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## OLD SETTLERS DAY A SUCCESS

Large Attendance, Perfect Weather and Popular Program Mark New Lease of Life to Annual Meet of Pioneers

The meeting of the pioneers and old settlers of Wayne county held on the court house lawn Thursday was a success in every particular—attendance, interest, enthusiasm and program. The refreshing shower of the previous evening cooled the atmosphere, and the day was almost ideal. The Bloomfield military band arrived on an early train and gave a concert on Main street while the crowd was assembling for the forenoon program. The concert on the court house lawn was greatly enjoyed. Bloomfield is to be congratulated upon the excellent showing made by her band. The music furnished for this occasion under the direction of Dick Avard was one of the most pleasing features of the day's program.

Following the band concert President Ferguson made a brief address, expressing his appreciation of the large number in attendance and welcoming the pioneers of Wayne county and their friends to the twelfth annual reunion of the association.

A chorus of sixteen voices under the direction of Professor M. S. Davies sang most beautifully a selection from the Oratorio of Emanuel, entitled "O How Excellent." Too much praise cannot be given Professor Davies for the success of the music. The large, well-trained chorus which furnished the opening and closing numbers of the morning program was the result of faithful work and efficient leadership upon the part of the chairman of the committee on music.

Following the invocation by Dr. Alexander Corkey the normal male quartette sang in a most pleasing manner, the old, old song, "When You and I Were Young," and Herbert A. Welch rendered in most excellent voice, "The Soldier's Song."

Judge James Britton, a resident of Wayne county since 1876, was called upon to introduce the speaker. The judge briefly reviewed his acquaintance with Col. Majors, spoke of the years of distinguished service he had rendered to the state, and referred to him as the father of state normal schools in Nebraska.

The speech of Colonel Majors was in the nature of an outline history of the state from its territorial days to the glorious present—yet more than a history, it told of details that would have to be omitted in a complete history and

omitted a lot of big incidents that were of no particular interest on the occasion which called him to speak. He told how he secured the first state normal for Peru, his home town, by trying to have that place named as the state capitol, and failing in that laudible undertaking he had accepted the normal school instead. There is little doubt but that the school, while not so profitable an asset to a community as the capitol, has done the state far less harm if not more of good than the capitol. His remarks were pleasing and instructive and the committee is to be congratulated upon the good fortune which enabled them to have for their speaker so representative an old settler as Colonel Majors.

At the close of Mr. Major's address the chorus sang, "Awake Aeolian Lyre." Then followed the picnic dinner on the lawn. By the thoughtfulness of Mr. Ferguson tables and chairs had been provided for all who brought their dinners to the grounds and many found the picnic dinner one of the most enjoyable features of the day.

Promptly at 1:30 the band summoned the people once more around the speaker's stand and the afternoon program opened with a selection by the quartet, "Hard Times Come Again No More." The audience expressed their appreciation in such a way that the quartet was compelled to respond to an encore.

A brief business session followed and, upon motion of S. E. Auker, the officers of 1913 were re-elected to serve the association for another year. The officers are: A. J. Ferguson, president; J. H. Mitchell, vice-president; W. H. Gildersleeve, treasurer; Charlotte M. White, historian; W. D. Redmond, secretary.

A vocal solo by Miss Ina Hughes was very much appreciated as was the reading by Miss Rosa Blackmore. Brief talks were made by S. E. Auker, Ernst Beemer, C. H. Bright, John McGuire and Rev. P. R. Glotfelty. The secretary read a letter written by G. M. Lodge, at one time pastor of the Presbyterian church of this place and now residing at Long Beach, California. The letter follows:

Long Beach, Cal., Aug. 1, 1913.  
Mr. A. J. Ferguson and all other old settlers and old friends of Wayne, Nebraska, I send you greetings.

Well do I remember my first visit to Wayne in September, 1881, the difficulty in finding places to sleep and eat. The county seat was at Laporte, six miles southeast of Wayne. Houses were few but prairies were wide and inviting; and hearts and hands seemed ready to make us comfortable. So we suffered not, had a good time, remained over a Sabbath, preached in the court house, also in Wayne, first sermon ever preached in the new town. Had 40 hearers, 37 of whom were men and three women. With an eye to the future, as well as eyes open at the present, we saw many attractions and mentally pre-empted a home. In November, 1881, I was urged to come to Wayne and look after the organization of a Presbyterian church. I found then a population of about 100 persons. I visited every home in the new town and ascertained the church relations, or inclinations of the people, and decided to organize, which we did ere I left.

In April, 1882, I came over the Big Muddy, and proceeded to make me a home. Wayne was very new, just born, but was a lusty infant and grew steadily. All the men were building homes, their wives waiting in the old home elsewhere to come later. It was hard to find food and lodging the summer of 1882. I was alone five months building a house and doing the best I could; working six days in the week preaching on the Seventh in Wayne and Wakefield. Well the town grew nice, men and women kept coming, churches increased their membership, people were social, real estate men were busy and persistent, as they are always and everywhere.

The rich, open prairies around Wayne needed only to be seen by men of common sense to be purchased and improved. Wayne wanted to be the county seat, held an election and won, but the county seat was not willing to come. I remember well an appointed day, when an adequate number of men and teams went over to Laporte, loaded county seat and county officials into their wagon and brought the concern (except courthouse)

over the hills to its new home. Several houses were brought over from Laporte to Wayne, the largest being that of Dr. Crawford.

Time would fail me to tell all the interesting things I recollect of Wayne and its people, its growth and social character, my pleasant experience, and that of my good wife and children. I look back to my life in Wayne with more pleasure than to any other home. I am glad to have had, even some humble part in making so good a town as Wayne. I wish I were with you old settlers today, as I have been many times in the past—my heart is with you. Many have passed away, others have gone to other homes. You will miss them, I would miss them if I were with you today. I find myself growing more kindly and liberal toward my fellow men as I grow older. I have learned that some people in the church are not as good as some people outside. I am not partial, but I want to say that Wayne never had better citizens than Mr. and Mrs. Chace, Sr., and their sons and daughters. This I say without thinking evil of anyone else.

After my five years residence in Wayne and seven long summers in later years, I still cherish fond memories of the early and the later years of life at Wayne, and all her people, and am proud to be one of her old settlers.

I hope I may once more visit the old pleasant home. I am now an octogenarian, but am well, able to enjoy one square meal daily at noon, and a few bites in my hand once or twice more when I need it. Wishing you all a happy picnic day, I remain yours till we meet again, and then forever,

G. M. Lodge.

From 2:30 to 3:30 the committee on amusements had charge of the program. Fred Blair, E. J. Hunter and V. E. Senter had planned a number of events for the young people and they were carried out as announced. The following winners in the various contests have been reported:

Boys' race under 9—  
First, Eli Hufshaw.  
Second, Leslie Graves.  
Boys' race, under 12—  
First, Ray Gildersleeve.  
Second, Lawrence Hickman.  
Boys' race, under 16—  
First, Glenn Miner.  
Second, Marion Grothe.  
Girls' race, under 9—  
First, Marie Courtwright.  
Second, Mabel Laase.  
Girls' race, under 12—  
First, Letha Wright.  
Second, Verna Powers.  
Girls' race, under 16—  
First, Rosa Blackmore.  
Second, Elizabeth Mines.  
Barrel race—  
First, John Marsteller.  
Second, Leland Holtz.  
Hobble Skirt race—  
First, Ralph Hickman.  
Second, Glenn Miner.  
Free for all race—  
First, Harry Gildersleeve.  
Second, Claude Courtwright.

The prize offered for the automobile party coming the longest distance was awarded to A. D. Schenck and family of Newcastle, who drove a distance of twenty-eight miles to attend the picnic. The winner of the second prize in this contest was T. A. Jackson of Sholes. Fred Meierhenry and his four boys living at Hoskins, Nebraska, drove twenty-four miles and received a cash prize of \$2 offered for the farmer coming the greatest distance with team. Ernst Beemer of Hoskins aged eighty-two years was the oldest settler on the grounds and received a cane from the association.

There was considerable rivalry for two of the prizes offered by the committee. One was for the best looking married woman on the grounds and the other for the homeliest man. The judges selected to determine the best looking woman were W. A. K. Neely, A. R. Davis and U. S. Conn. After several unsuccessful attempts had been made to unduly influence the judges Mrs. J. C. Forbes was voted the winner and was awarded a hand mirror. When it came to pick the homeliest man the list of available candidates was even larger than in the other case. To pass judgment in this instance fell to the lot of Mrs. U. S. Conn, Mrs. P. H. Kohl and Mrs. E. E. Lackey. The contest finally narrowed down to the consideration of four names: J. G. W. Lewis, Charley Martin, Jack Cherry and E. J. Hunter. Some felt that each of the four should be

given a premium but as there was only one prize offered it went to E. J. Hunter who was presented with a bottle of Rexall's tan and freckle lotion.

At 3:30 a matched game of base ball between Carroll and Laurel drew a large crowd to the fair grounds, Carroll being a winner by a score of 4 to 5.

## Teachers Institute

The teachers of Wayne county will meet in institute at the county court house this year August 25 to 29 inclusive. The programs have been issued by County Superintendent, Mrs. Elsie Littell, and tell the order of the day and instructors. As the institute and chautauqua come on the same week the institute sessions will only be forenoons, beginning at 8:10. The instructors are Rees Solomon of Norfolk who will have charge of the music. C. A. Fulmer of Wesleyan who will teach "School Management," "School Hygiene" and have charge of the Round Table work. For language and primary work, Miss Carrie Niedermeyer of Alliance has been engaged.

The fact that the chautauqua is to be held the same week will give the teachers who attend a double treat, for in addition to their institute work which is very interesting, they will have an opportunity to hear some excellent platform orators—men of more than state-wide reputation. This will certainly be the year to attend institute whether or not you intend to teach.

## Boosters From Boostville

Wayne was invaded Tuesday forenoon by as live a bunch of boosters as ever came down the pike. They were from our neighboring town of Carroll, and there were 36 automobiles in the string that swung round the corner and captured the town. Every automobile was loaded to the water line. The Carroll band was much in evidence and gave several selections, and with Auctioneer Jarvis playing the announcement act many people of Wayne learned first hand that there is to be a carnival at Carroll August 21, 22 and 23 and that during the three days a base ball tournament is to be pulled off. One notable feature of their booster-crowd was the apparent hearty co-operation of both town and country people. Thirty-six automobiles and more than 150 people make quite a show just by themselves. It was the most boosters that ever struck Wayne on one time.

## Stanton Store Burns in Storm

A special report from Stanton to the Norfolk News says the frame building belonging to Mrs. Ida Seidel, situated on the west side of Nebraska street, was discovered to be on fire about 1 o'clock Wednesday morning. The building was occupied by William Litson with a general stock of clothing which was practically a total loss. It was insured for \$2,500. The building was insured for \$500.

The upper part of the building, which was occupied by Mr. Litson and family, was also damaged. The household goods were insured for \$500. Mrs. Seidel's insurance will not cover her loss, but it is thought that Mr. Litson's loss will be approximately covered. An electric storm was raging at the time and the fire was not discovered until the whole interior was in flames.

## Death of Mrs. Pickering

Dr. J. J. Williams sends an Iowa City News which gives an account of the death of Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. Mary A. Pickering, which occurred at Iowa City, August 11, 1913, in the 83rd year of her life. She had been a resident of Iowa City for 55 years, and with her husband who survives her, had celebrated the 60th anniversary of their marriage. Mrs. Williams and her father are now the only survivors of the family. The funeral was from the Iowa City Episcopal church Wednesday morning. The many Wayne friends of Dr. and Mrs. Williams extend their heartfelt sympathy in this their hour of sorrow.

Mrs. D. A. Jones and Dorothy returned Tuesday from a visit at Hartington. They went by automobile the first of the week.

## The Passing of C. M. Sundahl

In the death of C. M. Sundahl, which occurred at his home at Sholes Sunday morning, August 10, 1913, Wayne county loses one of the early settlers who had many friends in this county which has been his home since 1855.

Born in Denmark August 24, 1842, he lacked but 14 days of being 71 years of age when the summons came at the close of several months of failing health. In Denmark he grew to manhood, was confirmed in the Lutheran church of which he remained a consistent member until his death. In his native land he was united in marriage to Celia Louise Dajmhart, September 19, 1868, who, with ten children born to the union, survive him. The wife is broken in health and has been an invalid for a number of years, having been stricken with paralysis a number of years ago.

They came to America in 1874 and first settled in Washington county in this state, and eleven years later came to this county which was his home for nearly thirty years. The children are now living in different states, the Dakotas, Minnesota and Wyoming.

Nine of the surviving children visited him during his last sickness and ministered as best they could to his wants, and eight of them were present at the funeral which was held at the Baptist church at Carroll Tuesday, and was conducted by the Lutheran minister from Randolph, and largely attended by neighbors and friends. An excellent citizen has gone—one of the hardy men who with his growing family has done well a part in developing this part of Nebraska.

## Will See Them Again

One of Wayne's good people was out in California this spring when the pictures of the life of Christ were being shown in the larger cities for the first time, following the return of the expedition to Palestine where the pictures were taken. She went to see them on that occasion and was delighted with them, so much so that she is going to buy a ticket to see them again on August 22nd when they will be shown in Wayne. "The pictures are so good that I want to see them again," she said. "There is so much to see that I am glad of a chance to look at them again.—adv.1

Work on the new depot is moving along slowly. Two cars of lumber came last night some of which they had been waiting for. The form for the basement and foundation is nearly in and material is here with which to fill it. The work of laying new steel is finished, the heavy steel laid west of Emerson now joining the heavy steel laid west of Wayne a few years ago.

## The Drouth Broken

Saturday night the much needed rain came—a gentle shower of nearly an inch which so came that it was all absorbed by the thirsty land and vegetation. This was followed Tuesday night by an inch rainfall, administered in the same gentle manner. These two rains have made much improvement in crop prospects and in the feeling of the people. Corn has not responded to the rain more readily than have the people—both have been revived.

It has been demonstrated that the soil here is a great drouth resister, and corn has come out of a trying situation far better than in most places. Careful inquiry from practical farmers from different localities indicates that this county will have from half to two-thirds of a crop of corn. Corn that was not planted too thick and has been well cared for is being estimated at from 25 to 35 bushels per acre. It is a hard matter to make an estimate, for no two men appear to agree.

Late potatoes have a chance, and fall plowing can be resumed in most places about here.

## Mrs. Hattie McClees Dead

Word was received at Wayne the first of the week of the death of Mrs. Hattie McClees, formerly of this place, which occurred at her home at Tulsa, Oklahoma, Thursday, the 7th, and the body was taken to Chicago for burial. She lived here several years, leaving for Oklahoma nearly three and one-half years ago. She and Mrs. Corbit are sisters and Mr. and Mrs. Corbit, who are in the east, visiting were called to her bedside some days ago. Mr. Corbit was in Iowa and reached Tulsa before the end came, but Mrs. Corbit, who was in Pennsylvania, was not permitted to see her sister alive. They accompanied the body to Chicago.

## Automobile Races?

There is a move under way that promises to develop in a two-day automobile meet at this place some time this month. In event of the plans being completed there will be several classes in which to compete and some fast drivers here to race and for exhibition purposes. There will be entries open to some restricted territory, as well as the free for all and the slow races. More is not known at this time.

## House and Lot For Sale

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**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

Cash paid for eggs. Geo. Fortner.—adv. tf.

R. N. Donahy was a visitor at Norfolk Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Madden visited at Sioux City Monday.

Mrs. Herman Hiechtenkamp spent Friday at Sioux City.

Ed A. Johnson spent Sunday at the Closson home at Sholes.

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

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

Fred Soderman was here from Hoskins Saturday looking after business matters.

J. T. Bressler and Wm. VonSeegen returned from Spirit Lake Thursday evening.

Mrs. Nels Johnson of Winside was a guest Saturday at the home of Chas. Riese and wife.

Miss Marjorie Kohl went to Winside Friday evening to visit with her friend, Miss Tot Chapin.

Gus Newman and wife went to Humphrey Friday evening for a few days visit with relatives.

Mrs. W. H. McNeal and daughter, Esther, went to Omaha Saturday for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. T. E. Walling went to Norfolk Saturday evening to spend Sunday with friends in that place.

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

Mrs. W. T. Ford came last week from Dayton, Texas, to visit at the home of H. S. Ringland and wife, her sister.

F. S. Berry and wife left Saturday for Chicago, where they plan to spend three weeks, visiting and sight seeing.

Wm. Stageman and wife of Randolph left Saturday to enjoy a three week's outing in the Yellowstone National park.

Miss Clara Whitney went to Sioux City Friday. She is engaged as one of the teachers there for the coming school year.

Lumber is being hauled to the McEachen farm south of the home place for a new barn. The structure will be about 32x40.

Mrs. Farren from Marysville, Missouri, and Mrs. Smith of Beloit, Kansas, came Friday evening to visit for a time with their sister, Mrs. Robert Perrin.

Mrs. Harriett Cook and her daughter Miss Amel, from Dallas, Texas, arrived here Sunday evening to visit with her sister, Mrs. Agnes Kiplinger for a time.

Miss Violet Woosley returned Monday from her two weeks' vacation, most of which was spent at Columbus. Since Friday she has been at Laurel visiting friends.

Yes, Farmers, Fortner pays cash for eggs and the top price.—adv.

Frank Spahr and family went to Bloomfield Saturday to visit over Sunday.

C. A. Chace went to Stanton Saturday to spend Sunday with relatives.

Henry Kellogg and wife returned Monday from a visit with their sons at Verdel.

Mrs. Bert Olson came from Wakefield Saturday to visit at the home of Elvin Johnson and family.

Miss Bess Kryger came Saturday evening from Sioux City to spend Sunday at the home of J. H. Wendte and wife.

The first return of spring wheat which has come to our knowledge was a field of 50 acres which yielded 600 bushels or 12 per acre.

Mary, Lucinda and Earl Panmabaker who have been here for several weeks visiting relatives, left Monday for their home at Omaha.

Robert Steele came down from Allen Saturday morning to visit at the home of his mother, Mrs. E. W. Steele, and his brother, James.

Geo. Luders returned Monday morning from a visit at Winside, where he spent Saturday and Sunday with numerous relatives and friends.

Carl Guss and wife were called to Laurel Monday to attend the funeral of their friend, Ernest Schultz, who died at that place last week.

Secretary of State Bryan represented Lincoln banks and bankers at the conference held by western clearing house associations with Secretary McAdoo.

Henry Hiebertahl of Scribner was renewing old acquaintances at Wayne Monday while waiting a west bound train. He had been visiting at Randolph.

A number of the members of the Wayne Bible circle went to Wakefield Friday afternoon to attend the tent meetings there, and they report an enjoyable time.

J. E. Sweet and wife, who have been here from Council Bluffs, the lady helping at the home of her father, R. Lauman during threshing, returned home last week.

Mrs. E. Lischen and Mrs. Leon Roberts of Griswold, Iowa, were here last week visiting at the home of their sister, Mrs. H. W. Wintersteen, northwest of Wayne.

Wendel Baker went to Nelligh Monday morning to assist his son there during the threshing season. He was accompanied by his little granddaughter, Marie Baker, who will visit her uncle and aunt.

N. VanBuskirk and wife from New Castle were here last week visiting the lady's sister, Mrs. F. G. Wadsworth. They left Friday evening for Harrison, where they will visit relatives for a time.

J. J. Coleman and wife left Saturday to visit for a time at Des Moines, Iowa. They were accompanied by his brother-in-law, Jas. Jones and wife, of Afton, Iowa, who had been spending several days at the Coleman home.

Ed J. Raymond came down from Des Moines Monday to superintend the shipping of his household goods to Des Moines and also to look after the loading and shipment of some of the machinery and factory furniture. He reports that work on their new building is moving nicely, and that it will be under roof this week. Mr. Kate and family he says are well.

The Democrat for job printing.

Master Edward McChesney went to Council Bluffs, Iowa, Monday to visit relatives. He went with his uncle, John Hufford as far as Omaha.

E. W. Johnson and wife returned Monday from a short visit with home folks at Oakland, where she went last week, and he joined her Sunday.

W. O. Hanssen and family returned Monday from a visit at Page. They went by automobile, but on account of a break returned by train.

R. B. Wahlquist, editor of the Adams County Democrat, has received a letter from Senator Hitchcock informing him that he had recommended him to the postmaster general as postmaster at Hastings. We can agree with our Senator on that move.

R. J. Damsay shipped two loads of fat cattle to South Omaha Monday and found a market a little stronger than last week, owing to the recent rains giving new hope of better feed. Henry Lessman also went in with a car from his feed lots that evening.

Arthur Jones, a nephew of A. H. Parry and wife, who has been spending the summer here, working at the Forbes place, left Monday for Canada, going to Bangor in the Saskatchewan district to enter the great harvest fields and see the country in that domain.

Mrs. J. L. Winterburn of Sioux City was one of the former Wayne people who came last week to visit old friends and attend the old settler picnic. She returned home Monday. For fifteen years she was a resident here, when about six years ago moved to Sioux City, where she still resides.

Mrs. Pursinger and children, who have been here for several weeks from Emerson, where they formerly lived, left Monday for their new home at Fullerton, North Dakota, where Mr. Pursinger went after the sale of the elevator in which he was engaged, to take charge of an elevator business.

Miss Laura Burnett, who has been at Winnebago, staying with Mrs. Ross while her husband, Elza Ross was at a Sioux City hospital, returned home Monday morning and reports that Mr. Ross arrived home from hospital last Friday evening and that he is feeling very well and regaining strength rapidly.

Rev. A. Swartwood of Fremont is visiting and preaching at Magnet and Bloomfield. He is a minister of the Christian church, who does a sort of missionary work among the churches without pastors, and he may be engaged to supply these two churches until such time as a regular pastor can be obtained.

W. H. Eastburn and wife of Randolph were here old settler's day taking in the show and visiting at the home of their brother-in-law, Wm. House. Mr. House is still confined to his home as the result of the fall when the boy and the bicycle collided with him, and yet we see people riding wheels on the side walk.

S. R. Theobald and Dr. Blair left Sunday for Denver and will be in that city this week during the time when the Knights Templar are holding the national meeting there. Denver will be in holiday attire for their reception—the Knights—having spent nearly a quarter of a million for decorations for the occasion.

Madison Brown has purchased the Fred Eickhoff place in the east part of town and is planning to put up a new dwelling on the east one of the three lots he acquired. He recently purchased most of the material in the building on the Odd Fellow lot, and will use the dimension stuff which is better than one can buy now at the lumber yard, for the frame.

There was quite a party gathered at the home of Chas. Lessman northeast of Wayne Sunday for a double purpose. One was in honor of Henry Lessman's 62nd birthday, and the other was the baptism of his little grandson, the infant son of Chas. Lessman and wife. Several from Wayne were present, and quite a number of their many country friends were in attendance in honor of the two events. All enjoyed the afternoon very much.

J. E. Hufford left Monday for Omaha where he will again be in charge of the McClurg headquarters for the wholesale handling of books and kindred lines—a work in which he engaged last fall for several months. This fall the family will also go to Omaha and remain during this stay there, and they will also go this week. It is planned to return in November or December and then take up the poultry work again for the spring and summer months.

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**Neighborhood News**

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The Niobrara reservation is soon to be thrown open for homesteaders.

The W. O. W. will have a big picnic at Ponca August 20th. If you chop wood with that crowd, better be there.

The automobile now claims more victims than the railroads, and between the two it is going to hurry the people to hold their number good.

Miss Helen White of Wayne, Nebr., who has been visiting Mrs. A. J. Conner of 1814 East Platte avenue, has returned to her home. —Colorado Springs News Letter.

Dixon county Normal will be held at Ponca August 18 to 23, inclusive. The instructors are: Chancellor C. E. Fulmer, University Place; Prof. H. C. Filley, Lincoln; Miss Mary Ellen Brown, Lincoln; Mrs. Louise Murfree, Wayne.

Judging from reports, the railroad companies of Iowa quit hauling liquor on the 5th. But the express companies are still carrying it to all who order it. It looks very much like a scheme to get the money, as the rates are more than double by express.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wilson of Wayne, Nebraska, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith, 1802 Cheyenne road, Colorado Springs. Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Smith are sisters. Mr. Wilson is a prominent banker of Wayne. —Colorado Springs News Letter.

Prairie chickens were once cheap enough and common enough for any poor man's table at this season of the year. Not so now. Four birds cost two men near Columbus \$10 each besides \$6 for trimmings. Most too high for common folks to eat. The game warden caught them.

Dick Closson, who is editing the Sanborn, Iowa, Pioneer and walking, thinks of breaking West on's record by the time he is as old. He is now walking two and a half miles night and morning to and from work, and says he don't think he would like it for regular pastime. A good chance to frame up some editorial stuff. Something like a friendly road or a dusty one.

Assurance that the Northwestern would go ahead and construct a \$25,000 modern depot at Plainview in accordance with railway commission orders of a month ago, was received by that body last week. The step indicates that litigation of a year and a half is finally to be settled. The complaint originated as a union depot fight, but was changed on request of Plainview citizens. The railroad seems to fight these depot cases until time comes for trail and then they come across.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lindahl of Wakefield was the scene of a happy social gathering on Monday afternoon, when the members of the Ladies' Aid society of the Swedish Lutheran Church in customary politeness rushed in on Mrs. Lindahl and landed on her a well planned surprise. The occasion was Mrs. Lindahl's 70th birthday anniversary and should have been observed on Saturday, August 2, but for certain reasons it was decided to postpone it until the following Monday. In remembrance of the day and as a token of friendship a handsome little gift in cash was presented to Mrs. Lindahl. Short speeches were made by Rev. Pearson of Concord and C. O. Bergquist, after which congratulations were in order and many were the wishes expressed for many more returns of the day. —Contributed.

John Kuhl departed Tuesday noon for South America and expects to be on that continent for five or six months. He leaves the shores of the United States and will land from the steamship in Brazil, from this country of interest and opportunity he will visit Argentine, then cross the Andes mountains to the Pacific side, visit Chile, that volatile little republic laying along the shores of the Pacific ocean with mountains at its back. On the return trip Mr. Kuhl will visit the Canal Zone and look over Uncle Sam's big engineering job. This trip was undertaken by Mr. Kuhl simply for information at first hand, and gathered in his own way, about these countries, their industries, the land and opportunities for investment. He may invest there and may not, but he wants to know about these countries and is going to find out for himself. The trip will be made leisurely with plenty of time for observation. —Randolph Times.

**Commissioners' Proceedings.**

Wayne, Nebr., Aug. 5, 1913. Board met as per adjournment. All members present. The following claims were on motion audited and allowed and warrants ordered drawn:

Alex Smith, road work, \$1.75.  
Carl Sweigard road work, \$21.00.  
O. G. Boock, road work, \$60.50.  
John Sweigard, road work, \$7.00.  
Geo. W. Sweigard, road work, \$42.00.  
Geo. F. Drevesen, road work, \$31.50.  
Carl Sweigard road work \$10.50.  
E. LaPlant, road work, \$28.00.  
Robt. Papstein, road work, \$11.25.  
Geo. S. Farren, road work \$17.75  
Henry Rethwisch, road work, \$12.00.  
Lawrence Ring, road and grader work, \$40.00.  
Ole Lyngen, grader work, \$3.50.  
R. E. Gibson, grader work, \$22.75.  
Almond Anderson, grader work, \$5.00.  
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Fred Lorenz, dragging roads, \$25.00.  
Geo. Reuter, dragging roads, \$9.00.  
Lawrence Ring, dragging roads, \$2.75.  
Otto Fleer, dragging roads, \$2.50.  
Theodore Larsen, dragging roads, \$15.00.  
Chas. W. Reynolds, salary for July, \$137.50.  
Ed Berger, blacksmithing, \$26.  
Nebraska Democrat, printing, \$55.43.  
Walter Gaebler, registrar of births and deaths, \$1.50.  
J. J. Ahern, clothing for Moritz Esche and Mrs. Sparks, \$8.50.  
Furchner Wendte & Co., supplies for poor farm, \$2.00.  
J. E. Harmon, salary for July, \$50.00.  
Nebraska Tel. Co., Aug. rent, July tolls, \$17.40.  
H. W. Barnett, drayage, 40c.  
R. F. Kitterman, refund of tax, \$22.35.  
F. H. Benshoof, registrar of births and deaths, \$6.75.  
A. M. Guenzel, blacksmithing, claimed \$57.55, allowed \$49.55.  
A. H. Carter, balance due on salary as county assessor, \$400.00.  
Wayne Herald printing, \$33.83.  
Elsie Littell, salary, postage, freight, express, drayage for July, \$113.93.  
C. Templin, registrar of births and deaths, \$2.00.  
Walter Ulrich, load of cobs for Janitor, \$3.00.  
Geo. S. Farran, commissioner services, \$97.10.  
Henry Rethwisch, commissioner services, \$100.00.  
Eph Anderson, commissioner services, \$91.25.  
Gust Kruger is hereby appointed overseer of road district No. 62 and bond approved.

County Clerk is hereby ordered to have published the names of those that had made Automobile registration from August 1, 1912, to August 1, 1913.

County Clerk is hereby ordered to make request on the State Engineer for bridge plans for the bridge work of 1914.

Report of Chas. W. Reynolds, county clerk, showing amount of fees earned by him for the quarter ending June 30, 1913, amounted to the sum of \$381.65 as shown by the fee book and records as follows:

59 deeds	61.55
90 mortgages	126.30
68 releases	62.65
183 chattel mortgages	36.00
10 certificates	5.50
21 assignments	20.90
7 probates	27.75
12 affidavits	11.30
3 marginal releases	7.50
11 reports	5.30
2 Letters testamentary	1.80
5 leases	4.00
4 notarial commissions	8.00
5 contracts	2.00
1 transcript	2.50
2 articles of incorporation	3.35
1 extension of mortgage	1.50
2 licenses to embalm	.50
2 stock liens	.40
Total for quarter	\$381.65

which by months is as follows:  
April \$87.95  
May 120.00  
June 73.70  
Total \$381.65  
Deputy hire for quarter \$200.00  
Excess fees \$181.65  
Comes now Chas. W. Reynolds, county clerk, and presents county treasurer's receipts showing payment of the excess fees of \$181.65 into the county treasury, and on motion the report is approved. Whereupon Board adjourned to August 11, 1913.  
CHAS. W. REYNOLDS,  
Clerk.

Wayne, Nebr., Aug. 6, 1913. Board of Education met as per adjournment. Present Eph Anderson and Henry Rethwisch, commissioners and Chas. W. Reynolds,



**Keep at It**  
Talk Number 3  
on the  
**CHAUTAUQUA**  
**THE Chautauqua**  
will stir up enthusiasm and interest in a great number of fine things.  
Take the case of the business man. He will be crammed full of new ideas on business, politics, religion and what not.  
Every woman will get a new look at the things which concern her.  
All at once, the young folks will become interested in a lot of big things they never dreamed of before. And the boys and girls will be wishing they could be a little bigger so they "could do something."  
These dreams are what make the LIFE of a community.  
If the Chautauqua suggests that something be torn down, it offers a means by which something better can be built up. Its whole purpose is constructive.  
These new dreams the Chautauqua leaves, pay if you keep dreaming and start working as you dream.  
And then KEEP AT IT.  
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clerk. Absent Geo. S. Farran, commissioner and chairman and A. H. Carter, county assessor. No report having been received from the State Board of Equalization board adjourned to August 19, 1913.

Chas. W. Reynolds,  
Clerk.

**Grand Opera Artists**  
Alexander Liberati, cornet virtuoso, of Liberati's band has announced the list of vocal artists who will assist him in giving free concerts at the state fair grounds, Sept. 1-5. He will bring ten grand-opera stars with him this fall. The list follows:

- Mme. Amelia Seidelmayer, prima donna, soprano.
- Miss Elena Reiter, mezzo soprano.
- Mr. Pietro Venerandi, tenor.
- Mr. Cesare Freddi, tenor.
- Mr. Giuseppe Modesti, baritone.
- Mr. Cervi, basso.
- Mr. Desiderio Pezzetti, tenor and chorus director.
- Miss Marie Scharff, contralto.
- Miss Elsa Vordan, contralto.
- Mr. John Leemans, tenor.

**Daily News Enlarged**  
Announcement is made that the Sioux City Daily News will be greatly enlarged on September 1, and will thereafter be recognized as a democratic newspaper. Its news service will be greatly strengthened, leased telegraph wire being installed. It will have two strong correspondents in Washington, and its facilities for covering the news of the four states will be greatly increased. It will have an exclusive editorial page, and its editorial policy will be fearless and progressive. It will have many strong magazine and illustrated features that cannot be found in any other Sioux City newspaper. The Daily News Sports page and woman's page will be the best issued in this territory, and its market reports will be complete. The Sioux City Daily News at \$2 a year is the best newspaper bargain to be had. Subscribe at this office.

It Can be Relied Upon  
The Amearcan Drug and Press Association authorizes its members to guarantee absolutely Meritol Hair Tonic. It has no equal. It is a wonderful remedy. A trial will convince you. Adams Model Pharmacy, Wayne.—adv. A.

The best lubricant  
for wagons is  
**Mica Axle Grease**  
Saves repairs and makes hard roads easy.  
"It's the Mica that does it."  
**STANDARD OIL COMPANY**  
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WAYNE MARKET REPORT

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

Oats	32c
Corn	64c
Barley	47c
Spring wheat	71c
Wheat	72c
Eggs	12c
Butter	22c
Hogs	7.25
Fat Cattle	\$6.50 @ \$8.50

Wayne citizens are now making everything neat and tidy for the visitors who will honor us with their presence during chautauqua week. An excellent program, and the best talent has been secured.

With free trade in sugar the price to the consumer will be higher than now, argues the protectionist, and this will cause all of the home sugar growers to abandon the business. Protection is as a two edged sword, it cuts both ways—according to their own argument.

Perhaps Mulhall told some stories that were not quite correct, but he has evidently told too much truth to suit a lot of the fellows for when you accuse a man of something he is not innocent of you get right in under the hide. Did you notice how Cummins squirmed?

It does look strange to hear the protectionists "demanding the right" of the people to a referendum vote on the tariff measure. The referendum of the present tariff law last fall should satisfy them. Let the law be enacted and if it fails the people can do to Wilson what they did to Taft.

In the name of giving the people of Nebraska a representative in the Senate, the election of I. J. Dunn of Omaha is mentioned as successor to Gilbert Hitchcock. With Dunn in the senate there would be no doubt about the vote of Nebraska on the tariff and currency question. It would not be in the interest of protected interests or the money trust.

Congressman Stephens is getting plenty of advice as to the proper way to select the postmasters of this district. Nearly every candidate and most of the newspaper men are saying that the way to do it is to do it—but if Dan did do it and did not do it as each of these individual candidates think right it would be an exhibition of poor judgment to say the least, in the eyes of those who failed to be named.

Advertising is the art of doing business. The newspaper furnishes the best and most economical method of sending a word to the people. The man asking for business should have something to say and say it briefly, in plain language and then stop, for that time. Then say something more next time. Try it for a season. Time and advertising are necessary to make business grow. The more advertising the less time required.

If some of those congressmen and senators who criticized Bryan for spending part of his vacation time in earning enough to make his salary meet the expenses, will look back a few years they will find in the congressional record where they voted to double their own salary—probably to make the ends meet, and then where they voted themselves mileage, home and back, when one congress died one day and the new one convened next day. As a question of honorable methods who stands first?

When a standpatter is fairly beaten in the fight conducted according to the rules he has fought by as long as he could win he will not stay beaten. Just now the great standpat element of tariff beneficiaries are becoming converts to the referendum. They never wanted it before, but now they need it—for by invoking the referendum for the tariff measure they hope to retain their hold a little longer upon the purses of the people. So long as they were in power they did not think it necessary to refer to the people—now they want one more chance—or at least a reason for delay. The dear people should be given a chance to change their mind. They die hard.

Remember that the Democrat goes into 1,500 homes each week whether you have an advertisement in it or not—and for five or ten cents each week you could carry just a line to let the people know that you are not dead. There is always a chance to send the message out, and you are the one who loses if you do not improve the chance. Just the name and business is better than nothing.

The city council is to be commended for its good work in having the last bit of public board walk replaced with concrete. It is to be hoped that their next move will be to condemn some of the concrete walks that are full of holes and hollows, so that one can travel over them following a rain without stepping into water half shoe-top deep. There are a number of such walks in the business part of town that have been worn out or were not put in as they should have been. The excellent rain we were so glad to see Saturday night was very refreshing to the memory on this question.

Government ownership of railroads will be one of the political questions of the day within a few years, and if the railroads are so shortsighted as to make a serious fuss over the pay they now get for carrying the mail because of the fact that the parcel post is taking from the express companies business on which they have been getting a better rate by dividing spoils with the express companies, they will do more to hurry government ownership in one short month than five years of the ordinary agitation of the question will do. Let them buck if they wish. It will aid the cause of the people. That it will pay the government to own the railroads and pay a fair valuation for them cannot well be questioned. On this subject the Columbus Telegram contains the following:

"Long ago The Telegram became converted to the cause of government ownership of railroads, and we are more firm today in the belief that our position is right than when we first became converted. It is admitted on all sides by honest men that more than one-half the volume of capital upon which the railroads now collect freight and passenger tribute from the people is water. The advocates of government ownership of railroads demand that all this water shall be squeezed out of the railroads, and that they be purchased by the government at fair actual value. Upon that fair value the government could cut freight rates in the middle, and still have plenty of railroad revenue out of which to pay interest on the railroad bonds, and also enough to pay better wages to railroad employees than have ever been paid by the private owners of the roads."

STATEMENT

Following is a yearly statement of the Old Settler's association, August 7, 1913:

Balance on hand	\$ 7.10
Collected by Subscription	178.00
Membership Fees	3.00
Grand Stand Collection	8.10
Bloomfield Military Band	90.00
T. J. Majors	26.50
Boys' and Girls' Races	15.00
Dr. Adams, 4 balls	4.50
W. H. Hoguewood, dragging	.50
Chasing lost balls	.50
Miss C. White data and history	7.50
Blair and Mulloy, ad. by Com. club	3.00
Clarence Conger, Ctge.	.50
Orr & Morris, coffee	1.65
Gaertner & Beckenhauer, chairs	1.25
F. Powers, Ctge	6.50
W. H. Hoguewood, Ctge.	.75
State Journal Co., Tags	4.50
W. E. Beaman, cream	.75
Nebr. Democrat, printing	6.50
W. D. Redmond, stamps	3.00
T. A. Jackson, Sholes	1.00
H. Barnett, Ctge.	.50
J. G. Mines	1.50
A. D. Schenck, Newcastle	2.00
Red Meierhenry, Hoskins	2.00
Wayne Herald, printing	9.75
M. S. Davies, music	2.00
	191.65 196.20
Bal. on hand	4.65
	196.20
W. H. Gildersleeve, Treasurer.	

LIST SCHOOL OFFICERS WAYNE COUNTY 1913-14.

No.	Director	Postoffice
1	Will Hugelmann	Wakefield.
2	John Geewee	Wakefield.
3	Charles Bernhardt	Hoskins.
4	Detlef Kai	Pender.
5	W. C. Splittgerber	Wisner, No. 1.
6	P. A. Peterson	Wakefield.
7	S. C. Bressler	Pender.
8	J. W. Bannister	Wayne.
9	Simon Strate	Hoskins.
10	H. V. Richardson	Wayne.
11	Otto Miller	Hoskins.
12	J. W. Fredrickson	Wakefield.
13	C. E. Heikes	Wakefield.
14	John Venerburg	Wayne.
15	William Watson	Wayne.
16	Otto Ulrich	Hoskins.
17	W. M. Orr	Wayne.
18	David Jenkins	Carroll.
19	S. E. Auker	Wayne.
20	Henry Klopping	Wayne.
21	August Ulrich	Hoskins.
22	Emil Swanson	Randolph.
23	George H. Paterson	Wayne, No. 3.
24	Jonathan Brugger	Winside.
25	Gerhard Claussen	Pender.
26	H. A. Suhr	Wayne.
27	J. L. Hunter	Wakefield.
28	Harry Tidrick	Winside.
29	Henry Rath	Wayne.
30	Dissolved.	
31	Sam Bew	Winside.
32	B. H. VonSeggern	Wisner.
33	Henry K. Meyers	Wakefield.
34	Charles Gildersleeve	Wayne.
35	D. D. Emily	Wayne.
36	T. J. Thomas	Winside.
37	Oscar Reinhardt	Altona.
38	R. A. Collier	Randolph.
39	H. E. Siman	Winside.
40	O. W. Milliken	Wayne.
41	August Benedict	Hoskins.
42	Fred Schultz	Wakefield.
43	J. D. Luers	Wayne.
44	Harry Tucker	Carroll.
45	Milo Krempke	Wayne.
46	Hans Brogren	Winside.
47	Ola Nelson	Wakefield.
48	John Sahr	Wayne.
49	John Werner	Hoskins.
50	August Lohberg	Carroll.
51	George A. McEachen	Wayne.
52	W. H. James	Carroll.
53	Henry Asmus	Winside.
54	Richard Rees	Randolph.
55	William Koepke	Hoskins.
56	D. R. Thomas	Carroll.
57	Henry Lage	Wayne.
58	Ed Lucas	Winside.
59	H. J. Mitchell	Wakefield.
60	A. R. Lundquist	Hoskins.
61	August Jacobsen	Wayne.
62	John W. Francis	Winside.
63	Nels Johnson	Winside.
64	Henry Frevert	Wayne.
65	C. A. Denese	Carroll.
66	H. D. Schroeder	Wayne.
67	Dissolved.	
68	J. M. Mohr	Laurel.
69	A. H. Brinkman	Wayne.
70	Henry Timm	Carroll.
71	S. B. Miller	Wayne.
72	James Finn	Carroll.
73	C. A. Killion	Wakefield.
74	E. Roberts	Randolph.
75	James Eddie	Carroll.
76	H. W. Burnham	Sholes.
77	John Hall	Hoskins.
78	George Drevsen	Hoskins.
79	Frank Carpenter	Winside.
80	Henry Stoltenberg	Carroll.
81	A. J. Wood	Wayne.
82	William Rhode	Randolph.
83	William Pritchard	Winside.
84	W. W. Black	Carroll.

No.	Moderator	Postoffice
1	Charles Kinney	Wakefield.
2	Henry Kay	Wakefield.
3	Peter Brummels	Hoskins.
4	August Kai	Pender.
5	Emil P. Splittgerber	Wayne.
6	John Olson	Wakefield.
7	C. W. McGuire	Pender.
8	Kasper Korn	Wayne.
9	E. O. Behmer	Hoskins.
10	Daniel Baier	Wayne.
11	William Brueckner	Hoskins.
12	L. A. Lindell	Wakefield.
13	P. E. Lundahl	Wakefield.
14	Henry Linke	Wayne.
15	Andrew Stamm	Wayne.
16	Fred Koll	Hoskins.
17	Phil Kohl	Wayne.
18	G. W. Wingett	Carroll.
19	Nels Herman	Wayne.
20	W. H. Lewis	Wayne.
21	Carl Nurnburg	Hoskins.
22	Mrs. Mary Baure	Randolph.
23	P. S. Rhudy	Wayne, No. 3.
24	William Witte	Winside.
25	J. P. Clausen	Pender.
26	Alex Suhr	Wayne.
27	Rudolph Long	Wakefield.
28	Mark Swihart	Winside.
29	Louis Thies	Winside.
30	Dissolved.	
31	Herman Buehline	Winside.
32	Alfred Jones	Wisner.
33	Gust Test	Wakefield.
34	E. A. Chichester	Wayne.
35	E. W. West	Wayne.
36	David Davis	Winside.
37	Henry Puls	Altona.
38	John C. Haack	Randolph.
39	G. A. Mittelstadt	Winside.
40	L. Koeh	Wayne.
41	F. Benedict	Hoskins.
42	Fred Kay	Wakefield.
43	Emil Hansen	Carroll.
44	Spencer Jones	Wayne.
45	George Hofeldt	Wayne.
46	Otto Krempke	Hoskins.
47	John Lutt	Wakefield.

No.	Treasurer	Postoffice
1	John Harrison	Wakefield.
2	Fred Bichel	Wakefield.
3	William Ave	Hoskins.
4	J. H. Albers	Wisner.
5	Fred Pflueger	Wayne, No. 2.
6	C. A. Soderberg	Wakefield.
7	Amos Long	Pender.
8	John Grimm	Wayne.
9	Robert Tempin	Hoskins.
10	Jens Thompson	Wayne.
11	Herman Brueckner	Hoskins.
12	George Whipperman	Wakefield.
13	Oscar McGee	Wakefield.
14	W. A. K. Neely	Wayne.
15	F. M. Griffith	Wayne.
16	Henry Ulrich	Winside.
17	H. S. Ringland	Wayne.
18	W. W. Garwood	Carroll.
19	V. L. Dayton	Wayne.
20	Fred Vahlkamp	Wayne.
21	Peter Ulrich	Winside.
22	W. R. Morehouse	Randolph.
23	John Lage	Wayne.
24	H. H. Tangeman	Winside.
25	Lorenz Albers	Pender.
26	Adam Saul	Wayne.
27	Frank Long	Wakefield.
28	Peter Iverson	Winside.
29	William Koch	Winside.
30	Dissolved.	
31	C. O. Anderson	Winside.
32	Henry Barelman	Wisner.
33	Fred Thompson	Wakefield.
34	Dan McManigal	Wayne.
35	Claus Rathmann	Wayne.
36	John D. Williams	Winside.
37	Phillip Damme	Wayne.
38	C. F. Plummer	Randolph.
39	A. H. Carter	Winside.
40	August Wittler	Wayne.
41	August Riggert	Hoskins.
42	John Kahre	Wakefield.
43	William Gildersleeve	Wayne.
44	Evan Jenkins	Carroll.
45	Frank Mellick	Wayne.
46	Leo Fitzsimmons	Carroll.
47	Alfred Haglund	Wakefield.
48	Charles Schroeder	Wayne.
49	Herman Nietzke	Hoskins.
50	C. A. Johnson	Laurel.
51	August Brune	Wayne.
52	L. R. Bellows	Carroll.
53	William Kant	Winside.
54	E. W. Jones	Randolph.
55	George Sweigard	Hoskins.
56	E. J. Davis	Carroll.
57	A. E. Gildersleeve	Wayne.
58	William Peterson	Winside.
59	Frank Utecht	Wakefield.
60	Gus Wontsch	Hoskins.
61	James Grier	Wayne.
62	David E. James	Winside.
63	William Prince	Winside.
64	Carl Frevert	Wakefield.
65	George Roe	Carroll.
66	William Jacobsen	Wayne.
67	Dissolved.	
68	A. A. Smith	Wayne.
69	True Prescott	Wayne.
70	G. Garwood	Carroll.
71	Edward Fork	Carroll.
72	Henry Bush	Wayne.
73	Soren Anderson	Pender.
74	Luther Anderson	Hoskins.
75	Adolph Rethwisch	Carroll.
76	C. O. Sellon	Randolph.
77	Arthur Kaun	Pierce.
78	Charley Maas	Hoskins.
79	Chris Carstens	Winside.
80	H. E. Lage	Carroll.
81	James Baird	Wayne.
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83	Arthur Williams	Winside.
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12	George Whipperman	Wakefield.
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44	Evan Jenkins	Carroll.
45	Frank Mellick	Wayne.
46	Leo Fitzsimmons	Carroll.
47	Alfred Haglund	Wakefield.
48	Charles Schroeder	Wayne.
49	Herman Nietzke	Hoskins.
50	C. A. Johnson	Laurel.
51	August Brune	Wayne.
52	L. R. Bellows	Carroll.
53	William Kant	Winside.
54	E. W. Jones	Randolph.
55	George Sweigard	Hoskins.
56	E. J. Davis	Carroll.
57	A. E. Gildersleeve	Wayne.
58	William Peterson	Winside.
59	Frank Utecht	Wakefield.
60	Gus Wontsch	Hoskins.
61	James Grier	Wayne.
62	David E. James	Winside.
63	William Prince	Winside.
64	Carl Frevert	Wakefield.
65	George Roe	Carroll.
66	William Jacobsen	Wayne.
67	Dissolved.	
68	A. A. Smith	Wayne.
69	True Prescott	Wayne.
70	G. Garwood	Carroll.
71	Edward Fork	Carroll.
72	Henry Bush	Wayne.
73	Soren Anderson	Pender.
74	Luther Anderson	Hoskins.
75	Adolph Rethwisch	Carroll.
76	C. O. Sellon	Randolph.
77	Arthur Kaun	Pierce.
78	Charley Maas	Hoskins.
79	Chris Carstens	Winside.
80	H. E. Lage	Carroll.
81	James Baird	Wayne.
82	C. R. Wattier	Randolph.
83	Arthur Williams	Winside.
84	James Stephens	Carroll.

No.	Moderator	Postoffice
1	Charles Kinney	Wakefield.
2	Henry Kay	Wakefield.
3	Peter Brummels	Hoskins.
4	August Kai	Pender.
5	Emil P. Splittgerber	Wayne.
6	John Olson	Wakefield.
7	C. W. McGuire	Pender.
8	Kasper Korn	Wayne.
9	E. O. Behmer	Hoskins.
10	Daniel Baier	Wayne.
11	William Brueckner	Hoskins.
12	L. A. Lindell	Wakefield.
13	P. E. Lundahl	Wakefield.
14	Henry Linke	Wayne.
15	Andrew Stamm	Wayne.
16	Fred Koll	Hoskins.
17	Phil Kohl	Wayne.
18	G. W. Wingett	Carroll.
19	Nels Herman	Wayne.
20	W. H. Lewis	Wayne.
21	Carl Nurnburg	

# NEBRASKA NEWS

## Endorses Silo as Saver of Forage for Live Stock.

### BULLETIN FOR THE FARMERS.

#### Says Steps Must Be Taken to Ward Off Shortage—Many Convicts Paroled Under New Law—New Norfolk Officials.

Lincoln, Aug. 13.—The plan of constructing silos, in which to put the remnants of the meager corn crop of the present season, and thereby making "something out of nothing," is receiving warm endorsement at the hands of the state board of agriculture. A special bulletin calls attention of farmers in the stricken sections to ways and means whereby they can be prepared for this winter's onslaught of the stock on the feed. The bulletin says, in part:

"In the drought afflicted area it is estimated that the fields hold \$75,000,000 worth of food for live stock, if the fodder is saved by the silage process. For this reason, the cry has gone up, 'Save the corn crop with a silo.'

"The general result of the entire situation will be a decreased yield of corn. Unless measures are taken to relieve the situation, there will be a shortage of food for stock and a depressing effect on the live stock situation. The drought-damaged corn will make a good quality of ensilage and will take the place of well cured hay and much grain, which will be scarce and high priced before the winter is over. It will be possible to realize as much in many cases on the fodder placed in the silo as a good yield of corn would bring standing in the field."

#### New Question Up.

Liability of school districts for refund of saloon licenses where proprietors have been forced to close up their places before the expiration of the license years, is a question that has been put up to the state supreme court for settlement. In an appeal taken to that body Nicholas Shue and Charles Sokol of Silver Creek are seeking to recover their proportionate part of \$500 licenses which they paid for a year's operation, but which proved to be the cost for running six months and ten days actual time. They each ask a refund of \$236.15.

The village board granted the pair licenses in the spring of 1911 and remonstrators took the matter to the district court. From there it went to the state supreme court, where an opinion in favor of the remonstrators was handed down in January, 1912. During the pendency of the action the saloon men operated their places, but were forced to close up when the high court spoke.

#### Will Make Company Report.

Because the Alnsworth Light and Power company went ahead and increased its capitalization to \$150,000 without first obtaining the permission of the state railway commission, the latter body is preparing to investigate the company's finances in a thorough manner. If it deems it necessary, the commission will likely take steps to compel the company to reduce its capitalization. The company was incorporated with the secretary of state in 1909 with a \$60,000 capitalization. About a year ago it boosted this \$60,000 and the only record was filed with the secretary of state. This was later obtained by the commission and as a result the company will have to make a detailed report of its property, earnings and all of its financial transactions covering all of the time since its organization.

#### Appoint New Officers.

The board of commissioners of state institutions for the first time exercised its power of appointment of institution heads. The action taken does not go contrary to appointments made early in the year by Governor Morehead, but simply provide for the management of the hospital for the insane at Norfolk, following the resignation of Superintendent A. Johnson. Dr. W. D. Guttery, who has been at the head of the institution temporarily, will hereafter be known as superintendent; Dr. H. R. Carson, first assistant under the Aldrich administration, will assume a similar place under the present board, and Dr. R. H. Foster will become second assistant superintendent. These changes are all that will be made for the time being.

#### Many Convicts Paroled.

A total of 210 convicts have been paroled from the state penitentiary since the law providing for paroles has been in effect in this state. Fully 90 per cent of these prisoners have received their final discharges, a comparatively few have been returned to the penitentiary and ninety are still found by the terms of their parole agreements. The population of the state prison, according to Secretary Piper of the prison board, has decreased from 470 in July, 1911, to 255 at the present time.

#### Queer Freak of Wind.

Wind which did not reach a high velocity at any time performed a queer feat at the home of Dr. C. W. Irvin. A large tree, about three feet in diameter, was broken off near the ground. The tree was the only object in the neighborhood, and so far as reported in the city that succumbed to the moderate wind. It is believed that a small tornado of just enough strength to break the tree tipped to the ground and after doing this single piece of destruction vaulted to the upper air again.

## MANY INJURED IN WRECK

### Circus Train Is Hit by Equipment Train Near Richfield.

Omaha, Aug. 13.—Thirteen persons, all employees of the Barnum & Bailey circus, whose train was struck at Richfield, Neb., by a Rock Island passenger equipment train returning from the Denver conclave, were brought to the Clarkson hospital in this city, all suffering serious injuries. At the hospital it was stated that three would die.

A relief train took a number of physicians from Omaha to the scene of the wreck. Richfield is a small town, without telegraph facilities, and the serious nature of the wreck did not become known here until several hours after it occurred.

In addition to the thirteen taken to the local hospital, twenty-nine other injured were brought to Omaha. These latter injuries were attended by physicians and consisted of bruises and cuts sufficiently serious to prevent them continuing with their train.

### BARON VON WERNER BACK

#### Titled Prisoner Returned to Nebraska Prison.

Lincoln, Aug. 13.—Baron von Werner has returned to take up his abode in the penitentiary, from which place he slipped away about three months ago. Warden Fenton returned with his titled and aristocratic prisoner from Woodstock, Ill., and the baron is once more behind the bars, where he will probably be denied the liberties he formerly enjoyed before leaving, while under the care of Chaplain Johnson, whom he had accompanied to the latter's home in Tecumseh to furnish music to the chaplain's guests. The baron is a very talented musician and was a valuable adjunct to the prison band and they are all pleased to see him return.

Warden Fenton says that he has discovered that the baron is an old offender, this being the sixth time that he has been in durance vile.

### PHELPS TO TRY IRRIGATION

#### Citizens Will Endeavor to Utilize Waters of the Platte.

Lincoln, Aug. 12.—After suffering a total or partial failure of crops for five or six years, Phelps county will try to get a system of irrigation by taking water from the Platte river. Mayor C. W. McConaughy of Holdrege and Chairman H. E. Erickson of the county board were in the city and said that plans call for taking water from the Platte river in the early spring and storing it in a reservoir until needed. A meeting of the citizens of the county has been called at Holdrege Thursday, when something definite will be done to perfect a plan.

### BUSINESS MEN TO CONFER

#### Will Unite in Effort to Increase the Crop Yield.

Omaha, Aug. 12.—Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the State Bankers' association last February, a conference of the representatives of the large business interests of the state is now being called to be held in Omaha at the Commercial club Wednesday, Aug. 20. The purpose of the conference is to consider ways and means of increasing the grain and live stock production, especially along the lines of placing farm demonstrators in as many counties of the state as possible.

### Shields Held to the District Court.

Broken Bow, Neb., Aug. 13.—Olun Shields, charged with assaulting and doing great bodily harm to the person of Rev. Joseph Slick at Arnold, June 8, was taken before Justice Fodge and held to the next term of the district court in \$400 bonds. The cause leading up to the alleged assault is said to have been jealousy, Shields also claiming that the minister had talked about him.

### Woman Is Frightened to Death.

Pierce, Neb., Aug. 13.—Mrs. Frank Eberhard, living two and one-half miles east of Pierce, was frightened to death when a bolt of lightning struck the house. Mrs. Eberhard was overcome and with the exception of a few gasps for breath, showed no signs of life. Her husband ran immediately to the home of Rev. H. A. Hilpert, a few rods away, but when they returned to the house the woman was dead.

### Protectors Increase in Phone Rates.

O'Neill, Neb., Aug. 12.—On behalf of the O'Neill Commercial club, S. J. Weekes, as vice president, has addressed a letter to the state railway commission protesting against the proposed raise for business phones from \$2 to \$2.50, and for residence phones from \$1.25 to \$1.50 per month, and requesting a hearing at O'Neill to give the commission a correct view of the matter.

### Aldrich Company Appeals.

The Western Investment and Loan company, which was denied a license to do business in the state, has appealed to the district court of Lancaster county for a writ of mandamus to compel the state banking board to issue the license denied by the board. This is the company which ex-Governor Chester H. Aldrich is a member of the board of directors.

### Bees Cause School House Fire.

Beatrice, Neb., Aug. 12.—While carpenters were engaged in smoking out bees in the school house at Rockford, they set fire to the building, which was destroyed. The loss is \$4,000, covered by insurance.

### Ask Engineer to Examine Bridges.

Hartington, Neb., Aug. 12.—A petition signed by five taxpayers of Cedar county has been sent to the state engineer, requesting him to make an examination of the bridges of the county.

## CONDENSED NEWS

### Anti-American demonstrations and attacks on American property about Acapulco, Mex., have been renewed.

The Chilean steamer Isidora was wrecked off Cape Carranza, Chile, and all the members of its crew except one were drowned.

No determined opposition to the administration currency bill will be made by Republicans in the house, according to Leader Mann.

Senator Owen introduced a bill to authorize the treasury to buy outstanding government 2 per cent bonds at par and interest.

Eight men were indicted in two true bills returned by a special grand jury investigating alleged November election frauds in Chicago.

Colonel F. S. Cody, Anglo-American aviator, was killed in an aeroplane accident at Aldershot and a passenger he was carrying also met death.

Five hundred were killed or wounded in the fighting between the northern government troops and the rebels at the east gate of Canton, China.

Johnny Bryant, an aviator, was killed when his aeroplane fell while he was making a flight as an attraction of the Victoria water carnival.

District Attorney Charles W. Whitman of New York announced that he would accept the fusion or anti-Tammany nomination for district attorney.

Leprosy, contracted in the Philippine islands, was discovered when George Hartman applied at a St. Louis hospital to have a skin disease treated.

Senator Penrose introduced an amendment to the tariff bill to prevent foreign countries from dumping surplus goods in the United States at low rates.

Prominent officials of President Wilson's administration, probably some cabinet officers, will take part in the approaching gubernatorial campaign in Massachusetts.

Secretary of the Interior Lane visited the big falls of the Missouri river and the big dam being constructed by the Montana Power company, near Great Falls, Mont.

Stupefying fumes of an explosive overcame sixteen men, killing one and causing a panic among 400 others in the Catskill aqueduct, 700 feet under the streets of downtown New York.

Ten baby buffaloes have been born to the government herd on the Wichita national forest and game refuge, near Lawton, Okla. The new arrivals bring the herd up to forty-eight head.

Practically all the supreme officers of the Knights of Columbus were re-elected at the annual convention at Boston. James A. Flaherty of Philadelphia was elected supreme knight.

Representatives of the powers took the first step at Constantinople to compel Turkey to evacuate the fortress of Adrianople, which its troops reoccupied after war broke out between the former Balkan allies.

The interstate commerce commission has ordered all common carrier telephone companies to furnish by Oct. 1 a detailed statement of their organization, equipment and physical and financial operations.

Private detectives working on the case of the \$150,000 jewel robbery of Mrs. John F. Hanan, which occurred at Narragansett Pier, R. I., July 25 last, announced that some of the jewels had been traced to New York.

Application was made in the district court at Grand Rapids for appointment of a receiver for the Michigan Buggy company of Kalamazoo. About \$1,500,000 is involved. The company made the Michigan "40" automobile.

The assets of the building and loan associations of the United States are now growing at the rate of a little over \$100,000,000 annually, according to a report presented at the twenty-fifth annual convention in Milwaukee.

After voting by a large majority not to move the headquarters of the order from New Haven, Conn., to Washington, D. C. (the Knights of Columbus, in supreme convention at Boston, chose St. Paul as their meeting place in 1914.

The export trade of the United States in the last fiscal year was greater than in any previous year. It was \$4,175,000,000, greater by \$421,000,000 than last year's record. The balance in favor of the country this year was \$653,000,000.

Chicago's first woman jury heard the cases of twenty-five women and children in the court for the insane at the detention hospital. It was composed of six women, all of whom are connected with educational and charitable organizations.

The senate re-referred the nomination of Thomas Fox as postmaster at Sacramento to the postoffice committee. Fox was confirmed in executive session, but Senator Works protested and on motion of Senator Lea the confirmation was withdrawn.

According to a consular dispatch from Tuxson, state of Coahuila, there has been a ten days' battle between government forces and rebels, in which the rebels were repulsed with great loss. The dispatch adds that a further attack by the rebels is expected, despite their defeat.

With the arrival in Lexington, Ky., of Sherman Lew's, deputy United States marshal, news of a battle between revenue men and moonshiners became known. The fight took place in the mountains of Morgan county and Morgan Kidd was killed, while his brother, John Kidd, was fatally injured. They were defending an illicit still.

# "A Short Corn Crop"

It matters not how much rain we have the balance of the summer, we will still have a short corn crop. This means that we must all economize on expense of high cost of living. Begin right now by storing enough wheat with

## The Wayne Roller Mill

to provide flour for your needs for at least one year. 3 1/2 bu. of wheat will get you 100 lbs. Superlative flour and 35 lbs. of bran. 3 bushels of wheat will get you 100 lbs. of Snow Flake flour and 30 lbs. of bran. Don't wait but do it now while wheat is cheap. OUR BRAN AND SHORTS ARE A NO. 1.

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P. S. We are grinding old wheat. You can bring your new wheat and get your flour when you want it.

## LIVE STOCK PRICES AT SOUTH OMAHA

### Beef Steers Stronger—Big Feeder Advance.

### SHARP DECLINE IN HOG PRICES

Fat Lambs Active and 10@20c Higher. Sheep Fully Steady—Demand Not as Good as in the Case of Lambs. Feeders Advance 10@15c.

Union Stock Yards, South Omaha, Aug. 12.—About 3,000 cattle arrived today. The market for beef steers was in good shape and prices were strong to as much as a dime higher and trade was reasonably active right from the start. Cows and heifers were active and sharply higher today, the advance being in the neighborhood of 10@15c on practically all useful offerings. Corn feeds were scarce and choice heifer stock quoted up around \$8.00 and better. Veal calves were in good request at steady figures, and there was a broad outlet and a firm market for bulls, stags, etc. Demand for stock cattle and feeding steers was the keenest it has been this year. Prices average fully half a dollar higher than a week ago. Choice Wyoming steers sold up to \$8.00.

Cattle quotations: Choice to prime beefs, \$8.60@8.90; good to choice beefs, \$8.30@8.50; fair to good beefs, \$8.00@8.25; common to fair beefs, \$7.25@7.90; fair to choice yearlings, \$7.50@8.75; good to choice heifers, \$6.50@7.50; fair to good cows, \$5.25@6.25; canners and cutters, \$3.00@5.00; veal calves, \$6.00@9.50; bulls, stags, etc., \$4.75@7.00; choice to prime feeders, \$7.50@8.00; good to choice feeders, \$7.00@7.50; fair to good feeders, \$6.50@7.00; common to fair feeders, \$6.00@6.50; stock cows and heifers, \$4.75@6.50; good to choice grass beefs, \$7.50@8.00; fair to good grass beefs, \$7.00@7.50; poor to fair grass beefs, \$6.25@6.90.

Hog receipts totaled about 12,000 head today. Trade was slow and prices in general were 15@20c lower than Monday. All other markets show a big slump in prices. The bulk of the supply went at \$7.90@7.95, while some of the best hogs went up to \$8.65.

Sheep and lamb receipts amounted to about 18,000 head. The bulk of the moderate supply of lambs sold very active, at prices anywhere from 10c to 20c higher than Monday. Choice lambs brought \$7.15. Most of the killing lambs went at \$6.85@7.15. The demand for aged sheep was not so broad as lambs and they sold at just about steady prices. Wethers brought \$4.50. Feeder lambs were very active and prices were about 10@15c higher. Most of them went at \$6.35@6.50.

Quotations on sheep and lambs: Lambs, good to choice, \$6.75@7.15; lambs, fair to good, \$6.50@6.75; lambs, culls, \$5.00@5.75; lambs, feeders, \$5.50@6.50; yearlings, good to choice, \$5.00@5.25; yearlings, fair to good, \$4.75@5.00; yearlings, feeders, \$4.50@5.10; wethers, good to choice, \$4.35@4.60; wethers, fair to good, \$4.15@4.35; wethers, feeders, \$3.50@4.25; ewes, good to choice, \$4.15@4.40; ewes, fair to good, \$3.75@4.15; ewes, feeders, \$3.00@3.25; cull sheep, \$2.00@3.00.

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.

## Largest and Best Pails Ever Sold in Wayne at 25c each

This is not only a one day sale, but it is on every day in the year. These pails are extra heavy tin or galvanized iron, with a large wooden handle.

We have a Complete Line of Electric Lights always on hand

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## Genuine Scranton Hard Coal

May We Have Your ORDER NOW Fresh Mined --- All Sizes

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## Short Order House Changes Location

The F. E. Junk restaurant, known as "Ed's Place" has moved to the Lewis building, just south of Boyd Annex, where the Hungry Public is invited to drop in and feed their face. Meals and Short Orders served at all hours. Come in and see us.

F. E. JUNK, PROPRIETOR

Just South of Hotel Boyd Wayne, Nebraska

Now Is the Time to lay  
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If you have trouble  
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**Wants, For Sale, Etc.**

**FOR SALE**—An 80 acre farm 3 1/2 miles southeast of Wayne. Improvements fair. Address Fred R. Wright, Wayne, Nebr. Box 361. —adv 32-1.

**FOR SALE**—My five acres in Wayne. Inquire of J. H. Massie, Wayne, Nebr. —adv 27-1f.

**FOR SALE**—At a bargain if taken at once, 1 refrigerator, 1 kitchen range, 1 base burner, (Favorite), 1 bed room suit. 29-3 J. T. Leahy. —adv.

Furnished Rooms—close in nice place for teacher or institute or chautauqua people. Phone 77 or ask at Democrat. —adv.

**FOR RENT**—5-room house one block north and one west of high school. See C. W. Duncan, Phone Red 848. —adv 1.

**NOTICE**—The party that borrowed my sythe during my absence is requested to return same. C. W. Duncan. —adv 1.

**320 Acre Farm For Sale**

1 1/2 miles northwest of Wayne. Well improved, fenced with 5 1/2 miles of woven wire. Twenty years time on deferred payments. L. M. OWEN, Owner, Wayne, Nebr. —adv.

**For Sale**

1913 Model, Motor Cycles and Motor Boats at bargain prices, all makes, brand new machines, on easy monthly payment plan. Get our proposition before buying or you will regret it. Also bargains in used Motor Cycles. Write us today. Enclose stamp for reply. Address Lock Box 11, Trenton, Mich. —adv 28-10.

**For Sale**

City Property. —Adv. GRANT MEARS.

**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. G. B. THOMPSON.

**Now On Sale.**

Some excellent young Duroc males and Rhode Island chickens. Call at farm one mile south of Wayne. —Adv. W. H. MORRIS.



**AMERICAN BANKERS ASSOCIATION TRAVELERS' CHECKS**

WHEN arranging for your steamship tickets, call for a booklet about A. B. A. Checks, the safest and most convenient travel funds. Handy as a personal check book, safe as your own unsigned check. The only identification needed is your signature.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

The Democrat for job printing.

Ed Ellis was a Norfolk visitor Tuesday.

H. B. Craven and wife were visitors at Sioux City Tuesday.

Mrs. John Soules and son went to West Point Tuesday to visit her parents a few days.

**AUTO LIVERY**—Any time or place. See C. W. Duncan, Phone Red 358. —adv 32-4.

Ed Sellers and wife went to Bancroft Tuesday to visit at the home of their daughter there.

Misses Mae and Bessie Hiscox went to Madison Tuesday to spend a week at the home of their grandparents there.

Mrs. M. Schomau of Omaha, who came last week to visit her sister, Mrs. Geo. Crossland, returned home Tuesday.

If you need alfalfa seed you want good seed—the best that is to be had—and Geo. Fortner sells that kind. Phone black 289. —adv.

C. P. Turner of Hastings, an agent of the American Sunday School Union, was here Monday, a guest of E. B. Young and wife.

John Molar, who purchased the King property last week, will move into it and rent the Bert Brown residence which he has been living in since moving to Wayne.

A. R. Davis and wife left Monday evening for an outing in South Dakota. They plan to visit at Rapid City, Deadwood and Belle Fourche and some other places of interest in the Black Hills country.

F. M. Griffith went to South Omaha Tuesday night with five loads of fat cattle from his feed lots. They are nice ones, averaging about 1,350 each. Mr. Griffith and M. T. Munsinger went in with the cattle.

Miss Nina Nelson of Rapid City, S. D., who formerly lived here, and who is a graduate of the Wayne high school, passed through here Monday evening and was greeted at the station by a few friends. She is a successful teacher.

Henry Klopping left Monday evening for the west. He did not make his destination known—in fact do not think he knew, for from the look in his eye we think he is wanting to see what feeders look like—how much money.

Dr. Williams was called to Iowa City Monday by a message telling of the death of Mrs. Williams' mother, who has been in poor health for several months. Mrs. Williams has been there assisting in her care the past two months.

W. E. Beaman went to South Sioux City Tuesday because there are no truck gardens here from which fresh vegetables can be purchased in quantity. One way to reduce the high cost of living would be to grow a lot of garden stuff here instead of raising woods and shipping in the stuff to eat.

Masters Lyman and Lloyd and Miss Lena Mitchell left Monday to visit their old home at Sidney, Iowa, and attend an annual reunion held at that place. Their father accompanied them as far as Council Bluffs and started them on the last leg of the journey safely.

Ray P. Burch, the young printer who recently took unto himself a wife, is now assuming more responsibility, having purchased the Magnet Mall and taken charge of the same. J. C. Moore, the former editor is postmaster, and will hereafter devote his time to licking stamps and reading the post card messages. The new editor promises to make a newspaper of the non-partisan kind. Here's to the new editor.

Mose Warner has been at the helm of the Lyons Mirror for the past 23 years, and is good for as many more years if not called to his reward sooner. When a man stays with one country paper a quarter of a century—almost, it is time for him to have a change—or at least the long suffering community should have a change. Anything will get thready in time—even the editorials.

Henry Cozad, wife and daughter, Chan Norton, wife and daughter and Mrs. Lonnie James and daughter left here last week by automobile and went to Malvern, Iowa, to visit former friends and attend the fair which was held at that place. They returned Monday evening, and report a pleasant journey. Mr. Norton says that crop conditions in southwestern Iowa are much the same as here, with corn possibly a little better. Rain had visited the entire country over which they traveled, and a few miles south of here near the county line they encountered the most mud of the entire trip.

**Congressman Stephens a Standpatter**

Upon receiving an unofficial report of the action of the democratic county central committee in regard to postoffices in this county, Congressman Stephens has mailed to the members of the committee the following letter in which he maintains the position taken by him as to a primary to determine who will be recommended as postmaster at Wayne and Winside, and as the letter makes his position and plan plain we print a copy which was given to the Democrat. It is dated at Washington, August 7th:

"I have just received a report of a meeting of the Wayne county democratic central committee on August 2nd at which it decided to recommend candidates for postmaster at Wayne and Winside on August 16th. Having no official report of the action I may be misinformed as to the result of its conclusions.

It will be argued, if I am correctly informed as to the action of the committee, that your plan is unfair in that many members of the committee are not patrons of either the Wayne or the Winside postoffice and would therefore have no moral right to name postmasters for the people of these towns. It is upon this very ground that I have refused to usurp the rights of the people of these towns by naming a personal friend as postmaster in each place according to the old spoils system and regardless of the peoples wishes, and thereby build up a personal machine to perpetuate myself in office.

One of the basic doctrines of democracy is local self government—the right of the people to attend to their own business by selecting their own officers. Local self government cannot be realized in the fullest degree when the people's offices are trafficked in for the personal advantage of the men who happen at the time to be in control. Personally I have refused to profit by that policy. My contention is that all democrats who are patrons of the office should be consulted and the only way to consult them all is through a primary. I don't believe you will object to this policy for I am sure you will want to be fair both to the people and to the candidates.

It is clearly within the province of your committee, however, to pass upon the democracy of the candidates who may wish to file for these offices if you care to do so, as it would be perfectly competent for you to say whether the aspirants for the office had records as democrats that would entitle them to hold office under a democratic administration. Further than this I would recommend you not to go as it is a matter for the democrats of Wayne and Winside respectively to settle. You can readily see that it would have been possible, for some of you to have already voted for a postmaster in your own town and now under your present plan would find yourselves in the very indefensible position of voting for a postmaster in a town where you have no interest. I am sure you would not upon consideration favor such a method.

There have been fifteen or more primaries for recommending postmasters up to date, and I want to assure you that they have been highly successful. Only in one or two instances was there a small vote out. As a rule the vote exceeds that cast for President and Congressman last fall. When the elections are over the people are satisfied. They know their postmaster was chosen because he was wanted. The result of this policy strengthens the democratic party because it demonstrates to the people that it recognizes their inherent right to attend to their own business. The recognition of the rank and file of the democratic party in giving them a voice in rewarding worthy democrats by giving them office makes the democratic party worth while and worth fighting for. The good positions no longer go to men with pulls regardless of the wishes of the rank and file of the party. Every democrat has a voice and an opportunity to be chosen postmaster if he desires the office.

I commend this primary plan to the Wayne county democratic central committee and assure you that in my opinion it is the only feasible way of selecting candidates for postmaster. I most urgently request you to officially endorse it so that I may have your moral support in carrying out this great reform. It will be apparent to you at once that any other course can only lead to embarrassment to all parties concerned because it will be impossible for me to recognize a recommendation of candidates by your committee in view of my well known position on this subject. Time and again I have announced that where there are contests from these offices primaries will be called. It would be exceedingly unwise for me to change that

policy in view of my convictions that I am right and if I did, it would lay me open to severe public criticism.

Therefore I assume that the committee will be glad to assist me in carrying out this democratic doctrine of letting the people rule. It has been a long time since the democratic party has been entrusted with the control of the Government. We ought in our small way and in our limited field show the people we are honest and capable and willing to practice what we preach.

With best wishes to you and assuring you of my confidence and faith in your doing what seems to you to be right, I am,

Your friend,  
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Miss Dorothy Slaughter of Gregory, S. D., was here Sunday visiting her grandparents, Henry Hansen, and wife. Monday she went to visit friends at Wakefield and returned Tuesday. In September she will go to Sioux Falls, S. D., to enter a school at that place where she will have in addition to regular studies a course in domestic science with practical demonstrations in the actual work—both theory and practice.

Mrs. H. E. Bickford of Beaumont, Texas, who has been here several weeks visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Louis Larson, southeast of Wayne, left Sunday with Mrs. Larson and her daughter, Miss Hilda, to visit a week with relatives at Canby, Minnesota, after which she will return to Wayne to conclude her visit. Mrs. Bickford has lived in Texas for nearly a quarter of a century, and is a warm defender of the good points of her home state, and she contends that they are many. Lack of drought in her part of the state and likewise the absence of winter are two points she emphasized. The discovery of oil has added greatly to the wealth of her home district, and has made many people well off in a financial way. Beaumont has great lumber and oil interests. Rice and cotton are staple crops there, and a few oranges are also grown there. It is a land of many natural resources, but it is possible that most of them are in the hands of big interests.

Mrs. John Grimsley returned from Logan, Iowa, last week, and this week the young man who went with her, Earl Kasson, arrived with four pure-bred Holstein-Friesian cows to add to their dairy herd on the farm just east of town. The Democrat is always glad to see good dairy stock brought into this country, for it is profitable to the owners. No one will contradict the assertion, we believe that a good modern dairy farm adjoining Wayne with from 25 to 30 good cows would be a paying investment. Not only that it would enable many people to secure as much milk and cream as they wished—something one cannot do now. There should be more dairying in this country, for no other stock raising and feeding will produce more to the upkeep of the soil and the purse of the farmer. Exhaustion of the soil forced the wheat growers of northeastern Iowa into the dairy business 40 years ago. Their worn fields refused to produce a wheat crop that would pay expenses—but now when they care to grow wheat they secure a return equal to the crops grown on the virgin soil when it was first broken out. Not only have they restored their farms to more than their original fertility, but they have made money every year while doing this. The banks of that section of Iowa testify to the fact that there is an abundance of good money in the dairy farm. Twenty years later the same cause started the dairy industry in Minnesota, and today it is far richer for its dairy business. So it will be here if we but profit by the experience of these older communities.

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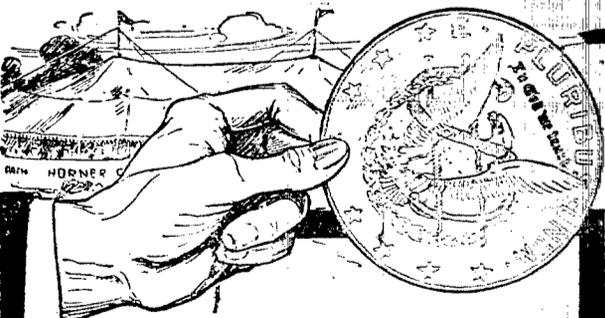
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**LOCAL AND PERSONAL.**

D. Geo. Hess was a Winside visitor Wednesday.

Chas. Mau and wife were visitors at Sioux City Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Halsted spent Wednesday at Sioux City.

W. Marotz was over from Norfolk Wednesday afternoon.

For eye trouble, see Donahay, the exclusive eye man.—adv.

Miss Mary Swanson went to Wakefield Wednesday afternoon.

Simon Goeman shipped a car of hogs to Chicago Wednesday night.

Miss Josie Ellis went to Pilger Wednesday to visit relatives a few days.

Mrs. H. M. Crawford went to Sioux City Wednesday to visit there a few days.

**FOR RENT**—Two modern rooms furnished, apply to Mrs. J. F. Jeffries.—adv.

Mrs. Lena Harrison of Wausa was here Tuesday, the guest of Mrs. Laura Ball.

Rev. S. Traubel of Emerson was here Tuesday, the guest of Rev. Rudolph Moehring and wife.

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Blair & Mulloy, Miss Vallie Armacost went to Columbus Wednesday to visit at the home of H. S. Welch and wife.

Howard Hancock and wife of Craig were here last week visiting at the home of A. P. Gossard and wife.

The Nebraska Telephone Co., is in need of a few operators. Pay while learning. Apply to Chief Operator.—adv.

Fisher & Johnson report the sale of the farm southeast of Wayne recently purchased by R. E. K. Mellor to Carl Beck.

Chas. Musgrave, barber at the Mabbott shop, has installed equipment for razor grinding which is a convenience to the shop.

Misses Stella Zeimer and Mabel Ellington from Hoskins were here this week, guests of Mrs. J. H. Wendte. They were college students here last year.

Wm. McInerney was here from Leigh Tuesday visiting his brother, M. T. McInerney, while on his way to Bloomfield. He will probably reside at Wayne this winter.

George Gettman from northwest of town came in this morning to go to Sioux City, where he is taking treatment. He reports that there was a hard rain at his place last night. Carroll was also visited by a good shower.

Dr. J. G. Green is home from a vacation spent with home folks in Iowa.

Mrs. Wm. Boyce of Wynot, was here last week visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. P. Gossard.

Never neglect your eyes—they are worth a million to you. For their proper fitting, see Donahay.—adv.

Miss Vera Giesecker, who is a guest at the Gus Bohnert home went to Stanton Wednesday for a brief visit.

Park Mabbott and family returned Tuesday evening from a month's outing, spent visiting in Wisconsin. He reports a pleasant vacation.

This week the Democrat contains several advertisements offering bargains to those who are seeking homes in town or good farm propositions.

Rev. Lloyd Cunningham of Atkinson stopped here this week while returning from Omaha to visit at the home of his father, David Cunningham.

V. A. Senter and T. B. Heckert and families returned Tuesday from Crystal Lake, where they spent a week trying to catch their living with hook and line.

Paul Leukins from near Wisner went from here to Sioux City this morning to have the doctors there look for a needle which he ran into his foot and broke off last Saturday.

Kelly Gossard and wife returned last week to their home at Hay Springs, following a visit of two weeks here at the homes of their parents, A. E. Gossard and E. Farrell.

Grant Mears and Messrs. John and Jake Reeg and wives and Bernard Meyers made up a land looking party that started for Windom, Minnesota, Wednesday morning.

Mrs. L. B. Kincanon and grandmother, Mrs. Collins of McLean were guests here Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Ella Whitney, while on their way to Hartington for a visit.

A. Anson came to Wayne Tuesday evening from Springfield, and will spend a fortnight here and at Carroll with relatives and friends before returning to his quarters at Burkett.

T. E. Clark and wife returned Monday from Superior, where Mrs. Clark has been several weeks with her father who is in poor health, and Mr. Clark has been there part of the time.

The neighbors and friends put up a pleasant surprise for Peter Jacobs at his home south of Winside recently, prior to his starting on a visit to his native land over the briny deep.

Fred Blair and wife went to Onawa, Iowa, last week for a vacation holiday, and from there they go with friends to camp and fish at Blue Lake. They left anticipating a fine outing.

Alfred Pederson of Winside has purchased through the agency of Geo. Grunemeyer an Indian motorcycle. They are among the best makes, and the one just sold is one of the latest patterns.

If you hold your head with a twist in your neck when reading, it is a sign that your eyes are not alike. Donahay can correct the trouble with glasses and you will soon outgrow it.—adv.

In speaking of the sickness of Mrs. Weber last week the name appeared Mrs. Wm. Weber, when it should have read Mrs. W. R. Weber. The lady while yet ill, continues to improve slowly.

J. W. Ott and wife, who have been spending two or three weeks here with relatives and old neighbors and friends, left the first of the week for Burkett, where they are making headquarters. They like it there very much.

Mrs. J. E. Hufford and sons left here Wednesday for Omaha, where they will reside for the next three months, while Mr. Hufford is employed there. They have many friends here who are glad to learn that they plan to return again before the year ends.

Mrs. W. H. James of Carroll and her sister, Mrs. Carr of St. Louis were here Wednesday visiting at the home of their aunt, Mrs. D. W. Noakes. Mrs. Carr left Wednesday evening to visit at Scotts Bluffs before returning to her Missouri home.

Twenty-three of the Bible Circle were present Wednesday afternoon at the home of Ray Perdue. An interesting lesson was discussed with Mrs. Gossard ably acting as leader. An interesting talk was given by E. P. Turner, a Sunday school missionary. The circle will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the home of A. M. Helt with Mrs. Scofield as leader.

Mrs. Chas. Kinzie of Chico, California, stopped here Tuesday evening to visit with her cousin, Mrs. C. A. Sprague. She had been visiting her old home at Sheldon, Iowa.

On account of the rain the ball game did not take place at Wayne Sunday. This is the first time such a thing has happened here this season, but it would have been an acceptable excuse most any time for the past six or eight weeks.

J. H. Foster, his wife and her mother, Mrs. Madden of Griswold, who has been visiting here, and Neta and Curtis Foster left here Tuesday morning by automobile for Griswold, Iowa, where the Foster family formerly lived, for a short visit with friends and relatives.

C. J. Nuss left Sunday afternoon for St. Paul, planning to be absent about a week, buying for the holidays and enjoying a short vacation. Mr. Nuss has a business here which has been growing since he first started and he proposes to so continue it that it will grow yet greater.

Four loads of fat cattle left the Wayne yards Wednesday for South Omaha. Two cars containing 38 head were fed and shipped by Henry Linke, and were a nice, even bunch of 1,100 each. Another bunch of 40 head were from the feed lots of Nels Herman, and they, too, were in prime condition for the summer market. The owners went in with them.

F. E. Moses and wife returned last week from Pasadena, California, where they went last fall to make their home for a time. They returned to Wayne county to make the acquaintance of their little grandchild recently born to H. Moses and wife at the Moses home and to see Judge Moses who is in poor health. They have no definite time set as to their stay in their Nebraska home.

Frank A. VanOsdol, ex-mayor of Morrison, Ill., is visiting the Ellison family. Mr. VanOsdol and the Ellison boys were school mates long ago and were glad to meet for the first time in twenty-eight years. Northeast Nebraska looks good to him and he was much impressed with the enterprising city of Wayne and the beautiful country around it. Mr. VanOsdol will return home Friday.

Master Alvin Rennick returned this morning from an extended visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. C. E. Wright at Warden, Montana. While away they visited at Yellowstone park and other points of interest in that vicinity, and had a jolly good time. His sister, Miss Lillian, who went with him, returned as far as Norfolk when he did, and from there went to visit at Dallas, South Dakota, before coming home.

A boy spent two days waiting and looking for a business man—watching his old place of business—not knowing that the man had moved. He finally asked the Democrat man where the man was to be found. No one knows how many patrons this man has lost—not by moving, but by not more thoroughly advertising the fact. It is not yet too late for him to make partial amends. He can not only retain his old patrons by advertising but secure new ones.

A. J. Ferguson and wife plan to leave this week for an outing at Osakis Lake in Minnesota where the Colonel says he will put in his time fishing and that there are fish there which he proposes to catch some of them as large as a man—a full grown man too. And that is no fish story. They make their home at the bottom of this bottomless lake, the longest line obtainable failing to touch the lowest depths and these monster fish are only caught when they make an occasional excursion toward the surface of the waters they inhabit. It is an ideal resort for fishermen.

A family reunion is being held this week at the home of E. W. Huse and wife, a family of nephews and nieces all meeting beneath their roof for the first time since their separation after the death of their parents when they were but children. Their father, a Lutheran minister was among the pioneer ministers at Wayne, where he established an academy in an early day—in advance of the time when such a school could find the means of support in this sparsely settled land, and later they moved to Ponca where the mother and wife died. The father died at West Point not long after and the children were taken to the home of an aunt in Pennsylvania where they grew to manhood and womanhood. Those here are Chas. Sticker and wife of Pennsylvania, Miss Jessie McCool of New Jersey, Chas. McCool of Des Moines, Iowa, and Warren McCool and wife of Ponca.

Grains are up—hogs down.

Fred Larson accompanied him as far as Norfolk.

Carl Grothe is home from school spending his vacation with home folks.

Nels Nelson went to Meadow Grove today to assist son who lives on his farm near that place.

Robt. Skiles, who has been visiting in South Dakota for the past three weeks returned home this morning.

Miss Minnie O'Kieffe, who has been here at the home of her sister, Mrs. Auken, for a time, left today for Burkett.

Mrs. Gus Will and daughter, Miss Rose, went to West Point this morning to visit for a week or two with relatives and friends.

Warren Shultheis and R. L. Will are home from an outing at one of Iowa's famous lakes, where they spent a pleasant week.

The Wayne band is now assured, and their practice nights make pretty fair music. We hope to announce some concerts ere long.

I. E. Ellis and wife are at Pilger today to attend the wedding of a niece, Miss Grace Ellis, who has been one of the teachers in the school at that place, and is to marry the principal, whose name we could not learn.

E. R. Rogers who spent two weeks at a Sioux City hospital escaped the first of the week except his appendix was left at the institution. After a day here he left Thursday to recuperate at his home at Inman. He is feeling well and rapidly regaining strength.

Mrs. C. Clasen went to Storm Lake this week as a delegate to the meeting of the young people of the Presbyterian church, and while there received word of the sudden death of her father, Joel Hodge at Akron, Iowa. Mr. Hodge was working in the harvest field and fell from a load of grain and his neck was broken by the fall. It is not known whether his fall was the result of an accident, or whether he was overcome by heat and fell. Mr. Clasen leaves this afternoon to join his wife at Akron and to attend the funeral which will be held tomorrow.

Paul Young returned this morning from Butler county, where he has been to attend institute, as he is engaged as principal of the school at Surprise for the coming year. While there he attended chautauqua at David City, and made a booster trip with the Surprise people, going to assist the band. He reports that on their automobile trip the corn crop appeared very spotted. Some sections looked promising—in other places the corn was burned and brown—apparently depending upon whether or not the local showers had hit or missed.

**Bit of Gossip—Caught by Hangin' On**

"Say, Mary, are you going to Wayne to chautauqua this year?"

"No, can't afford it, must have a new dress for winter. You going?"

"Yes, I am going, and you can go too; thought I had to have a new dress, but my old one is good, not worn at all and neither is yours, but both are soiled. When I go to Wayne I shall take my dress to that fellow who does dry cleaning down there—what's his name?"

"Oh, that Madison, no Brown—Madison Brown, that's it."

"Yes, that's the one—take a dress like yours or mine there and have it cleaned and it is like new, and then we can make 'em over and save more than enough that way to have a good time at the chautauqua. John is going to take his suit and overcoat along then he won't need to have a new one 'til the clothing fellows make their bargain offers after the break of winter."

"But do they do a good job of cleaning?"

"To be sure, I have seen work which came from there which looked like new goods. Mr. Brown has a complete plant there and he takes all of the dirt out and presses everything nicely, and cleans clothing of all kinds by the process, and curtains, and even large rugs,—why he showed me a rug he had cleaned one day, it looked like new and there was not a bit of dirt or dust left in it, and the dry process will not injure the most delicate fabrics. Yes, I am going to go to the chautauqua and take my goods in to be cleaned at the same time."

"Well, ring off, please, another party wants the line today!"

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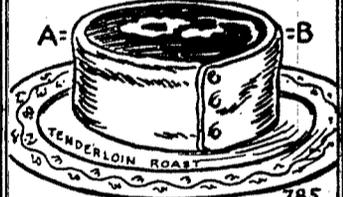
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## Get the Most out of Your Damaged Corn Crop

Omaha, Aug. 11.—The continued drought and warm weather has seriously damaged the corn crop in many parts of the state, according to Prof. C. W. Pugsley, head of the Extension Department of the State University. Under present conditions, much of the corn can be saved for feeding if proper attention is given and the corn is not neglected.

Reports which have come to the Extension Department indicate that the damaged sections are in every part of the state though the southern part is more affected than other sections. Requests have been pouring in to Prof. Pugsley, asking suggestions as to the best method of getting the most out of the corn crop.

Realizing that the condition is general, Pugsley has requested the Bureau of Publicity to co-operate with the Extension Department and the newspapers of the state in disseminating news relative to the condition.

"Nebraska is not affected as much as other states," says Professor Pugsley. "However, that does not prevent us getting as much out of the corn crop as is possible. Generally speaking, Nebraska has been fortunate in her crops this year, especially small grain. But the corn crop has been affected and now it is up to us to get all we can out of the crop.

Most of the queries are "How is it possible to get the most feed out of the corn crop?" By properly handling it is often easy to get from many fields sufficient feed to carry the stock on the farm through the winter.

Pugsley suggests three ways. One way is to let the corn plant stand in the field and then pasturing in the winter. Pugsley characterizes this as the poorest method as often times much of the dried-up portions will blow away, little feeding value remaining.

Another and better method is to make fodder of the corn by cutting at the proper time. In this way it is possible to save much feed from a field which would otherwise yield very little. Many prefer to shred the corn, the claim being that this enhances the feeding value of the yield. Professor Lee of the Department, says the best method is to put as much corn as possible into a silo. Prof. Lee is authority for the statement that one-half more cattle can be wintered on any field of corn if that corn is put into a silo instead of being cut for fodder.

"If you have a silo, by all means fill it," is the advice from the Extension Department. In this emergency, it is not suggested that expensive silos be erected. However, Professor Chase of the University says a silo may be built for the purpose of saving injured corn by a small outlay of money. Chase states that a wooden silo holding 80 tons, may be built for about \$120, and will last several years. Also that the same sized silo may be built in the ground at a cost of from \$16 to \$25.

Now is the time to get the most of the corn crop. In some sections, now is the time to put the corn in silo or cut it for fodder. In other sections, it can be left for several weeks, unless weather conditions become very severe.

As long as the corn is growing fairly well, it is better to leave it in the field, but in case hot, dry weather continues and the corn burns, it is better to cut it for feed. If a silo is to be built, no time is to be lost.

A bulletin on the value of fodder and silage for feeding purposes and another on the method of building inexpensive silos, have been prepared by the Extension Department. Either or both of these may be had free of cost by writing either the bureau of Publicity, Omaha, or the Extension Department, State Farm, Lincoln.

Farmers are urged to save as much of the crop as possible. Either cut it for fodder or put it in a silo. Do the one you prefer. If you desire to build a silo, get in touch with the Extension Department which will give plans by which you can erect a silo yourself at a very nominal cost.

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J. H. Massie, wife and son, John, left Friday to visit their former home at Schuyler. After a visit there they will go to Iowa and Illinois to visit relatives and friends.

## Extension Department will Furnish Speakers For Meetings

Omaha, Neb., Aug. 11.—To aid in getting the most out of the corn crop, arrangements have been made whereby special meetings will be held in various parts of the state under the auspices of the Nebraska Experiment station.

In localities where it seems advisable to hold special meetings the Extension department will supply speakers, who will suggest ways and means. These localities desiring meetings should make arrangements whereby representative crowds will be in attendance.

If your section is affected by the continued droughts and the corn is not in good condition as it should be, make arrangements for a meeting. Arrangements can be made by correspondence with the Extension Department of the State University or through the Bureau of Publicity of Omaha, which will co-operate with the Extension Department.

Send for one of the booklets or both, "The value of fodder and silage for feeding purposes" or "The method of erecting inexpensive silos." Make the most of your corn crop. You can save greatly by not neglecting your corn at this time.

### How Editors Get Rich

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The wheel sells at just \$12.

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"For running \$12 worth of locals we can get two tickets admitting us to a circus in the city and pay our own fare on the railroad."

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"By running \$50 worth of advertising and sending \$25 to an Atlantic City firm, we will be given a deed to a lot. When the tide is in, the lot stands six feet under water."

"When a man dies, the undertaker gets from \$75 to \$150 to bury him, and the editor gets nothing for publishing his obituary notice."—Ex.

The following from an exchange suggests that there would be money made, and plenty of it, by giving the collection and care of eggs proper attention:

"The poultry and egg market all over the country is suffering marked depression just now, according to Manager E. P. Jelley of Swift & Co's Columbus office. Mr. Jelley says that it has been years since there was such a large percentage of spoiled ones among the eggs brought to market from the farms. During the hot weather of the past weeks at least one-sixth of all the eggs brought in to him have been found to be bad. In one crate of thirty dozen twenty-six dozen were spoiled. Mr. Jelley says it would mean money in the pockets of the poultry raisers if they would give more attention to the gathering and marketing of eggs during the hot weather. To insure a minimum of loss through spoiling, the eggs should be gathered three times a day and packed in the cellar. Farmers should then be sure to market them the very first trip to town. Eggs that are not fertile will keep nearly twice as long during hot weather as those that are fertile. Another reason for the unprecedented depression in the market is the fact that the farmers are unusually busy harvesting their bumper crop and will not take time off to market their chicks. This is the season when the market is going through the transition from old fowls to the spring chickens. Buyers are wary about loading up with old fowls but cannot get enough of the spring hatch to supply the demand."

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A gallon of whisky at a Saturday night dance can cause a great deal of trouble, but it is tame and kittenish beside a gallon of whiz-water which is conducting a joy ride. Gasoline is a clear, nervous liquid which is composed of speed, noise and trouble in equal parts. It is made of kerosene reduced to a more violent stage, and is kindly supplied to the restless portion of mankind by the fragments of the late Standard Oil Company.—From Graphite.

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## A Nebraska Ranch

Some idea of the size of the farms of Nebraska may be gained from the following description of the big ranch near Tekamah owned by Mr. Ed Latta, president of the First National bank of that place, and members of his family. We make our extract from a letter from Phillip Chase, who has been putting in his vacation so far this summer in the harvest fields of Kansas and Nebraska, getting a first hand knowledge of farming and a big coat of tan, both at the same time. He says:

"Mr. Ed. Latta, his brother, Burr Latta, and their mother own 2,700 acres of land or more in Burt county, of which 1,400 acres is in wheat, and the rest corn, oats, hay and pasture. The land is situated on the flats of the Missouri river and very rich. The farm houses are those which he purchased from the original farmers. The Lattas have over 200 head of horses, mules and cows, and employ over fifty farm hands.

"Mr. Latta rides out in a machine every day to oversee this farming army. He has two threshing machines and two gasoline threshing engines that can haul twelve binders apiece, besides which are all sorts of farm machinery. They started to thresh today, thermometer 105 degrees and over for three days in the shade. I believe it is really too hot to work in an open wheat field."—Western Trader.

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Any resident of Nebraska desiring this bulletin may obtain the same free of charge by writing to the Agricultural Experiment Station, Lincoln, Nebraska.

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## The Prisoners' Alphabet

### How a Girl Learned It and It Led to Her Freedom

By CATHERINE KRONIN

My father was a hatted proprietor in the department of Koskoma, Russia. Our peasants, who had formerly been serfs and not many years liberated, were very ignorant and it seemed to me then a girl of twenty—that the first thing to do to better their condition was to educate them, for they were only fitted for a grade of labor but little above what was performed by beasts of burden. Indeed, they were treated by the government officials as cattle. I have seen a man go into a clamoring crowd with a stout whip and scatter them as he would so many steers.

My father forbade me to do anything for the poor creatures that was not permitted by the government, knowing well that by doing so I would get into trouble. But my sympathies were so strong that I consented to teach clandestinely. I found it easier to teach the children, and I used a back room in a peasant's cottage for a school. I had not been long at the work before the secret got out, and one day the government officials broke into the room while my school was in session, and I was caught red handed.

I pass over our dreary march to Siberia, for it has nothing to do with my story. That story begins on the first night of my arrival at the prison at Kara. I was lying on my cot in my cell, overcome with that dreadful feeling of being locked in and wishing that death would relieve me from the sufferings in prospect for me. I do not know whether it had seemed bleaker to me outside or now that I was within the prison walls. So unendurable were my thoughts that I tried to turn them to the home I had left, my father, my mother and my sisters. But I knew they were suffering on my account, and to think of them gave me no relief.

But dark as the prospect was, deep as the gloom in which I was plunged, there came something that turned my thoughts from my misfortunes. A heating pipe entered my cell at the floor and ran perpendicularly through the ceiling. Suddenly a sound passed over the pipe, as when steam is turned on in a radiator. It was but one tiny tick, such as would be made by the pipe being struck by metal. It was immediately followed by another tap, then a short interval, then a third. Next three taps came together, followed by two.

This was enough to indicate that the sounds were not made by the expansion or contraction of the pipes from heat or cold, but that some one was tapping on them, with what I did not know. I listened for some time, during which I knew that a message was being transmitted; but, since I did not know the code, I could not interpret it. When it ended another series of taps commenced, and there was a difference in the key, indicating that the later series was produced by a different instrument from the first.

Oh, blessed relief—something to think about, something to unravel! Messages were being transmitted through my room over the heating pipe. I was at once interested in reading them. Had I known of the Morse telegraphic code—which I did not—I would have surmised that this one was similar. The Morse code is composed of dots and dashes. This prison code was composed of taps and intervals. For instance, one tap might mean the letter A, two taps B, two taps and one after an interval C, one tap and two after an interval D, and so on.

I did not gain a knowledge of a single letter that night, though two persons talked over the pipe for some time. All communication ceased a quarter of an hour before the last visit of the guard and recommenced a quarter of an hour after the round had been made, the persons continuing to communicate for half an hour, when they ceased, giving me the first clue to their code. The last two divisions or words—as I took them to be—were tapped after a short silence, and the same taps and intervals were repeated by the person who received them.

I had by this time learned to separate letter from letter and word from word. These last two words, tapped and repeated, were composed the first of four, the second of five letters. I listened for some time for more, but heard nothing, and it occurred to me that the words spoken were intended for a closing of the conversation, just as today persons talking over a telephone say "goodby" to each other to indicate that they have nothing more to say. Immediately it dashed upon me that the words spoken were goodby, but the second word of goodby is composed of two letters, whereas, as I have said, the second word of the last message was composed of five.

"I have it! The message was 'good night'."  
So ended the first evening of my prison life, for small as the distraction from my troubles was, it was enough, worn out as I was, to bring on sleep. I passed into unconsciousness, thinking that probably the messages would recommence on the morrow and I

should have something to do to read the messages, for if my interpretation of the two words was correct I had seven letters. Surely that would be quite enough to give me the others in time, though I remembered them imperfectly and needed to hear them again.

I did not hear them again till the next night, but I heard other letters and short words that added to my knowledge of the code. The letter I was used quite often by itself, as was the letter A. Besides, when a conversation was ended during the day the last words were two, and I was not long in interpreting them as "goodby." This gave me nine letters, or a third of the alphabet. Within a few days I had it all, but it required practice to read. As to telegraphing myself, I practiced at sending messages to myself by tapping with my finger on the wall of my cell and soon became quite proficient.

As soon as I could read readily I determined to take a hand in the dialogues. Two men, both political, were communicating, the one a young man who had been sent to Siberia from a university; the other had been implicated in a conspiracy to assassinate a minister of justice. The latter was much older than the former—at least he talked more sedately—while the student was full of hope and enthusiasm. He was discussing with the other plans for escape, which his correspondent discouraged as impossible and would only bring down more horror on those who attempted them.

The call signal I learned at the outset. It was three taps at intervals, till the party to be called responded. When I was sufficiently practiced to hold a conversation I gave the signal. A reply came.

"What is it, Paul?"  
I made the reply myself. I said that I was a political prisoner, a young girl; that I had heard their conversations over the pipe and had interpreted their code. I would be pleased to talk with them when they were not engaged chatting with each other. Paul, the university man, asked me how long I had been in learning the code and, when I told him, complimented me on my readiness. I asked him if he were not afraid of the prison authorities becoming aware that he was communicating, to which he replied that the prisoners all knew the hours when the guards were due and were careful to refrain from tapping when they came round. He added that the latter were a stupid lot and, if they heard the tapping and suspected a code, could never learn it as I had done.

Doubtless, the principal deterrent from insanity among prisoners is planning escapes. Paul, who, I learned, was in the cell directly below me, was full of these plans, which he had been proposing to Alexis, who was in the cell above me. After I came into the trio Paul consulted me rather than Alexis as to the practicability of his plans, but I had not been there long enough to have any knowledge of the prison or the habits of our guards and could be of no use to him. Nevertheless he finally laid a plan intended for my escape, with the assistance of the other two, which Alexis pronounced feasible, though not probable. No escape could be made without bribing the guard, and this could not be done without his being able to make it appear that he was innocent. A woman, Maria, had charge of the cells for the woman prisoners, and I succeeded in winning her sympathy. Indeed, she became so fond of me that she would willingly aid me to get away provided she should not suffer for negligence or abetting me in my escape.

Paul's plan was for me to effect a change of clothing with him, to pretend illness, be sent to the hospital and trust to luck to get back into woman's attire and go out as an unidentified prisoner. There seemed to be no way to carry out the initiatory part of the plan until I proposed to do my clothes up in a bundle that could be put through the window bars and let it down to Paul on the floor below. Then I would haul up his clothes by the same means. I could make a cord by tearing certain articles of my clothing into strips.

We exchanged the clothing without difficulty, and the next morning when Maria came around she found me in man's dress. I offered, if she would help me, to send her a thousand rubles from home. This she declined, but agreed to assist me because she pitied and loved me, though she would be obliged to leave the prison and Kara as well as I if she did so. She went away, leaving my cell unlocked, I agreeing to give her a couple of hours to get away. At the end of that time I walked out into the corridor till I saw a jailer approaching, then fell on the floor. Coming to me, he picked me up and, not knowing who I was, but thinking me to be ill, sent me to the hospital, where I was put to bed.

The nurses were men, and I had no opportunity to appropriate a woman's clothes. But at midnight I got out of bed in my nightclothes and went out into the prison yard. There I was picked up by an official and, being a woman, was taken to the woman's hospital, the man supposing me to have come from there. Before morning I had stolen the uniform of a nurse and in this disguise succeeded in making my escape.

I had appointed a rendezvous with Maria and took her with me to Berlin, where I communicated with my father.

All this happened twenty years ago, and Maria has been in my service ever since.  
I heard some time after my leaving Kara that Paul had made his escape and had gone to America. I have lived since leaving Russia in Germany. I suppose I should sacrifice myself again for the cause, but the prospect of that horrible prison life deters me.

### Probate Notice to Creditors

In the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska.

In the matter of the Estate of William Brune, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that the creditors of the said deceased will meet the Executrix of said estate, before me, County Judge of Wayne County, Nebraska, at the County Court Room in said county, on the 2nd day of September, 1913, and on the 2nd day of March, 1914, at 10 o'clock a. m., each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for creditors to present their claims and one year for the Executrix to settle said estate, from the 2nd day of September, 1913. This notice will be published in the Nebraska Democrat for three weeks successively prior to the 2nd day of September, 1913.

Witness my hand and seal of said court, this 6th day of August, 1913.  
JAMES BRITTON,  
(Seal) County Judge.

### Order of Hearing on Original Probate of Will

The State of Nebraska, Wayne County, ss.

At a County Court, held at the County Court Room, in and for said County of Wayne, on the 7th day of August, 1913.

Present, James Britton, County Judge.

In the matter of the estate of George W. Montgomery, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Curtis E. Benshoof, praying that the instrument filed on the 7th day of August, 1913, and purporting to be the last Will and Testament of said deceased, may be proved approved, probated, allowed and recorded as the last Will and Testament of said George W. Montgomery, deceased, and that the execution of said instrument may be committed and that the administration of said Estate may be granted to Curtis E. Benshoof as Executor; Ordered, That September 3rd, A. D., 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m., is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a County Court to be held in and for said County, and show cause why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted; and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Nebraska Democrat, a weekly newspaper printed in said County, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

32-3 JAMES BRITTON,  
(A true copy) County Judge.

### Order of Hearing on Petition for Appointment of Administrator

In the county court of Wayne county, Nebraska.

State of Nebraska, ss.

County of Wayne.

To all persons interested in the estate of Mary E. Cutler, deceased: On reading the petition of Helen M. Sewell praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Pearl Sewell as administratrix. It is hereby ordered that you, and all persons interested in said matter, may, and do, appear at the County Court to be held in and for said county, on the 18th day of August, A. D. 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and that the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this Order in the Nebraska Democrat, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

Witness my hand and seal of said court, this 26th day of July, A. D. 1913.  
JAMES BRITTON,  
(Seal) 30-3 County Judge.

### Probate Notice to Creditors

In the county court of Wayne county Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of Frank A. Berry, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that the creditors of the said deceased will meet the administratrix of said estate, before me, County Judge of Wayne county, Nebraska, at the County Court Room in said county, on the 25th day of August, 1913, and on the 25th day of February, 1914, at 10 o'clock a. m., each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for creditors to present their claims and one year for the administratrix to settle said estate, from the 25th day of August, 1913. This notice will be published in the Nebraska Democrat for three weeks successively prior to the 25th day of August, 1913.

Witness my hand and seal of said court, this 1st day of August, 1913.  
JAMES BRITTON,  
(Seal) 31-3 County Judge.

## Once Upon a Time

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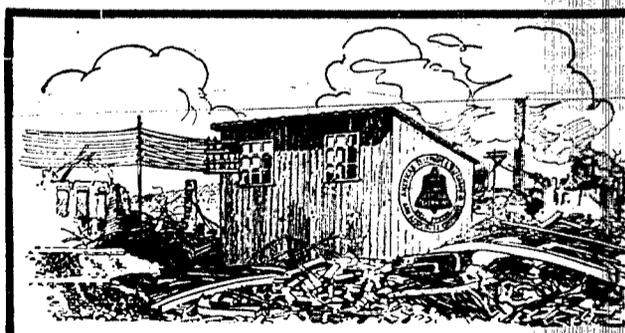
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# County Correspondence

## Hunter Precinct.

Alice Samuelson was a passenger to Dakota City Sunday.

Harry and Ray Robinson returned from their trip to Chicago Friday.

Herman Steckleberg is still visiting at the Wm. Brummond home.

Miss Anna Froyd of Wakefield visited Miss Esther Johnson last week.

Louis Johnson and family visited at the Chas. Lessman place Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fisher, Sunday, August 10, a daughter.

Wm. Brummond and wife and daughter, Anna, were Laurel visitors Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Elfine and daughter, Gertrude, went to Laurel Monday to visit relatives.

Mrs. August Samuelson and daughter, Nettie, visited at the Worth home Tuesday.

Miss Emma Gratz of Minnesota has been spending a few days with Miss Emma Brummond. She returned to her home Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brummond autoed home from Pender where they have been visiting relatives for about a week. Mrs. Brummond's mother, Mrs. Fred Smith, accompanied them home.

## Hoskins News

(From the Headlight)

A deal was made last Friday, whereby John Kaulen of Hoskins, bought the barber shop of John K. Baugh.

E. C. Kohrt, a blacksmith who came here from Carroll, has rented the shop and tools from the Behmer Imp. Co., and is ready for work. Mr. Kohrt is a first class blacksmith.

A very nice rain fell over this locality Saturday morning accompanied by wind, lightning and thunder. The rain was very welcome and certainly helped the corn crop very much around here which looks fairly good to the farmers now.

There are only two general merchandise stores in town at the present time, as the county attorney and sheriff came down from Wayne last week Saturday and closed the store that R. M. Waddell of Norfolk purchased from O. S. Winter about two weeks ago. We did not learn what is going to be done with the stock of goods.

Charlie Krause, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Louie Krause passed away Saturday morning at 4:30 from brain fever of which sickness he suffered just one week. He was a bright little fellow for his age and will be greatly missed by the place he has left. He was born March 16, 1911, and died Aug. 1, 1913, being 2 years, 4 months and 4 days old at the time of his death.

At the sound of the fire bell heard Friday afternoon fire was discovered in the Anchor Grain office. Aug. Rohlow and A. M. Averill saw the smoke coming out of the door and window and ran to see what was the matter, where they met John Potah's young son standing at the door, supposing he was the one who started the fire. A. T. Waddell, who is manager of the elevator had a winter overcoat and some other clothes in the office which were burned. In about ten minutes longer it would have been quite a task for the hucket brigade to extinguish the flames. The above was another lucky affair as the damage was small, but what would be the results if a large fire should start in one of our business houses. Do you realize the danger without good fire protection?

## New Cure for Rheumatism

Get the uric acid out of your system and your rheumatism will be cured. Meritol Rheumatism Powders are the most effective agency known for this purpose. You can buy them from any member of the American Drug and Press Association, Adams' Model Pharmacy, Wayne.—adv. A.

## Wakefield News.

Mrs. C. A. Borg and children went to Dallas, Tuesday to visit her sister.

Miss Dora Hultman returned to Wausa Monday after a visit with Miss Tillie Lennart.

Mesdames Brummond, Smith and Elfine attended the funeral of Mr. Schultz at Laurel Friday.

Miss Anna Hafstrom came up from Omaha Thursday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hypse departed Monday evening for a two week's outing in the Black Hills.

Mrs. Anna Wheelock and Miss Nettie Engdahl of Moline, Ill., are visiting at the home of Ed Sundahl.

Miss Bertha Lidahl, who has been visiting at the home of Frank Holms returned to Omaha Monday.

Mrs. E. J. Fleetwood and daughters returned Friday from Stromsburg, where they visited her parents.

Miss Kate Carpenter went to Coleridge Monday for a week's stay with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Jerome.

Mrs. Ross and Miss Frances Brown returned Monday from a ten day's stay in Denver and Colorado Springs.

Shipments of cattle to Omaha this week: Frank Larson 2 loads; Frank Hanson 1, Otto Fredrickson 1 and J. W. Lindstedt 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Kimbal arrived home Wednesday evening from a five weeks' outing in Estes park and Colorado Springs.

Misses Maude and Nellie Nelson arrived Monday from Stromsburg for a two weeks' visit with the Misses Naomi and Esther Hoogner.

Mrs. Elarek of York and Mrs. Trussel of Crawford who have been visiting in the home of Ed Sundahl, Mrs. Bard and E. E. Hypse, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Josephine Baxtrom left Tuesday for Manchester, Iowa, for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Norman Johnson. Miss Emma Baxtrom accompanied her to Sioux City.

Miss Matida Johnson returned Saturday from Brooklyn where she has been staying the past eight months. Mrs. Anderson and Albert Anderson accompanied her home for a visit.

Mrs. Holmberg was hostess Tuesday afternoon to about twenty young ladies in honor of her daughter, Esther, an August bride. The afternoon's entertainment proved to be a quilting bee. A delicious three-course dinner was served by the hostess.

About seventy people gathered on the Shumway lawn Thursday afternoon to honor Mr. and Mrs. George McKittrick, who leave the latter part of October to make their home in New York. A delicious picnic dinner was furnished by the guests.

Mrs. J. H. Montgomery entertained fourteen young ladies Friday afternoon in honor of her sisters, the Misses Carol and Doris Lee of Winnebago. The afternoon was happily spent in guessing contests. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

## Winside Notes

(From the Tribune)

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tracy, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tidrick and family, C. A. Dean and family, the Rew and Winegar families and G. E. French, well supplied with provisions to satisfy the inner man, left in autos Sunday morning for a days outing along the Elkhorn. And they sure enjoyed it from all reports. The trip to the river was made in fine shape.

The Library Board met Thursday evening in the library building and elected officers for the ensuing year. All old officers were re-elected. The following are the Library Board: F. S. Tracy, pres.; Mrs. R. H. Morrow, vice pres.; Miss Gertrude Bayes, secretary; Mrs. D. J. Cavanaugh, Mrs. H. E. Sisman, Mrs. Lute Miller, Mrs. E. W. Cullen, G. A. Mittlestadt and Harry Prescott along with the president vice and secretary constitute the executive board.

Wallace Cadwallader, a lad about 16 years of age, residing north of town, suffered a broken leg Sunday morning in a mixup one mile east of town. He, in company with his brother, Joe, were driving a single horse hitched to a buggy at a rapid speed, and in turning the corner the buggy turned turtle pinning them beneath the rig. The turning of the buggy pulled the horse around on top of the heap and in some manner the lad's leg was broken.

About one hundred fifty Sons of Herman and families, and friends gathered at the Fred Thiese grove one mile east of town Sunday and enjoyed a picnic dinner beneath the beautiful shade trees. Each family brought their dinner and all was spread on a long table where the guests satisfied the inner man to their hearts content. A bowling alley and various card games furnished amusement for the day. Hon. Wm. Piepenstock of Wayne, trustee of the Grand Lodge gave the oration of the day, having for his subject, "Life of the Lodge." The speaking was eloquent and brought much applause from the listeners. Mr. Thiese was voted card of thanks for donating his park for the occasion.

## Ecker-Carey

Yesterday, Aug. 5, 1913, at Vancouver occurred the marriage of Miss Val Ecker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ecker, former owners of the Tribune, and Mr. W. F. Carey prominent young business man of Estacada. After a wedding trip to the coast they will be at home to their many friends after September 1st at Estacada, Oregon.

The bride is very well known in Winside, having spent most of her life here attending the Winside school, graduating with the class of 1911. The groom is engaged in the mercantile business, associated with a brother. Their many friends in this vicinity extend the young couple nothing but happiness and prosperity in their new undertaking.

## Northwest News

Work will begin on the basement of the new M. E. church at Carroll this week.

Charley Linton is looking after his interests near Mankato, Minn., this week. He reports crops thereabouts fine.

Little Aubrey Hurlbert is recovering from the effects of a broken leg but will be in bed a long time as it has been very slow in healing.

Walter Hurlbert, Mr. Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. John Horn and son, Ralph, Mr. Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Grovjohn attended the picnic at Wayne last Thursday.

George Yaryan, Howard Porter, W. H. James, John Gettman and Clarence Mitchell attended the ball game between Laurel and Carroll at Wayne Thursday. They report a fine game.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Simmerman and children left for Inman, their home on Wednesday, having spent a week here visiting friends and relatives. They made the trip in their new car.

Miss Grace Murphy gave an entertainment at the Baptist church of Carroll last Friday evening under the auspices of the B. Y. P. U., of the church and on Monday evening Miss Murphy entertained a large audience at the M. E. church. Miss Murphy is a graduate of Des Moines School of Education.

The Baptist Sunday school will hold an ice cream social on Mrs. Geo. Shirts' lawn Tuesday evening and on Wednesday evening there will be an ice cream social at the Congregational church west of town and on Friday evening the Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church will give a social and serve a 15c lunch on the Frank Francis lawn. Everybody ought to get enough to eat this week.

## Wayne Council Proceedings

Wayne, Neb., August 12, 1913. The City Council met at the Council room in regular meeting, there being present, C. A. Chace and all councilmen except J. P. Gaertner and John Larison.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Mayor appointed E. J. Huntemer, city engineer. On motion the appointment was confirmed.

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

General Fund  
Weber Bros. bran, \$2.35.  
Wayne Herald, printing brief, \$27.75.

Neb. Tel. Co., phone, \$7.05.  
E. J. Huntemer, surveying, 2.00.  
Electric light fund

J. S. Liveringhouse, labor, \$6.75.  
H. S. Ringland, freight, \$8.99.  
Interstate Electric Co., wire, \$17.12.

Western Electric Co., \$1.00.  
Estimate of the cost of constructing certain walks was filed by the city engineer.

On motion council adjourned.

## Gun Club Score

Weber	15
VonSeggern	17
Helt	17
Mitner	21
Dally	15
Fredrickson	21
Pile	14
Perdue	17
McDonald	12
Fisher	21

## Among The Churches of Wayne

### Presbyterian Church

Rev. Alexander Corkey, Pastor.  
"Bringing the Impossible to Jesus" will be the subject of the pastor's sermon at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath morning. In the evening the congregation unites in the union open-air meeting at the court house lawn. This evening service begins at 7 and lasts an hour.

The Sunday school picnic will be held at the Rennick Grove, one quarter of a mile west of town, on Friday of this week. The picnic will include both the church and Sunday school and a good time is assured, as the program is a most interesting one. The picnicers will meet at the church at 10:30 and proceed to the Rennick Grove. The picnic dinner will be enjoyed at about noon.

The morning service begins at 10:30 and is followed by the Sunday school at 12 o'clock. At the morning service there is a talk to the children as a prelude to the regular sermon. Next Sunday the subject of the children's talk will be "How a Boy Became Famous."

At the Wednesday evening meetings of the church this week and next week the subject which is being considered is the earthly life of Jesus and the lessons which it teaches. The portrayal of the life of Jesus in the motion pictures in Wayne on August 22nd calls attention afresh to the human life of the Son of God, and the members of the church who attend the mid-week service have been refreshing their minds with the prominent features of that blessed life.

A band concert will be given on the church lawn on next Tuesday evening, August 19th. The men of the church will serve ice-cream and wafers in connection with the concert. This will be the first public appearance of our new Wayne band and everyone is cordially invited to listen to the music and enjoy the refreshments.

The summer communion of the Presbyterian church and the reception of new members will be held on the first Sabbath of September. There will also be a roll call of the membership on that occasion.

### Methodist Church

Rev. P. R. Giotfelty, Pastor.  
The fourth quarterly conference will be held next Monday evening, August 18th.

Services next Sunday will consist of class meeting at 10 o'clock, preaching services at 10:30, Sunday school at 12 noon, Evening services on the court house lawn at 7 o'clock.

Epworth League meets Friday evening at eight o'clock. Miss Hattie Crockett leader. Subject for the evening "Our Neglected Neighborhoods." Let every young person plan to be there.

The Missionary societies report a good meeting with Miss Bressler last Friday.

The Ladies Aid society give a Tea and Talk at the church this Thursday afternoon, covering the church period. Come out.

We found a great gathering at Lincoln last week when attending the assembly. Finest place for two weeks camping in the state of Nebraska. Make your plans for next year to attend the Assembly. Inter-Continental program, double every day. Great!

### St. Paul's Lutheran Church

(Rev. Blessing, Pastor.)  
Sunday school at 10 o'clock. We hope to have good attendance while there will be no preaching services.

There will be no preaching services until the first Sunday in September, as the pastor will be away on his vacation. He will visit in the Southern part of Nebraska and in Kansas.

The Ladies Aid society met last week at the home of Mrs. Lydia Skiles. There was a splendid attendance and a most pleasant and profitable meeting was held. The next meeting will be with Mrs. C. J. Johnson, Thursday, August 21st.

### Baptist Church

Rev. B. P. Richardson, Pastor.  
It is a pity that the good rain we had should have kept so many away from services last Sunday morning. Brother Lewis gave a splendid address. We hope there will be a good audience next Sunday to greet the pastor on his return.

### Double Header Ball Game

Arrangements are being made for two games of baseball at Randolph Sunday in which the Wayne team will compete. Arrangements have been made for a special train from Wayne and Bloomfield. The train from Wayne is scheduled to leave here at 1 p. m., and return immediately after the close of the games. Bloomfield and Wayne will play the first game, and then the Randolph team crosses bats with the winner.

## Tennis Racket

In the final match in the Singles Tennis Tournament for the city championship Frank Morgan defeated J. G. Miller three out of four sets and thus retains the Bankers' Cup for another year. The match was started Saturday afternoon but on account of unfavorable weather conditions it was found necessary to postpone play. At this time, each player had won a set and the games were three to two in favor of Frank on the set. On Monday afternoon, play was resumed and Frank won handily in straight sets by scores of 6-2, 6-2. Splendid tennis displayed by both players, but the winner was playing an excellent game and was never in danger of defeat after the first set.

Below we give a summary of all the matches played in the Tournament:

First round:—Lewis beat Blair, 6-2, 6-2; Gamble beat Ringland, 6-1, 6-3; Kemp beat Welch 6-3, 6-2; Gildersleeve beat Hahn 6-1, 6-0.

Second Round:—P. Mines beat C. M. Craven 6-1, 6-1; Miller beat Lewis 6-1, 6-1; Kemp beat Main 6-2, 6-0; Kohl beat Gildersleeve 6-3, 7-5; Morgan beat Hickman 6-4, 6-4; Kiplinger beat J. H. Pile 6-4, 6-1.

Semi-final Round—Miller beat Francis Jones 5-0, 7-5; Morgan beat Kohl 6-2, 6-3.

Final Round—F. S. Morgan beat J. G. Miller 3-6, 6-2, 6-2, 6-2.

Summary of Final Match:—Morgan 3 sets, 132 points and 21 games.

Miller 1 set, 110 points and 12 games.

In the City Doubles Handicap Tournament, Miller and Ringland defeated Morgan and J. H. Pile by scores of 2-6, 6-4, 9-7. A large and enthusiastic gallery was present to witness this match which proved to be very close and interesting. The features of this match were the splendid all around playing of Messrs. Ringland and Pile. It is to be regretted that Harry Fisher prohibits the use of spiked shoes on his tennis court as this worked very much to the disadvantage of Jim Pile who seemed to have no little difficulty in maintaining his equilibrium. Harvey had no difficulty in handling the speedy serves of his opponents and his ability along this line no doubt had a great deal to do with the victory he and his partner scored.

Four local tennis players, Jas. Miller, Fred Pile, Harvey Ringland and Frank Morgan autoed to Wausa Tuesday to play the tennis team of that place. They returned home victorious Wednesday morning on the train, the heavy rain having forced them to abandon the auto and remain in Carroll for the night. They were accompanied by Sam Erskine of Sholes who played in one match with Jas. Miller. The local players all report that the tennis club of Wausa showed them the greatest hospitality during their stay and they hope to entertain Wausa here some time next week in a return match. Scores of the matches were as follows: Ringland and Miller defeated Anderson and Lundgren (Wayne) 6-3, 6-3, 3-6. Pile and Morgan defeated Liddell and Hultman (Wausa) 6-1, 6-3, 6-3. Pile and Morgan defeated Anderson and Lundgren, 6-0, 6-1. Pile defeated Anderson (Liddell) 6-3, 6-2. Morgan defeated Liddell (Wayne) 6-2. Liddell and Hultman defeated Miller (Wayne) and Erskine (Sholes) 3-6, 6-4, 7-5.

## Our New Military Band

The Wayne Military Band is now a fact, and the occasional cooing of a horn or blowing of a trumpet in different parts of the town is evidence that there is band music in store for the people of Wayne in the future. Regular practices are now held every Tuesday and Friday nights and the men are working faithfully under the direction of Bandmaster Nance. An opportunity to hear our new band will be given next Tuesday evening when they will give an open-air concert on the lawn of the Presbyterian church and the entire community is heartily invited to hear the music of the band on that occasion.

In order to show their good will to everybody the men of the church will serve ice-cream and wafers to all who wish them at the same time, so that the enjoyment of the occasion may be complete. The music of course will be as free as the air which will carry the melodious sounds to the ear, but the ice-cream will come ten cents higher, owing to the price of food-stuffs. This will be on next Tuesday evening unless inclement weather should prevent.—adv.

## Neglect a Serious Matter

Don't neglect yourself, if you have eczema or skin trouble of any kind. Get a bottle of Meritol Eczema Remedy and cure yourself. You will be delighted with this prescription. Adams' Model Pharmacy, Wayne.—adv. A.

## Some Late Events

Much interest has been felt in the case of Governor Sulzer of New York, who started a fight—and a just one on the combined democratic and republican bosses of that most corrupt state of New York and the city of the same name. They controlled the legislature but the Governor would not bow to them, and they have left no stone unturned to drive him from power, and Wednesday morning after marshalling all of the votes of corruption which they could control they passed impeachment resolutions in the New York legislature. They made the charge that he had made a false report as to campaign funds, and that he had played the board of trade—something that none of his accusers were supposed to be guilty of—surely not. At the last hour Mrs. Sulzer made confession that she had used the money and bought and sold on the board, not her husband. The outcome is not set. At present the bosses hold the power. After passing the impeachment resolutions the well oiled legislative machine took up and passed many bills which the governor had vetoed. Back of it all the machine will have to reckon with the people, and then it will be shown who has the strength.

Of the matter the State Journal, a republican paper, says: "Governor Sulzer of New York has won increasing hosts of friends throughout the country because of the enemies he has made. The investigation of his private affairs was brought about not because he was making a bad governor, but because he was trying to force his party to keep the progressive promises it made in last year's platform. All this makes it so much the sadder if Sulzer is proved to have made such slips in his private life as to render him politically useless. Sulzer's side has not yet been heard, however, and final judgment must be as yet suspended."

In Mexico the jingoists are having a hard time trying to stir up trouble with Uncle Sam. The administration appears to want to do the fair thing by all parties, and John Lind, who has been sent as the personal representative of the president was well received, in spite of the bluster that threatened in the papers that are controlled by the interests. The committee on Foreign Relations has approved of the plans of the president, foreign nations that have previously recognized the Huerta government are explaining that they simply recognized it as the nominal government in the absence of other government until such time as an election could be held to make known the wishes of the people. The late reports are to the effect that Japan, to whom one of the members of the Diaz family has been started as a special envoy, will not be received as such—but that as a private citizen he will be welcome. The Mexican question has been and yet is a delicate one, but President Wilson and Secretary Bryan are handling it in a manner that cannot fail to appeal to all fair minded people. The fellows who wish the common people to spill their blood and spend their money in a war to maintain the "vested rights" of the boot-lickers, are the only ones disappointed.

## WON BY A DOLL

A Gift That Brought the Rebellious Apaches to Terms.

Major Bourke, as aid to General Crook, once showed himself an effective peace-maker. He persuaded a band of Apaches to go back to their reservation by presenting a doll to a papoose. The incident was as follows:

General Crook had been trying to put these Apaches back on the reserve, but could not catch them without killing them, an action that did not appeal to him. One day his forces captured a papoose and took her to the fort. She was quiet all day, but her black eyes watched everything. When night came the child broke down and sobbed just as any white youngster might.

The fort was in despair until Major Bourke had an idea. From the adjutant's wife he borrowed a doll that had come to her little girl the previous Christmas. When the young Apache understood that it was hers to keep her sobs ceased and she fell asleep. When morning came the doll was still clasped tightly in her arms. She played with it all day, and seemingly all thought of ever getting back to the tribe had left her.

Several days passed with no sign of overtone being made by the tribe, and finally in despair the papoose, with the doll still in her possession, was sent back. When the child reached the tribe with the prize grasped in her chubby hands it created a sensation among the native Americans, and her mother later went back to the post with it. She was received to a hospitable manner and kindly treated, and the effect of her visit was such that through her overtures were made, with the result that soon afterward the entire band moved back on the reserve.—St. Louis Republic.

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