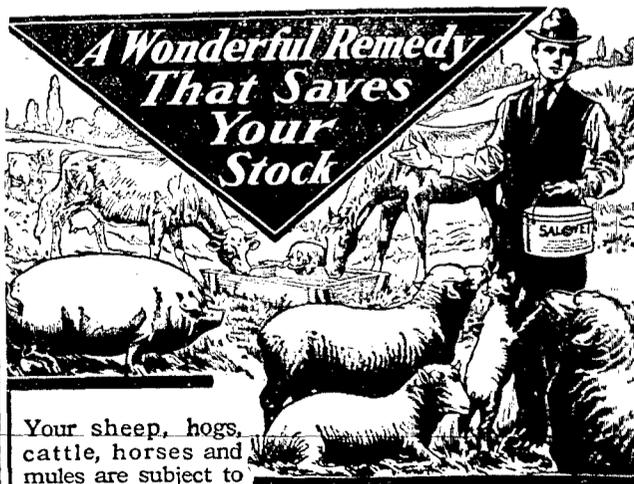
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METALS AND MICROBES.

In Some Instances Contact Means Death to the Germs. Experiment seems to show that there are certain metals which are capable of destroying microbes that come in contact with them. The microbes experimented with were cultivated for the purpose in jelly spread on a plate, and pieces of metal were dropped upon the jelly while it was still moist. Any metal that had the property of arresting the development of the microbes destroyed them, not only just under the place where it lay, but for a narrow space around it. The width of this space varied both with the kind of metal and the kind of microbe. Pure gold, when freshly cleaned and burnished, had no effect upon the microbes. Pure nickel and platinum and a few other metals also failed to affect the organisms. But cadmium, copper, brass, zinc and silver destroyed them, the first named metal especially acting quickly and effectively. It has been observed that the metals that affected the microbes were those that are readily attacked by chemical reagents, while those that resist such reagents, like gold, had no effect. From this fact it has been concluded that the action upon the organisms is due to a solution of the metals taking place in the jelly. — Harper's Weekly.

Native Meeting Places in Sumatra.

Every district of importance in the towns of Sumatra possesses a balei, or native meeting place, which the Dutch regent visits periodically in order to discuss with his subordinates the affairs of the district. These Sumatran equivalents of a county council hall are very quaint and are decorated with beautiful inlaid work at the ends and a tapering roof of fine palm, ornamented with bright brass-work, which glitters in the sun, setting it off most picturesquely against a background of tall coconut trees and a forest of rich tropical plants. A space is left between the ground and flooring, the reason of which is obvious, for in the tropics during the rainy season the inhabitants are often visited with floods, so in order to safeguard themselves in such an emergency most of the buildings are erected on stilts. — Wide World Magazine.

A "View" in New York.

I heard some one descending about her view. She said one thing she'd always hated in New York was not having a view and now she had one. She took me up to see it. "Well, where is it?" said I, looking out of the window. "Why, there and there!" said she. "Don't you see how I see over that roof to the next one and down in the street to the mall box and overhead to that bit of sky?" I said, oh, yes, and how nice it was that she had it. It's really pathetic when somebody thinks that what she showed me was a view! — June Stone in New York Press.

A King and His Doctors.

It is said that Ardasher, the king of the Persians, never permitted a physician to prescribe for him until he had first stung by a viper. If he was able to beat himself he gave him his daily food, and the physician entered his service. — The Orient.

Flattered.

Ethel—Jack asked Miss Passelgh last night how old she was. Edith—Did she get angry? Ethel—No. She was flattered. You see, she felt she must look young or he'd never have dared. — Boston Transcript.

How It Grows.

Until a man does something noteworthy the little bunch of whiskers on his chin is described as a "goatee." After he achieves eminence it is referred to as an "imperial." — Philadelphia Ledger.

The Worst of It.

"Do you keep a cook, Mrs. Subob?" "Madam, I not only keep the cook, but also her entire family." — Baltimore American.

Nothing is so new as what has long been forgotten.

— German Proverb.

FIELD MICE IN FRANCE.

At Times They Overrun and Completely Devastate Whole Cantons.

The average loss inflicted annually by field mice upon the cultivators of France is estimated at 2,000,000 francs—about \$400,000. From time to time, however, there is an enormous increase in the number of these pests and in the extent of their ravages. France has experienced about a dozen serious invasions by field mice since the beginning of the nineteenth century. The most disastrous was that which occurred from the summer of 1801 to the end of the autumn of 1802. On that occasion three departments were absolutely devastated. As an illustration of the prodigious numbers in which these animals appear it may be stated that, during the outbreak of 1822 in Alsace, within a single fortnight 1,570,000 were slaughtered in one canton; the French equivalent of a township—500,000 in another and 272,000 in another.

The Sudden Appearance of these Animals in such Numbers is not due to a rapid migration, but simply to the astonishing rapidity with which they multiply, when the weather happens to be favorable to their preservation.

Under such conditions a field containing 150 animals—the females are about twice as numerous as the males—at the end of winter would have more than 20,000 in September.

There are many ways of fighting the pests, including the use of various poisons, and asphyxiation of the animals in their burrows by means of noxious vapors, but the plan recommended by the French government is to spread a contagious disease among them by giving a bacterial preparation.

HORSES AND HARNESS.

A Plea for Lightness and Simplicity in the Trappings.

From many fragments of the architecture of the early ages and first allusions to the horse as a domesticated animal it is obvious that nothing superfluous in the way of saddlery and harness was employed, and on Grecian bas-reliefs and friezes horses are represented as being ridden without bit, bridle, saddle or stirrups, the animals being trained to obey the indications of the hand and leg, while the attachments for draft to the chariots used in war and sport were of the simplest character. As time went on, however, superfluous and injurious portions of harness were introduced, the weight of leather and metal furniture increased, and more attention was paid to appearance than utility.

This has continued down to the present times, and, in spite of the protests of those who have made the welfare of the horse a specialty and the example of a few enlightened owners who have realized the advantage of lightness and simplicity in harness, there still persists the idea that certain portions, such as the bearing and hame rein and the winker bridle, even if unnecessary and useless, give the horse a more furnished appearance and, when dispensed with, a naked look. In other terms, fashion or custom outweighs consideration for the comfort, well being and effective working of the horse. — Animal's Friend.

Why He Was Popular.

The man with a natural aptitude for mechanics received so many invitations to take automobile trips with friends who acted as their own chauffeur that he came to be envied by his less popular acquaintances. One day the popular guest descended to enlighten them on his true status. "You fellows needn't get green-eyed," he said. "I haven't got such a snap as you think I have. What they want me to go along for is to blow up the tires and make repairs in case of accident. I wouldn't be such a hot favorite if I wasn't so proficient in that line. The knowledge that I wouldn't be somewhat gallant, but as I enjoy the trips I swallow my pride and accept the invitations." — New York Times.

Royal Trains.

Few people know that the passage of a royal train is guarded almost every yard of the way by the journey of the sovereign short or long. Many people laugh when they read of lines upon lines of soldiers being drawn up along the railway metals in Russia when the czar travels, but the same thing practically occurs in England, says the Pall Mall Gazette, only without the ostentatious display of uniforms. The line over which the royal train is to pass is quite as effectively guarded, though to all appearance there is nobody there.

Why Waste Words?

"Hello! Is that you, John?" "Yes." "Did you go to the store and order the things I spoke about when you left home this morning?" "Why, to tell you the truth, Maria—" "That's all. Goodby." — Chicago Tribune.

Both Were Ancient.

"What kind of a bird was the dodo?" asked the callow youth of the breezy bud. "I don't know," she answered. "That bird is extinct, but ask Miss Sereleaf over there. Maybe she's seen one." — Exchange.

A Mean Trick.

Knecker—Why did Jones give his wife a clock that strikes the quarters? Bocker—It keeps her so confused she doesn't know what time he comes home. — Puck.

The strongest things are in danger from the weakest.

— DIsraeli.

JUVENILE HEROISM.

The Brave Mexican Cadets at the Defense of Chapultepec.

Many incidents in the Mexican war are still recounted to fire the hearts of Mexicans. One of those occurred during the defense of Chapultepec, a defense that was as gallant as was the attack. In this attack forty-eight Mexican cadets, among others, lost their lives. The story is a stirring one.

For many years the celebrated castle of Chapultepec, where Montezuma held his barbaric court in the surrounding groves of cypresses, where during nearly three centuries lived the successive viceroys of Spain and where Maximilian made his imperial home, has been the West Point of Mexico.

When General Scott had taken the place by storm and General Bravo had surrendered, a Mexican cadet only fifteen years of age, seeing the flag of his country in peril, most of his comrades being already slain, climbed the flag-staff, tore the banner from its place, wound it around his body and slid down, intending to plunge over the precipice in order to save the colors from falling into the hands of the enemy.

That act of heroism being frustrated, the brave boy, with the banner still wrapped around him, fought until he was cut in pieces. Forty-eight of these schoolboys, ranging in age from fourteen to twenty years, lie buried in one grave at the foot of the hill. Year by year the cadets of Chapultepec strew flowers upon this sepulcher. — Harper's Weekly.

EARLY WORLD RECORDS.

Fossil Animals and Plants Constitute the Geologist's Key.

The work of the United States geological survey in paleontology—the study of fossil remains of animals and plants that lived ages ago—has a distinct bearing on some of the very practical economic problems of today. The descriptive paleontologic reports are often treated as "pure science," yet instructive, striking or tedious as may be these delineations of the groups of animal or plant life which lived on the globe in some particular epoch there is not one of these papers describing the fauna or flora of a formation that does not prove sooner or later to possess practical value and to be essential to geology in its constantly increasing refinement of study and results.

Without paleontology the geologic classification of formations, their correlation and the determination of their mutual relations would be impossible. In fact, real and symmetrical progress in geology is impossible without corresponding interrelated development and refinement of its handmaid paleontology. The study of the economic geology of any region of complicated structure is blind and inconsequent unless the time relations of the strata concerned are known. These relations are indicated by the fossils which the strata contain. — Annual Report Director United States Geological Survey.

Cornish Place Names.

Cornish place names are remarkable for the number of obscure Celtic saints they commemorate, such as St. Tudy, St. Cuby, St. Ury, St. Enodoc, St. Brian and St. Finbarrow.

A story is told of a Cornish candidate for ordination who, when asked by the examining chaplain where he was born, replied, "At St. Eval," giving the local pronunciation, "Sandeval." "Good heavens!" exclaimed the chaplain, "I know they have some strange saints in Cornwall, but I should never have imagined they would canonize him!"

There are three other Cornish villages whose names it would be hard to match for singularity—Brumbia, London Apprentice and Drunkards All.—London Globe.

Wasted Time.

"Well, what did you do when the problem came up?" "Wasted time. Went out and asked the advice of seventeen friends." "What did you get?" "Seventeen different solutions." "And then?" "Then I took the advice of an eighteenth friend and won out." "And who was your eighteenth friend?" "Myself." — Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Canadian Boundary.

The boundary between British and republican America is unmarked by anything in the nature of a wall or a fence. In traveling from Montreal to New York the train suddenly slows down and stops in the midst of green fields. It is then boarded by United States revenue officers, who want to know whether you have "anything to declare." That is how you know that you have reached the international boundary line. — London Chronicle.

Broken.

"Bjinks has broken his engagement with Miss Hansum, he says." "Why did he break it?" "She decided she wouldn't marry him, and he said he wouldn't be engaged to any girl who wouldn't marry him." — New York Mail.

Accommodating.

Husband—By Jove, I want something exciting to read—something really bloodcurdling! Helpful Wife—Here is my dressmaker's bill, dearest. — Puck.

Instinctive Translation.

Mother—John, I had a very touching letter from our boy Frank today. Father—How much did he touch you for? — Baltimore American.

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County Correspondence

Sholes Items

Martin Jensen was in town last Thursday.

James Stephens was at Wayne between trains Saturday.

Arthur Hurlbert and son were passengers to Sioux City Tuesday. Wm. Gramkan was hauling wheat to town Monday and Tuesday.

Otto Borge sold Brandon & Jackson a carload of fat hogs Wednesday.

John Hadley took several loads of machinery to his Bloomfield farm last Tuesday.

Mrs. B. Stevenson returned Monday evening from her visit at Omaha and Council Bluffs.

W. W. Black was in town Wednesday and while here purchased a new John Deer Disc of Tietgen Bros.

Bert Robinson went to Whitten, S. D., last Thursday to visit his mother, Mrs. W. F. Burns of that place.

The Erwin Porter family were entertained at a six o'clock dinner at the M. L. Halpin home Tuesday.

Peter Hansen returned home Monday evening after an absence of a week or more at Brunswick and Lynch.

Porter Larsen shelled corn one day last week, Brandon & Jackson being at the receiving end at 40¢ cents per bushel.

John Horn returned from Omaha Thursday much relieved to find that his daughter there escaped the terrible storm.

Walter Tietgen arrived Wednesday from Calhoun to assist his brothers through the spring rush of the implement trade.

Wm. Grant of Whitten, S. D., brother of our townsman, David Grant, visited at the home of the latter a few days last week.

It was rumored that a wedding had taken place east of town one day last week but later we find that the report contained no foundation.

Mrs. Lynch returned from Wayne Tuesday and reports the father of Mr. Lynch on a fair way to recovery from the injury he received in the Omaha tornado.

The pupils of the Sholes consolidated school enjoyed a vacation last Thursday and Friday while their instructors attended teachers' meeting at Norfolk.

M. Brake Meyer thought to bring his car home from Randolph last Saturday but after making connections with a bad mudhole on the road, he changed his mind.

W. E. Burns and wife of Whitten, S. D., who have been visiting relatives and friends at Randolph, Carroll and Sholes the past 10 days, returned to their home Wednesday by way of Sioux City.

Miss Hattie Clark of Wayne and her brother, Charles, came Wednesday of last week for a short visit at the Clark home east of town.

Mrs. Ed Wright of University Place, an older daughter, was home at the same time.

Nearly every family in Sholes that has no water reservoir is having a cistern made. C. E. Petty's first, M. Fritzon next and now Mr. Petty is digging one for W. H. Root on the property occupied by M. L. Halpin.

Mrs. Alex Mattingly and children returned from Omaha Thursday evening relieving the anxiety of her husband and many Sholes friends who knew that her people lived very close if not directly in the path of the storm. Mrs. Mattingly says she has no desire to go to Omaha again soon.

Mrs. Lynch and baby went to Wayne Friday to meet her husband on his return from Neola where he was called by telegram, announcing the destruction of the home of his parents in the storm of a week ago. The Lynch family were all more or less hurt and the latest reports being to the effect that Mr. Lynch had no bones broken as was first reported but they fear he is hurt internally. He is in a hospital at Omaha.

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Hoskins News

Oscar Jonson has been visiting relatives north of Wayne.

The Behmer Implement Co., is erecting a new building.

Duck shooting has been good north of town. One Nimrod came in with 23 dead ducks.

A new church is to be built northwest of Hoskins this spring, and the farmers of the neighborhood have been hauling lumber to the site of the proposed new building.

At Hoskins they have been using a traction engine to drag the streets, and the Headlight says that it does a good job, hauling two drags at once. The paper is also wisely advocating an election to provide for waterworks so that they may have protection from fire.

Wilbur Precinct.

Fred Danielson is sick with the mumps.

Will Blake has purchased a new Studebaker auto.

Raymond Harmeyer is suffering from a severe attack of tonsillitis.

G. W. Wingett and family visited last Wednesday at the J. C. Harmeier home.

Leslie, Amy and Viola Phillips visited at the home of their brother, Elmer Phillips, Sunday.

Mrs. G. W. Wingett and daughters, Nellie and Opal, spent Monday at the H. C. Lyons home.

Andrew Erlanson had a car of cattle on the Omaha market last week, his son, Emil, going down with them.

Mrs. W. L. Phillips was moved to the home of her parents, A. A. Smith and wife, Monday and is getting along nicely now.

Hunter Precinct.

Ed Grover was a passenger to Omaha Saturday morning.

John Erickson and family visited at Link Welbaum's Sunday.

Mrs. John Munson and daughter, Julia, visited Mrs. Paul Olson Friday.

Mildred Newman is quite sick, a nurse from Wayne being in attendance.

Mrs. Edgar Larson of Inman is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Nelson.

Ernest Samuelson and Florence Rubcek attended Teacher's meeting at Norfolk last week.

Mrs. Louis Johnson visited friends and relatives in Wakefield, Saturday and Sunday.

Axel Soderberg who is attending college in Wayne spent the latter part of the week at home.

Minnie Nelson who is attending Morningside college, visited at the home of her uncle, Olaf Nelson, last week.

Ruben Seargen, who has been visiting at the Chas. Soderberg home, returned to his home at Wakefield Sunday.

Hannah Johnson returned from her visit at Craig last Wednesday. She was about four blocks from where the cyclone struck.

About twenty-four young folks gathered at the home of Swan Soderberg last Saturday evening, taking Warner by surprise, it being his twenty-first birthday. The evening was pleasantly spent after which a three-course supper was served.

A Few Carroll Items

(From Index)

A movement is on foot to secure a series of entertainments for the purpose of raising funds to assist in financing a ball club here this season. None, as yet, have been secured, but bright prospects are chasing each other about the town.

Bert Francis went to Omaha Friday and on Saturday he underwent an operation for an abscess which had formed in forehead of his head, and which had caused him considerable pain. The operation was successful and it is thought he will be allowed to return home in ten days or two weeks.

W. C. and T. C. Davis left Monday for their home at Shell Lake, Wisconsin, after a short visit with friends in the Welsh settlement. After they have arranged matters on their farms at Shell Lake they expect to cross the water for an extended visit in Wales.

A. H. Owens was forced to leave his duties at the station the latter part of the week, being ill with tonsillitis. His wife was also ill at the same time. Mr. Bruner, a relief agent, did the station work during Mr. Owens' absence.

I. P. Lowrey

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

Wakefield News.

H. W. Bartels shipped hogs to Sioux City Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Busby were Sioux City visitors Tuesday.

A. M. Haskell of Carthage, S. D., spent Sunday with home folks.

Oscar Lundberg made a business trip to Kimball, S. D., Tuesday.

J. A. Saegren returned Monday from a few days' visit in Red Oak, Iowa.

Mrs. W. F. Westrand visited Miss Violet James of Sioux City Thursday.

J. K. Johnson and wife are rejoicing over the arrival of a son April first.

Mrs. R. J. Houseman visited a few days this week with Mrs. Paine of Sioux City.

Miss Juanita Jordan of Randolph spent the week-end with Miss Alice McKittrick.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church met with Mrs. Grabin Thursday afternoon.

Rev. J. Burke left Monday for Jamestown, New York, where he will visit his father.

Mrs. Frank Carlson of South Dakota is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Barto.

Miss Venus Leamer came up from Syracuse Saturday to spend Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. C. C. Tomlinson went to Omaha Sunday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Winn.

Word was received here Sunday of the death of W. S. Cook at Happy, Texas, Friday morning.

Mrs. A. L. Holmberg returned Saturday from a few days' visit with her daughters in Omaha.

Sam Fuors of Concord visited his brother, George, Friday enroute from Edison to his home.

T. J. Beith and Chas. Beith were called to Winthrop, Iowa, Monday by the death of their aged mother.

Miss Minnie Nelson returned to Sioux City after a week's stay at the home of her uncle, Olaf Nelson.

Geo. Johanson and wife went to Omaha Wednesday to see their daughter, Edna, who is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Flint of Laurel were the guests of T. J. Beith and wife Saturday, enroute to Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mathlesen, who have been visiting their son and daughter at Omaha, returned home Wednesday.

Excavation is begun for the basement of Hype's new furniture store. The building is to be 25x108 ft. and made of brick.

Miss Irene Chapin returned Monday to Morningside after spending the week's vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rhods.

Miss Carrie Atkinson who has been spending the past two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Harrison, returned Thursday to Minneapolis.

Emil Hendrickson has purchased the house recently vacated by Charley Henry and will move his family into their new home in the near future.

Mrs. Dodd, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. T. J. Beith left Wednesday for Curtis, where she will visit her daughter before returning to her home in Denver.

Miss Maude McKittrick was hostess to the N. I. P. club Thursday evening. Owing to the absence of several of the members the regular business session was deferred with the next meeting. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Union Temperance services were held at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening, Rev. McCarthy of Chadron giving the address. Thos. Rawlings, president, Chas. Beebe, vice president and I. H. Weaver secretary and treasurer were elected as officers of the Gospel Temperance Union for the ensuing year.

Miss Emma Doose and Fred Meyer were married at the German Lutheran church Tuesday, March 25th, Rev. Borneman officiating. The attendants were Misses Freda Bichel and Emma Meyer, Messrs. Herman Doose, and Will Meyer.

At six o'clock a sumptuous wedding supper as served at the Meyer home. Mr. and Mrs. Meyer will live on his father's farm southwest of town.

Following is the lineup for the Coon-Creek Sluggers for the year 1918:

Bernard Meyer, Catcher.
Will Luit, Pitcher.

Wm. D. Meyer, 1st Base.
Will H. Meyer, 2nd Base.

Art Larsen, Shortstop.
Clark Bannister, 3rd Base.

Carl Meyer, left field.
Henry Kugler, center field.

Adolph Bair, right field.
Nels Nelson, President.
Dick Meyer, Manager.

Social Notes

About forty ladies responded to invitations issued by the Minerva club to the Country Clubs of Wayne, of which there are three, Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. A. Lutgen. The rooms were tastefully decorated in carnations and ferns. The address of welcome was made by Mrs. U. S. Conn, president of the Minerva's, after which the following program was rendered. Vocal solo, Mrs. James Britton, Reading, Mrs. F. S. Berry, Instrumental solo, Mrs. J. T. House and a Musical Reading, Mrs. Lutgen. After the program games and contests furnished entertainment until the close of the afternoon when a delicious buffet luncheon was served. Mrs. Munsinger tendered a vote of thanks to the Minerva club in behalf of the Country clubs for the courtesy extended them. Upon leaving each guest was presented with a carnation. Words of high praise are heard from those who attended.

The Junior Bible Circle met last Friday evening at the home of Miss Esther McNeal and studied the tenth chapter of John. After the regular lesson study Mrs. McNeal served ice cream and cake. Then they adjourned to meet Saturday afternoon when they elected the following officers: Louise Biegler, president; Bernice Brent, vice-president; Ina Ellings, secretary; Elsie Biegler, treasurer; and Ina Hughes, organist. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Schroer and Elsie Biegler will lead.

Mrs. S. A. Lutgen entertained the Bible Circle on Wednesday afternoon. The lesson study was one of vital importance, bringing about various interesting discussions that lead to a deeper insight of the scripture. This is the beginning of the second quarter. The lessons will still continue in Genesis and all who attend are receiving great blessing. Visitors are welcome and invited to attend. The next meeting is with Mrs. Noah Williamson.

Mrs. J. H. Felber was hostess to the U. D. club this week when an interesting program was carried out. Answers to roll call consisted

Winside Notes

(From the Tribune)

A letter from Miss Mina Lewis who lives at Macedonia, Iowa, to her brother, says that the Sunday storm blew down all the buildings on the Lewis home farm except the house and that was badly twisted

A very sad occurrence happened in Winside last Sunday and, as there are many rumors flying about, we will give the particulars as we got them direct. It seems that a little five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hartman, who live northwest of here, was taken suddenly sick and Dr. Phillips of Carroll once saw it was an urgent case and he and the parents brought the child here to take the afternoon train. The little fellow was taken to Dr. McIntyre's office to wait for the train but had hardly reached there when he expired. It was a case of a kink in the bowels and nothing but an operation could have saved him. It is a very sad case and the Tribune deeply sympathizes with the stricken family.

Among those who had relatives injured or had narrow escapes during the Sunday storm was Dan Cavanaugh who had a brother in it at Neola, Iowa. Mr. Thomas Cavanaugh and wife are reported in Tuesday's Bee as being injured and badly burned, but how serious it cannot be found out now. Mr. L. W. Needham's brother, Cliff Giegear of Emerson, was boarding out in the residence district and was so close to the storm that the windows were sucked out and a valise was drawn out through the window by the same influence and has not been seen since. Walter Gaebler had relatives within a block of the wind swept street and Mrs. Dr. McIntyre thinks her relatives were in it or very close.

Clipped From Boyle's Paper
M. H. Boyle, wife and little boy, and Mrs. Boyle's mother and sister, Mrs. N. B. and Val Ecker, arrived here from Winside, Neb., Tuesday evening and have moved into Chas. Spark's residence. Did you ever try to get out an edition of a newspaper, trace your baggage that has been lost in transit, swing a 60 pound axe splitting through stumps for firewood and move, all in the space of 48 hours? If you haven't don't.—Estacada, (Oregon) Progress.

Roy Fisher shipped three fine Hampshire sows to P. D. Correll of Plainview Friday, and the latter can be sure he has the best there is in that line.

John Book went to Wayne Saturday to have the law interpreted to suit him in regard to caucuses and petitions, and returned that night looking as pleased as a boy with new red topped boots.

of Scotch quotations. Mrs. Morris delighted her listeners with "The Call of Spring" sung in her pleasing way. Mrs. Felber read extracts from "Beside the Bonnie Brier Bush" and Mrs. Craven spoke on some of the characteristics of the Scotch. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Maude Craven.

Mrs. L. A. Fanske was hostess to the Tuesday club this week. Current events and an excellent paper on "What Literature Our Children Should Read" was read by Mrs. Horace Theobald, a general discussion following. The remainder of the afternoon was then spent socially. Mrs. Fanske also served a delicious two course luncheon. Mrs. V. A. Senter will preside at the next meeting.

In the absence of Mrs. Raymond the Acme club met with Mrs. Walter Weber. The subject of the lesson was on the natural wonders of the world. Those having papers were Mesdames Blair, Davies, Theobald and Britell. The ladies then subscribed a sum of ten dollars to the relief fund of the tornado sufferers in Omaha. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Raymond.

The Shakespeare club met with Miss Stocking Tuesday evening and enjoyed an interesting review on "Peter Pan" by Miss Fairchild. Miss Fairchild had the good fortune to see Maude Adams in the presentation of this delightful drama last week and gave an excellent review. Miss Nettie Craven will be hostess at the next meeting.

Mrs. Brown Palmer presided as hostess to the Rural Home society last Thursday afternoon. A delicious dinner was served after which the afternoon was spent in sewing for the hostess. Mrs. Palmer was assisted by her two daughters, Mesdames Anderson and Beckenhauer.

The Monday club had a short session at the home of Mrs. Moran this week. It being Magazine day, the hostess lead in a general discussion of the topic. Light refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Zoll.

The Prescilla club met with Miss Georgie Bush at her home in the east part of town last Saturday and spent the afternoon in sewing and sociability and at the close the hostess served a dainty two course luncheon.

The Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church will hold a business meeting at the home of Mrs. D. C. Main Thursday afternoon, April 10th, at half past two. All members are requested to be present.

The meeting of the P. E. O. Sisterhood which was announced for this week in last week's paper, will be held with Miss Nangle next Monday evening.

Miss Jessie Strickland entertained the Bridge Whist club at her home last evening. Light refreshments were served.

The Westminster Guild will meet with Miss Wallace at the F. H. Jones home next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. C. A. Chace will entertain the E. H. club tomorrow evening.

The G. A. R. Circle meets Saturday evening of this week.

The Thursday club has no meeting this week.

G. W. Henderson is at Winnebago and Emerson this week, delivering nursery stock.

Wants, For Sale, Etc.

FOR SALE—Cheap work or driving horse, double or single. Good saddles. J. H. Boyce. Phone Red 381.—adv.

FOR RENT—5-room house, close in. See I. W. Alter.—adv.

Having sold my horse I will offer for sale good harness, carriage and barn.—John Morgan.—adv 7tf.

FOR SALE—At a great bargain. Must be sold before May 1st, 150 acres of good level land all broke, four miles from good town in Southeastern South Dakota. This land is as good as anything in Wayne county and you can buy it at specially reduced price. Positively must be sold before May 1st. Inquire at Leahy's Drug Store.—adv.

FOR SALE—Located in one of the best residence districts in town, a good nine room residence. A snap if taken soon. Enquire of J. E. Marsteller.—adv.

WANTED—Lady or gentleman of fair education living in or outside Wayne to do home work or travel. Salary \$15 to \$18 per week and expenses. Experience unnecessary. Address Mrs. Jennie Brown, Gen'l Del. Wayne, Neb.—adv 1 pd.

Modern House—For Sale or Trade
A strictly modern eight room house. Furnace heated. Hot and cold water, both City and Soft. Good cistern. Cemented Laundry room in basement with cellar drain and sewer connections. New cement walks. House is located in one of the best localities in Wayne.
J. F. BARRETT,
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For Sale

City Property.
—Adv. GRANT MEARS.

Now On Sale.

Some excellent young Duroc male pigs and Rhode Island cockerels. Call at farm one mile south of Wayne.—Adv. Will Morgan.

Some Good Thoroughbreds.

I have a few choice pure-bred Duroc boars and Shorthorn bulls for sale. See me at the harness shop. JOHN S. LEWIS JR.—Adv.

Short Horns For Sale.

I have a number of good Short Horn Bulls for sale, from seven months to two years old. Come and see them if you are wanting a thoroughbred animal.—Adv. C. B. THOMPSON.

Poultry and Eggs

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

Eggs for hatching, S. C. R. I. Reds; B. Plymouth Rocks and Ronen Ducks. WINNIE MEIER Phone 21-417—adv 10tf.

White Rock eggs for hatching from my pen of carefully selected large vigorous hens mated with males from Henry Linke's prize winning pen. Eggs are testing high per cent fertile. Call and see my stock or phone Red 387. Mrs. L. P. Walker. adv.

S. C. White Leghorns
Eggs For Hatching
Pens headed by males from the "YESTERLAD" Egg Farm. Stock is bred right and fed right. A limited number of eggs for sale at \$1.50 per 15. Book your order early. Phone Red-116. FERTILITY GUARANTEED
I. C. Trumbauer, Wayne

The Percheron Stallion GODARD

Will make the season at Ed. Owen farm, 1 1-2 miles west of Wayne.

Godard is a dark gray, weighs 1850, has good action. Has been examined and is sound.
PEDIGREE AT BARN

TERMS:—\$15.00 to insure colt to stand and suck. Care taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur. No Sunday service.

RAY HURST, OWNER