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MEETINGS OF WAYNE COUNCIL

Old Council and Mayor Step Down and Out to Make Place for New Servants. Last and First Meetings

April 27th the Wayne council met in regular session with every member present. After reading and approving the minutes of the previous meeting, A. G. Grunnenmeyer presented a proposed ordinance regulating plumbing, and it was referred to a committee composed of Councilmen Hanssen, Lamberson and Gildersleeve. President U. S. Conn of the Normal appeared before the council on the matter of water for sprinkling purposes at times other than specified by ordinance, and also in reference to bill for wire and labor furnished the city, and arrangements were made for the council to meet on the Normal grounds and took the matter over.

After allowing the following claims, the council adjourned until May 3rd:

General Fund:

Fire Dept., Gas Supply Co. fire, \$21.00.

Partridge-Scotford Co., dog tags, \$1.35.

M. T. Munsinger, straw, \$10.75.

A. A. Wollert, blacksmithing, \$7.75.

Earl Merchant, blacksmithing, \$7.10.

G. L. Miner, April salary, \$80.

Walter Miller, April salary, \$60.

Pittsburg Meter Co., meters, \$25.80.

Royal Ins. Co., premium, \$52.50.

Fire Association, premium, \$52.50.

Frank Peterson, labor, \$23.75.

G. A. Lamberson, coal city hall, \$16.35.

J. M. Cherry, clerk salary last 6 months, \$150.00.

John J. Masur, rent, election, \$6.00.

Des Moines Bridge & Iron Co., \$500.00.

Electric Light Fund:

Gust Newman, April salary, \$65.

Ed Murrill, April salary, \$90.

Jno. Harmer, April salary, \$65.

J. M. Cherry, salary water commissioner 6 months, \$330.00.

F. Peterson, labor, \$16.25.

A. A. Wollert, blacksmithing, \$2.25.

Westinghouse Elec. & Mfg. Co., brushes, \$1.16.

J. M. Cherry, express, \$1.41.

A. G. Grunnenmeyer, supplies, \$3.70.

At the meeting May 3rd, all were present and the following claims were allowed:

General Fund:

Duncan Electric Co., repairs, \$7.29.

Roberts Drug Co., soda and acid, \$8.50.

C. E. Conger, dray, \$1.00.

Geo. Spalding, repairs crossing, \$13.00.

Wayne Herald, receipts, etc., \$44.65.

Fire Dept., Bonawitz fire, \$24.75.

C. A. Chace, salary year, \$200.

W. O. Hanssen, salary, \$100.00.

Frank Powers, salary, \$100.00.

H. Lundberg, salary, \$100.00.

G. A. Lamberson, salary, \$100.

J. G. W. Lewis, salary, \$100.00.

L. C. Gildersleeve, salary, \$100.

Fred S. Berry, salary, \$300.00.

H. S. Ringland, salary and postage, \$50.93.

Electric Light Fund:

Carhart Hardware Co., \$9.73.

Western Electric Co., \$9.37.

John Crohan, labor, \$4.50.

The following resolution was presented and unanimously adopted:

Whereas, Mayor C. A. Chace has just completed his second term of service as mayor of this city, which service has had but one object and intent at all times, the welfare and efficient management of the city, and

Whereas the present city council has at all times had his friendship cooperation and the benefit of his sound judgment.

Be it resolved that the harmony and efficiency of the whole city administration for the last two years has been in no small degree due to his influence.

And that we, the city council, hereby express our appreciation of his faithful service directed to no single interest but to all the highest interests of the community.

New Council Meets

Tuesday morning, May 4th the

new council was called to order by Mayor D. H. Cunningham, with the following councilmen present: G. A. Lamberson, Ernest Poulsen, W. O. Hanssen, L. C. Gildersleeve, W. A. Hiscox, John Harrington, Geo. A. Lamberson, was elected president of the council, and the mayor appointed the following committees for the fiscal year:

Street and Alley, Lamberson, Hanssen, and Hiscox.

Electric Light, Hanssen, Gildersleeve and Poulsen.

Water, Gildersleeve, Hanssen and Harrington.

Finance, Harrington, Hiscox and Poulsen.

The official bonds of J. M. Cherry city clerk, and H. S. Ringland, treasurer, were approved.

The clerk was directed to issue licenses to the following named persons, upon payment of the occupation tax:

Wm. Damneyer, billiards, lots 7 and 8, blocks 12, Original Town.

S. H. Richards, billiards, lots 11, block 21, Original Town.

Wm. Hostettler, billiards, lots 8, block 21, Original Town.

The application of Ed. Johnson was rejected.

J. E. Hostettler, moving pictures, lot 3, block 20, Original Town.

George Grunnenmeyer, plumbing and electric wiring.

H. B. Craven, plumbing and electric wiring.

Carhart Hardware Co., plumbing and electric wiring.

W. A. Hiscox, plumbing and electric wiring.

The Mayor made the following appointments:

City Attorney, F. S. Berry.

Chief of Police, G. L. Miner.

City Physician, T. T. Jones, without salary.

Water Commissioner, J. M. Cherry.

Street Commissioner, Walter Miller.

Normal Police, J. H. Merrill, without salary.

Electrician, Ed. Murrill.

On motion the appointments were confirmed as read. Dump referred to Hanssen, Paulsen and Hiscox.

Wakefield Girls Happy

Last week a party of the little folks from Wakefield were Wayne visitors, and A. J. Ferguson entertained the little folks at dinner, and this week he received a very neat letter from one of them, as follows:

Dear Sir:—I must write you a letter that all the Junior girls want to thank you for the good dinner you gave us last Thursday. We just had a grand picnic that day if we did have to miss school. These are the names of all the girls that ate dinner with you: Alice Henry, Pearl Mathieson, Viola Hypse, Clara Johnson, Ruth Nuernberger, Vera Nuernberger, Bernice Blaker, Angeline Lansing, Evangeline Fleetwood, Vivian Fleetwood, Mary Mathewson, Eleanor Mathewson, Dorothy Green, Verna Donelson, Alice Ebersole, Alta Fisher, Martha Paul, Alice Hanson, Ruth Patten, Esther Nuernberger, Ella Nuernberger, Margaret Murphy, Vollie Wiggins, Mildred Wilhem, and Edna Nyberg.

I thank you again for the fine dinner.

Yours truly,
Ella Nuernberger.

Needed at Wayne

Last week the Democrat told of some things that different people had thought would be advantageous to Wayne and profitable to those back of the enterprises. Commenting upon the thought another need was mentioned by a loyal citizen—it was a system of gathering garbage. This lady, for this was a woman's idea and all the better for that, thought that if someone would establish a garbage route, gathering food refuse that is hard to dispose of in many instances, the feed value for hogs and chickens of what they could get would be more than pay for the cost. She has to bury or burn much that would be of value to one who had swine to keep. A system of garbage gathering would add to the cleanliness and health of the community.

Lace Curtains Cleaned

At Wayne Cleaning Works—we are making a 10-day special on curtains—wash and stretch them at 50¢ per pair. Let us do them NOW. Phone 41.—adv.

Mildner-Rogers

The many young friends of Paul Mildner were surprised when he arrived at Wayne last week, accompanied by his wife, but his reception was never the less hearty and joyful. Paul is son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mildner, a young man who grew to manhood here and recently went to Charter Oak, Iowa, to accept a position, where he has made good—and doubly good. After remaining a few days here with home folks, they left Monday to visit at Sioux City before returning home. The following is the story of the wedding from the Charter Oak paper:

"The marriage of Paul E. H. Mildner and Miss May Rogers was spoken by Rev. A. Amstein at the parsonage Tuesday evening, and the young people of the town made a really lively affair of it. The ceremony was scheduled for Wednesday, and the cards read Wednesday, but late Tuesday Paul found there were doings being planned, so he and his bride thought to outwit their friends by being married Tuesday evening and slip out of town on the quiet. Somebody got wise, though, and a number of cars were ready to escort them wherever they might go. The young couple went quietly to the parsonage, not even accompanied by their people, as that might excite suspicion, and while the knot was being tied in the parsonage the plot outside was thickening. As they left town for Dennison to take their train, a good string of cars followed them as far as the turn to the ridge road. Then it was easily seen where they were going, so the drivers came home and took in their lady friends with such old shoes and sacks of rice as they had accumulated and drove also to Dennison, where they found the happy young couple in ample time to congratulate them duly before their train bore them away to Omaha. It was about the liveliest marriage we have ever seen in Charter Oak.

"The autos, although driven at top speed sometimes, behaved nicely, and the fun was without accident, which removed any mar that might have come to their pleasures.

"Mr. and Mrs. Mildner went first to Omaha, where they will remain a few days, then to Sioux City and out to Wayne, Neb., where Mr. Mildner's people live. On their return they will not be permitted to build their own home at once, as they have rented the new Reed house that is being erected, and this will not be completed until sometime in June.

"The Times joins with the many other friends in extending congratulations and best wishes."—Charter Oak Times.

Address by Dean Hahn

The address in the vocation course as to the "Opportunities and Requirements of the Profession of Teaching" was appropriately given by Dean Hahn. He divided his theme into two parts: Demands that relate to selection and demands that relate to preparation.

The points that determine the choice of this task as wise are: A student spirit; helpfulness, that is a modest, unobtrusive desire to be of use to the entire community; faith in education and in children; health; optimism; and good habits. The demands as to preparation are: Interest in child study; mastery of the material that is to be used in teaching; understanding of the technique of teaching. Naturally Mr. Hahn dwelt somewhat upon the need to understand the child which has been a weak point in the profession and which is now occupying so large a part of the time of the normal school instruction. It was an interesting address and received careful attention.

Warnka-Schrader

Wednesday, May 5, 1915, at the parsonage of the English Lutheran church, Rev. Blessing, the pastor, officiating, Mr. Charles Warnka of Carroll, Iowa, and Miss Pauline Schrader of Carroll, Nebraska, were united in marriage. The groom is a farmer from Iowa, where they will make their home, going today to their new home.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schrader, living near Carroll. They were accompanied by Miss Kelley and Mr. Smith of Carroll. The Democrat wishes them well.

SEIVERS—Wednesday, May 5, 1915, to Peter Seivers and wife, a son.

Holsum bread—always makes good. Fresh every day at Rundell's.—adv.

School Notes

Friday morning the seniors in response to unique invitations issued by Miss Mabel Dayton enjoyed a morning lark. Leaving the Dayton home at 6 a.m., they walked into the country, partook of a delicious breakfast provided by the hostess, and returned to town in time for school. It was one of the very pleasant occasions of the graduating festivities.

The annual banquet provided by the juniors for the seniors will be given tomorrow evening in the high school parlors. Mrs. S. D. McVicker will have charge of the banquet. An interesting program of toasts has been arranged.

The class play, "The Dream That Came True" will be presented at the opera house, Friday evening, May 14.

New pupils this week were Kermit Dahlstrom, first grade; Evelyn Dahlstrom, fourth grade, and Wesley Luckey, fifth grade.

Recent visitors were Mrs. H. J. Felber and Mrs. C. W. Hiscox.

The kindergarten is studying farm animals and making farm posters.

Esther Mae Ingham had a party with the kindergarten Monday in honor of her birthday anniversary.

The first grade has begun the Ward First Reader. This is the tenth book for this class.

The third grade is interested in bird study. They are locating as many different kinds of birds as they can, drawing bird houses and painting landscapes in which bird houses are shown.

The pupils of the fourth grade are making booklets. Their cover designs are completed.

Martha Harker is absent, having fallen from a teeter-totter and broken her arm.

In their English work the class is dramatizing Rip Van Winkle and writing poems on Household Fairies.

Miss Beechel's third grade at the training school visited the fifth grade Monday and made a study of "The Young Sculptor" by Michael Angelo, a beautiful piece of statuary in the fifth grade room.

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Social Notes

The Minerva club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Grothe. The program was opened with a piano duet by Mesdames Keckley and Beaman, which was heartily encored. Mrs. James Britton led the recitation, after which Mrs. Lutgen favored the club with a vocal selection. Mrs. Britton read a poem. George Wilcox whistled several solos. The club committee then served a delicious two course luncheon.

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Some Silo and Silage Questions Answered

In former issues, when speaking on the subject of silage, we have called the attention of our readers to the advisability of trying at least a small patch of sorghum or some of the kafirs as silage. This is particularly true in the districts in which the rainfall cannot always be depended upon and where the corn crop is not sure.

Many Kansas and southern Nebraska farmers have tried sorghum and kafir in the silo and are strong in their praise of these crops as successful silage crops. Experiments at the Kansas station have shown their value as compared with corn, and many of these experiments show that, acre for acre, they are better money-makers than corn when used in the silo. It is at least worth a trial.

Every farmer and stockman should be on the lookout all the time for any crop that may be a better money-maker than the one he has been raising. We have talked to farmers in central Nebraska who have tried these crops for silage with good results.

Thousands of new silos will be constructed this year in our territory. Along with the construction of the silo comes the question of what will be used to fill it. Generally speaking, the answer will be corn, and nothing can be better; at the same time if we can use some other crop that may make us more net money, why not use it? We cannot find this out better in any other way than by giving it a trial.

Questions About Silos

The feeding of silage and the use of a silo is new to a great many of our readers. We are in receipt of numerous letters asking questions about silos and silage, showing a growing interest in this farm building.

The last winter has been one in which the silo could be used to very good advantage. The heavy snows late in the winter found many feeders short of rough feed. The roads have been all but impassable, and in many instances stock have not had the feed they should have for best results. The man with a well-filled silo can always rest assured of a steady growth on his animals. He doesn't have to go out in the fields and haul in his feed, nor do his cattle and horses have to go out in the storm to get it.

Can there be any question but that cattle will do better if they can have good silage to eat during the winter, particularly the stormy days, than if they are compelled to get this same feed out in the open fields in the form of dry stalks? We believe this applies especially to dairy cows, yet there are many of our dairymen or farmers who

What Kind of Silage?
What Will It Cost?
Will It Pay?
And Other Questions Asked by our Readers

—Twentieth Century Farmer

ter. Too often he supplies this "something" at too great a cost. The change should be supplied, if possible, with something we grow on our own farms.

We find on inquiry that most farmers who build one silo soon find that they don't have silage room enough for the amount of silage they would like to feed, and after a year or so build another. We find some men using from two silos at the same time. Here would be good chance to have a change of feed by using sorghum or kafir in one silo and corn in the other.

Best Kind of Silo

We are often asked what is the best kind of a silo. In answer we say there is no best kind. It's just like a cultivator or a plow, the best kind for one man might not be the best kind for someone else. Practically all silos, properly constructed and properly filled, will make good silage and give good satisfaction to the owner. If you contemplate building a silo this season, inform yourself as best you can as to the kind you want, and then put it up. If you do, next season you will wonder how you ever got along without one.

We have one suggestion to make to the man who figures on buying a silo. Find out what kind you want and then go to the man who sells that kind for information as to its cost. We have found that men having a certain make of silo wanted another, but they thought the cost was too great, when in fact the kind they wanted could have been bought for less than the one they did buy. Just a case of getting the information regarding cost from the wrong man.

We are not interested in any way in any make of silo, but we are interested in the general silo and silage question, for we feel that by the use of the silo farmers and stockmen are going to build themselves up financially, and when they do the benefit goes indirectly to all of us. It is one of the questions worth consideration by every farmer and stock raiser.

Skim Milk Calves

Skim milk is practically as good for calves as whole milk, says E. V. Ellington, dairyman at the University. Skim milk is poorer in fat but richer in other constituents. The calves should be taken from the cow within forty-eight hours. It is easier to wean them if this is done. It is a good policy to supplement the skim milk with a little grain. Keep the calf pails clean. This will avoid a great deal of digestive trouble.

Librarians Report

Number of books loaned, during April: Adults 520, children 435, total 955; general average 45.2. New readers 2, magazines 97, German books 1.

Mrs. Eva Davies, Librarian.

"Hoosier"

(By N. D. Prentiss)
The term "Hoosier" was first applied to a conscripted soldier from Indiana named "Jimmy". This was about 51 years ago, or near the close of the Civil War.

At the beginning volunteers were depended upon for both North and South and they came in great numbers but it was found later on that the ranks could not be kept full that way; hence the conscription act, or draft, as it was commonly called. By its provisions, certain and diverse persons were chosen by lot and compelled to go to the war. In the North it fell on "able-bodied men." But in the south it was any man able to shoulder a gun. A recruiting officer with a detachment of men called the "press gang" would come into a community and quickly obtain the names of every able-bodied man in that township. After the names had been well shaken in a hat, the drawing began. The first 9 went free, but the 10th was a drafted man or conscript. Most of these men went willingly and became good soldiers, but as a class they were not much liked by the volunteer veterans, who had already born the blunt of many battles. They are patriots true but between I and you, they are all turning out since the d-r-a-f-t. There was but little opposition to the "draft".

One notable exception, however, occurred at Millersburg, Holmes Co., Ohio. Rebel sympathizers, or "copperheads" were numerous down there, and a sort of military company was formed and a fort erected to resist the draft. This "fort" was soon captured by the press gang" by a most ludicrous ruse, which set the whole countryside laughing. This cleared the atmosphere and put an end to further opposition. In fact, the people of Millersburg are still laughing at how the fort was captured. But what has become of "Jimmy" meanwhile? We find he and a lot of Indiana conscripts had been taken to Alabama, to fight for the Union and it was there that the word "Hoosier" was coined. Now, Jimmy before his enlistment was quite a slouch and ragamuffin, but immediately he had donned his new uniform and had begun to drill, he became quite a dandy.

It was no stunt for Jimmie to go from the sublime to the ridiculous, or vice-versa at one jump. He was just the kind of a chap that the soldiers liked to make the butt of a good-natured joke. As a civilian, Jimmy had traveled but little and his education was somewhat limited. He had, however, attended a lecture and had learned about the famous Hoozard regiment of France, at that time the best trained soldiers in the world. Jimmy thought now that he was a soldier he might as well be a good one. "I'm a Hoozard from Indiana," said Jimmy, only he pronounced it "Hoosier." The name stuck to him like Spaulding's glue, and he was ever after, "Jimmy, the Hoosier." The term "Hoosier" was soon applied to all the Indiana soldiers and the state of Indiana awoke one bright morning to find herself the famous "Hoosier State."

O, Jimmy has gone to live in a tent, Way down in "Alabama;" I thought they would spare the lonely Hoozard, But they drafted him into the army. These are the pants that he used to wear,

The very same patch and a thatch and a tear;

But Uncle Sam gave him a brand-new pair,

When he drafted him into the army.

The New Auto Bill

The Dalbey automobile bill passed by the Nebraska legislature is a most comprehensive bill and covers a proposition which has been adopted by several states of the union.

The bill provides that every person, firm or corporation owning an automobile shall file in the office of the county treasurer of the county in which he shall reside description of the machine with a fee of \$2 for each motorcycle; \$3 for each automobile; \$5 for each machine used for commercial purposes and the same amount for each class of machines manufactured or handled by him.

The official registration year shall extend from January 1 to December 31, inclusive, of each year, with a provision that payments made after July 1 shall be one-half of the regular amount. No charge of ownership shall be registered until the fee is paid for registration of such vehicle.

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WAYNE MARKET REPORT

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

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| Oats | 48c |
| Corn new | 66c |
| Barley | 50c |
| Spring wheat | 1.40 |
| Wheat | 1.39 |
| Eggs | 15c |
| Butter | 25c |
| Hogs | .65 |
| Fat Cattle | \$6.50 (@ \$7.50) |

Omaha and Lincoln Elections

Omaha, May 5.—Unofficial returns from all precincts show that the personnel of the new city council will be Hummel, Kugel, Withnell, Drexel, Mayor Dahlman, Butler and Jardine, the relative strength of their votes being in the order given. The election proved to be a victory for the administration ticket which landed five of their seven men, with Drexel and Jardine of "the big six" breaking in.

Drexel showed surprising strength by gaining fourth place leading the mayor whose vote gives him fifth place. Propositions for \$1,000,000 school bonds; \$150,000 auditorium bonds and for Sunday baseball carried by heavy majorities.

Lincoln, Neb., May 5.—Charles W. Bryan will be the next mayor of Lincoln, having been selected as one of the five members of the city commission yesterday with a lead of 700 votes over Frank C. Zehring, the present mayor.

The Business Men's association elected the three old members of the commission, George Dayton, William Schroeder and T. J. Hensley, while the opposition was successful in landing Bryan and John Wright. The latter will probably have charge of the police department.

Annual Missionary Convention

The annual convention of the Norfolk District Home Missionary society will be held at the Methodist church at this place, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, the first session being called for Saturday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, when the following will be the order of service:

Keynote Service—Mrs. E. E. Hosman, Norfolk.

Minutes of Previous Session—Recording Secretary, Miss Lough, Story of the Year's Work—told by Auxiliary Delegates, Queen Esther Circle Delegates and District Officers.

Our Deaconesses and Missionaries in Nebraska—Mrs. S. W. Mosher, Randolph.

Appointment of Committees.

A Missionary Clinic—Miss Winifred Willard, Denver, National Field Secretary.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. Johnson, Wayne.

Saturday, Evening, 8 o'clock

Evening Devotions—Mrs. L. G. Larson, Randolph.

Welcome to Wayne—Mrs. Ada Renick, President Wayne Auxiliary.

Response—Mrs. Christiansen, Plainview.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. Johnson.

Paper—Mrs. R. J. McKenzie, Carroll—"Open Windows".

Reading—Miss Virginia Bowen, Wayne.

Awarding of District Pennant.

Sunday Morning, 11 o'clock

Devotional—Rev. A. S. Buell.

Special Music—Wayne Choir.

Address—Miss Willard.

Offering.

Announcements.

Benediction.

Sunday Afternoon, 3 o'clock

Children's and Young People's Hour—in charge of Miss Marguerite Lough, Norfolk.

Latest News from Mothers' Jewels Home—Mrs. J. F. Erskine, Linden.

Sunday Evening, 8 o'clock

Song and Praise Service—Led by Mrs. Buell.

Special Music—Choir.

Address—Miss Willard.

Hymn—"America".

Benediction.

Monday Morning, 8 o'clock

Morning Devotions—Mrs. J. L. Phillips, Pilger.

Election of Officers.

Miscellaneous Business.

Closing Prayer.

Adjournment.

Cyphers Chick-food, the food that's all food, the chicks eat it all.—Rundell sells it.

Farm and Garden

PREVENTING POTATO SCAB.

Method of Treating Large Quantities With a Minimum of Labor.

The value of treating potatoes for scab is well known, but most methods are tedious and impracticable when large quantities of seed are to be treated, writes T. M. McCall in the Country Gentleman. Growers cannot afford to take the time to dip potatoes in sacks for forty or more acres or even to handle the dipping solution more than once, so they seldom treat more than is needed for the seed plot.

The writer, to do away with the tediousness of treating in sacks or barrels, has devised a simple method by which one man can treat and cut enough potatoes in a day to keep a one row planter busy. An old 150 gal-



POTATOES GROWN FROM SCAB FREE SEED.

ion tank is equipped with a shoveling board across one end. Ten bushels of seed are poured in and immersed in seventy-five gallons of formalin—one pound of formaldehyde to thirty gallons of water. After two hours these are shoveled out on a draining hopper and another ten bushels are immersed. The draining board is set at an angle so as to slope down to the potato cutter. With the seed supply handy and the tank and cutter conveniently arranged, one man can cut ten bushels in two hours and can thus treat and cut enough stock to keep one planter busy.

Many growers prefer to cut the seed in the field at the time of planting. In such a case the tank may be hauled directly to the field and filled with the solution, one charge being enough to last a day. Care must always be exercised to prevent reinfestation of seed after it is treated.

Cost of treating does not exceed 75 cents for fifty bushels of seed—less than 20 cents an acre. The cost may be less if all the treating materials are convenient.

Burning Dead Hogs.

There is a trick to the job of burning the carcasses of dead hogs, and where they have died of cholera the trick should be learned. Dig two trenches crossing each other. Make them several inches deep. Pile the fuel at the crossing of the trenches. Lay a large iron wheel or strips of metal to hold up the carcass. Open the carcass completely, spread it open and lay it belly down on the support over the fuel.

Sprinkle kerosene liberally inside the hog before putting it in place. Light the fuel. The carcass will burn fiercely, especially if the hog is fat. The trenches and the metal supports are for draft, and the dimensions of these things depend on the size of the carcass. This system is recommended by the Nebraska station.—Farm and Fireside.

Don't Overfeed the Birds.

Intensive poultry keeping involves of necessity heavy feeding, but one should constantly be on the lookout to guard against overfeeding, which puts the bird into a state of lowered vitality in which its natural powers of resistance to all forms of infectious and other diseases are reduced. The feeding of high protein concentrates, like linseed or cottonseed meal, needs to be particularly carefully watched in this respect.

EGGS FOR HATCHING.

Can you look at an egg and tell if it will hatch? Probably not, but you can greatly increase the hatching power of the egg by following these suggestions, which are offered by W. A. Lippincott, professor of poultry husbandry in the Kansas State Agricultural college:

Select eggs which do not weigh less than two ounces, rejecting all exceedingly large and abnormally shaped eggs. The unusual shaped eggs will probably hatch, but pullets raised from such eggs will probably lay abnormal eggs.

Never wash eggs before setting them. Keep the eggs in a dry place at a temperature between 55 and 65 degrees, turning them at least once every other day. An egg in which the germ has become fastened to the shell will seldom hatch. The germ spot is always in the uppermost part of the egg, and if the egg is not turned the germ will stick to the shell if evaporation takes place.

The eggs should be gathered at least twice a day unless they are to be put into the incubator immediately.

FARM WISDOM.

There is no reason why the farm home should not be just as attractive as the city home. In arranging farmhouse plans those that are adapted to the city can easily be changed to suit farm needs. Make your wife's workshop as attractive and convenient as any to be found anywhere.

The inside of a modern dairy barn looks very different today from the inside of a dairy barn twenty years ago. We are beginning to realize that sunshine is a necessary part of dairy sanitation. In fact, it is the principal factor.

The time is rapidly approaching when dairy products, the same as all other commodities used for food, will be paid for according to quality.

The septic tank deserves a place on every farm. It is one means of bringing city conditions to the farm home.

RUNNING AN INCUBATOR.

Cooling and Turning the Eggs Should Be Regularly Performed.

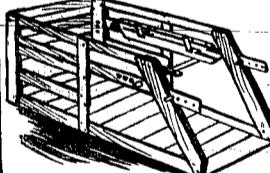
Cooling and turning the eggs in the incubator is a part of the work that must be attended to promptly, regularly, writes W. C. Thompson in the Country Gentleman. The mother hen turns her eggs in the nest each day and leaves them to cool at about the same time each day if she has her way about it. After the third day of the hatch the eggs should be turned regularly each morning and evening. This may be done by removing a few and gently rolling the others about in the tray. The idea is to change the position of the developing germ within the shell and keep it free from the shell. Changing the position of the eggs on the tray is also of advantage, as there may be a slight variation of temperature in different parts of the egg chamber.

The eggs should be cooled once a day. Start on the third day, when the eggs are first turned. It is necessary to cool them only the length of time that it takes to turn them. From the third day to the nineteenth day they should be cooled regularly. As the chicks develop they may be cooled longer each day until during the latter part of the hatch they may be cooled for almost an hour without any injury and with great benefit.

On the nineteenth day the chamber should be closed, to remain closed until the chicks are hatched. On the fifteenth, seventeenth and nineteenth days the eggs should be sprayed with warm water to furnish sufficient moisture to aid the chicks in picking their way through the shell. If a sand tray is in the machine this spraying is unnecessary. The flame should be turned down slightly during these last two days, as an increased temperature results from the animal heat in the chicks' bodies. The chamber should be darkened if there is a glass front in the machine. This will tend to prevent the chicks from forcing their way toward the front of the machine. They are supposed to sleep for twelve hours after coming from the shell. If the chamber is light they will not do this.

Hog Breeding Crate.

The method of construction of the crate for breeding swine is shown plainly in the accompanying illustration, says National Stockman. The inner arrangement is the part hard to understand. The long pieces with the holes in them (see cut) can be raised up or let down as required by the



CRATE FOR BREEDING SWINE.

height of sow, using the gas pipe for the back end and an iron rod for the front. If the height cannot be properly estimated before the sow is driven in it can be quickly changed afterward. The shelves on each side of the sow for the fore feet of the boar can rest at the ends of gas pipe and rod.

In most cases the shelf on one side

can be made stationary or the other made in two parts so it can be widened or made narrow. These can rest on the rods at the ends and can be put in place in a moment after the sow is put in the box.

Care of the Brood Sow.

The quality of your spring crop of pigs will be determined by the kind of care you are now giving your brood sows. Don't keep them on dry feed. They need mighty little corn, but lots of roughage. Alfalfa or even clover hay will be relished. Mangels or other roots could not have a better use. With this kind of feed the sows will have plenty of milk and they will not eat their pigs.

Build Up the Farm.

If you are living on a poor farm—that is, if the land is poor—the changes are it is your own fault. There is some soil, but not very much, that can't be improved. By keeping the right kind of stock and by building up the soil through rotating the crops you are pretty sure to improve conditions on the home acres.

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Some Late News Notes

Nebraska and Wyoming are to remain in the Kansas City reserve bank district, according to a decision made by the board at its session Tuesday, when the case was presented, asking for a transfer to the Chicago district. The Democrat did not want in a Chicago district, but wanted an Omaha district.

A new state bank has opened at Valentine. The capital is \$25,000. E. C. Davenport is president.

Japan continues to demand from China concessions which that country declines to allow, and China is preparing to resist by force of arms if necessary. Many of the Japanese are said to be leaving China.

The members of the lower house of the California legislature request that the export of all food supplies to warring nations be prevented and that President Wilson use his good offices to bring about peace.

It is reported that Huerta has returned to Mexico to head a revolt against all other revolts, it is supposed. If he does and comes out in the open to do it, he will have more respect of the people than before when he was suspicious of profiting by the act of an assassin working with his consent.

Doe Cook is going to try to climb to the top of the highest mountain in the world, Mount Everest. Doe should be careful not to fall off when he gets up there, for it would be worse than a fall from the north pole.

Walter Briggs returned Friday from a trip to the "jumping-off place" to the west. He was gone about a month and visited many places of interest, including the expositions at San Diego and San Francisco. Among other places he stopped at Los Angeles, Salt Lake City and Denver. The expositions he says are great shows, and quite different in character, the one at San Diego being more of an industrial or manufacturing nature and the one at Frisco a display of finished products. He reports that the trip is not necessarily an expensive one, and that \$150 to \$200 will permit a person to see the shows in a very respectable manner and take in some side trips. Of the business situation he says that it is quiet, and that it is no place for one to go looking for work, as the labor market is overstocked at present.

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Among the Churches of Wayne

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
(Rev. Blessing, Pastor.)

Sunday School at 10 a. m. We have sent for some new Sunday school supplies which will be here this week. The beginners class will be provided with little chairs. We wish to place much stress on the Sunday school work, for without a good Sunday School, the future of the church is not very good. Keep in mind the words of President Wilson, "The Sunday school lesson of today is the code of morals of tomorrow. Too much attention cannot be paid to the work which the Sunday school is doing."

Morning services at 11 o'clock. Next Sunday is "Mother's Day" and it will be observed at the morning service. The subject of the sermon will be "A Mother's Influence"—Matt. 20:20. It is impossible to estimate the influence of a mother upon her child, but we know that it is very great. John Q. Adams once said, "All that I am my mother made me." Abraham Lincoln only enjoyed the influence of his mother eight short years, but those years meant much to him. He never forgot the words which she spoke to him on the last day of her life and in after life Lincoln said, "All that I am or hope to be, I owe to my mother." I do not think anyone has uttered words truer than W. R. Wallace:

"They say that man is mighty, He governs land and sea, He wields a mighty scepter Over lesser powers that be; But a mightier power and stronger Man from his throne has hurled, For the hand that rocks the cradle Is the hand that rules the world."

Evening service at 8 o'clock. The subject of the sermon will be "The Enlargement of Life"—2 Cor. 6:13.

Luther League at 7 o'clock. The subject will be "Not Owners but Administrators". The leaders in the contest which the League is having, will make a report at the Sunday evening meeting. Come; you are invited.

The Ladies Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. Victor Carlson on next Thursday afternoon.

If any one has flowers they would like to bring to church next Sunday we have several empty vases.

A cordial invitation is extended to all who wish to worship with us.

Methodist Church
(Rev. A. S. Buell, Pastor)

Notwithstanding the showers Sunday our church home coming was a decided success. Dr. I. B. Schreckengast gave a splendid message bearing on the importance of education and religion. He said in part that "Education and religion are the two truly great things in the universe. You do not make a man great by putting clothes on his back or by putting money in his purse. The real wealth of life is a trained mind and a pure heart. Ability and goodness are the things that matter most—two great movements in history were the reformation and the renaissance—the revival of religion and the revival of learning. Not learning alone is of importance for to make a man wise without making him good is a crime. If you make a man thoroughly good and then train his mind for leadership he becomes a benefactor to the human race." Everyone who heard the message were well repaid. Dr. Schreckengast is one of the great men of the Methodist church of this state.

Miss Willard of Denver, Colorado, one of the National workers in the



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Woman's Home Missionary society will speak next Sunday morning and evening in the interest of the home missionary field. One who has heard Miss Willard says she is the best lady speaker they have ever heard. You will want to hear her next Sunday. We are glad to note the growing interest in all departments of the church life.

See program in another place in this paper of the Woman's Home Missionary convention to be held in our church Saturday, Sunday and Monday this week.

Baptist Church

(Rev. B. P. Richardson, Pastor)

"Mother's Day" will be appropriately observed at our church next Sunday morning. All parts of the service will center around the thought of the day. The hymns will all be the old hymns mother loved. Special music for the occasion will be given. We hope every mother of the church will be able to attend this service, and the mothers of our Sunday school boys and girls.

"Motherhood as Presented in the Bible", will be the subject of the pastor's sermon.

On Wednesday evening of last week two adults were received into the church and on last Sunday morning the hand of fellowship was given to five members.

Next Sunday evening at the close of the preaching service there will be a baptismal service.

Miss Henderson will lead the young people's meeting Sunday evening.

Wednesday evening is one of the regular appointments of the church for worship and prayer. All church people should feel the call of the prayer meeting on this evening.

Tomorrow (Friday) afternoon the prayer circle will meet with Mrs. Nichols.

Two new departments were added to our Sunday school work, a cradle roll and a home department. These are necessary departments of a well organized Sunday school. Miss Elsie Gilbert will be the superintendent of the home department and Mrs. Ethel Norton will have charge of the cradle roll.

Presbyterian Church

(Rev. S. Xenophon Cross, Pastor)

Boost for the Brotherhood Class. Every man in the church should be in this class. Many men outside of the church should be in the class. If you are not enrolled in another school, come to this one. Mr. A. R. Davis is the teacher of the class.

You are cordially invited to the preaching services of the church. The morning sermon next Sunday will be on the subject: "A Woman's Choice". This will be a Mother's Day discourse. The evening theme will be: "In Praise of Love". Wear a carnation in honor of mother.

German Lutheran Church

Rev. Moehring, Pastor

There will be only the regular services at this church next Sunday. The Sunday school at 10 o'clock and preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m.

Thursday the 13th is Ascension day, and it will be observed by services by the pastor at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. At 11 o'clock of that day, the pastor will hold a service at Winside. All are welcome at any of these services.

Prof. Wiley Addresses Students

Another of the series of addresses on industrial and vocational education was given Friday morning by Prof. J. M. Wiley on the subject of "Business and Its Opportunities". Prof. Wiley is the humorist of the faculty. With his pup story as the warp and his quaint philosophy as the woof, he wove such a happy pattern of business fabric that he delighted his audience and kept it busy thinking and laughing throughout his address. Commenting on his lecture, one of the seniors was heard to say, "It was good; and what's more, most of what Prof. Wiley said is true." Well, here are some of his sober thoughts with the humor squeezed out of them:

The first requirement for a business career is honesty. A successful business man cannot have a double standard. No business transaction can ever have a successful ending when it has in it an element of unfairness. Another trait is that of cooperation. A business man must ever be ready and willing to pull with others and not push against them. A third element of success is hard work. Perhaps anyone can succeed fairly well at any business he is willing to undertake if he is willing to work hard enough. The last-named trait essential to success in business is a business education.

Under the last heading Prof. Wiley exploded the notion prevalent among young people that a course in bookkeeping is the essential thing in a business education. Bookkeeping was designated merely as a business tool, and a

minor one at that. What is more essential is a general education. A great many things in an ordinary school course are necessary though they are not consciously put in the category of a business education. Business is not foreign to your education; it is a part of it. Business is so broad in its reaches that each part of your life—especially your school life—imperfectly done cuts off just that much of your opportunity in a business career. Modern business is an enormously large and delicately constructed machine that demands adequate adjustments of each one, if he wishes to succeed. Mixing the business of getting an education with recreation, or even as unimportant a matter as "skipping chapel", means "the slipping of a cog" later in life.

Besides a general education the business man needs to specialize. This was forcefully illustrated by referring to three classes of farmers known to the middle west. The homesteader has exhausted his opportunity for making money on the farm when land reached the price of \$50. He then sold his so-called high-priced land to another type of a farmer who thought he was getting cheap land. The second farmer found many opportunities on this land, but when the price jumped to \$150 he had reached his limitations. A third type of a farmer is coming along who is only too glad to get the land at that price because it will make him rich. The difference between these types of farmers is merely one of special preparation to make the adjustment conditions demand.

Northeast Nebraska Shippers Association

That is the name of an organization formed at a meeting of shippers of live stock and other commodities held at the city hall Saturday afternoon. A temporary organization was effected by electing, F. E. Strahan, president and Charles Closson secretary. A committee of three consisting of E. Cunningham, John Shannon and Charles Closson was appointed to draft constitution and by-laws and present same to association at its meeting Saturday afternoon, June 8. The meeting on last Saturday was well attended and there seemed to be no doubt in the minds of those present of the necessity of an association of this kind in order to properly take care of shippers in their dealings with railroads, stockyards commission houses and in various other ways where the force of an association could be made much more effective and less expensive than the efforts of individuals. It is a time of organized effort in most all fields of endeavor and the growers and shippers of commodities of the farm, whether it be live stock or anything else are beginning to realize that in order to properly protect their interests they must unite in co-operation. The next meeting is to be held Saturday afternoon, June 8th at the city hall at 2 p. m., and it is earnestly hoped if you are at all interested in the affairs of vital interest to you as a farmer or shipper that you will attend this meeting at which time a permanent organization will be effected. It is not the object of this association to become a trouble maker but to do whatever it can to prevent trouble. It is fully realized by every man who is a shipper that only by the force of organization can the rights and interests of individual members be properly conserved and protected. It is expected to make this organization large enough and strong enough to command the attention and respect of those with whom it has to deal and you owe it to yourself to be at its next meeting and there ascertain its aims and object. The association expects to cover that part of the state comprising the Third congressional district and has many assurances of support from all over the district. As soon as the organization is perfected the solicitation for membership will be actively begun and aggressively pushed. Be at the city hall Saturday afternoon, June 8.

Let it be your special business for the afternoon to get together with your fellowmen and put yourselves in a position to not only have your rights respected but to be able to enforce them against injustices whether great or small.

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LONDON LETTER SPIES.

How Criminals Are Tracked by the Postal Secret Service.

The postoffice secret service, known officially as the postal secret inquiry branch of the London general postoffice, has the right to open any letter or package which passes through the post. The members of the department are such masters in the craft of arriving at the contents of an envelope that the person to whom the envelope is addressed never suspects that it has been tampered with.

The secret service is divided into two branches, the higher and the lower, and it is under the charge of certain permanent officials, who are indirectly controlled by the home secretary and the prime minister for the time being. The lower branch has to do with the prosecution of dishonest men in the employ of the G. P. O., while the higher is now and again called upon to assist Scotland Yard.

If Scotland Yard officials are watching or endeavoring to track a criminal and they discover he has friends in certain quarters the postal service inquiry branch might be informed of the fact and asked to keep a sharp lookout for letters addressed to the criminal's friends. If this is done and such communications are found they are opened, the contents read and copies or extracts made for the yard.

The letter "spies" of the post-office have perfected the fine art of opening letters without leaving any traces of the operation. There are many ways of opening an envelope. Most envelopes will bear the steaming process without leaving after effects. If, however, it is deemed unsafe to moisten an envelope, it is cut open. An exceedingly sharp knife is passed along the edge of the flap. When the contents are replaced the edges of the envelope are stuck together with a thin line of powerful gum and submitted to pressure for a few minutes. Sometimes in reclosing the flap of a cut open envelope a narrow strip of gummed paper is fastened on to the inner side of the flap. This is done when the paper has been slightly damaged in the opening process.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Witchcraft.

Perhaps the most interesting of English trials for witchcraft was that of the Suffolk witches in 1665, for Sir Matthew Hale was the judge and Sir Thomas Browne appeared as an expert medical witness. The two prisoners were accused of bewitching young children, a great point for the prosecution being that out of the blanket of an infant suckled by one of them a great toad had fallen and exploded in the fire like gunpowder. Immediately after the witch was found at home scorched and maimed. In spite of unsatisfactory evidence, the two were convicted, whereupon the children's health at once began to improve.—London Times.

Siamese Beliefs.

One of the strangest beliefs of the Siamese is that they must under no circumstances take life, and the Buddhist priest goes so far as to strain insects out of his water not because he thinks them nasty, but because it would be wrong to kill them. Another is not to bathe after dark lest he should crush insects while drying himself. Yet he does not mind eating meat which others have killed, and he has no objection to taking fish out of the sea and leaving them to die. — London Standard.

Queer Request.

Queer requests are often received for prescriptions, which might puzzle either doctor or chemist. Here is one recently reported by a druggist. It is a note from an excitable mother, whose nerves were apparently as much in need of treatment as the digestion of her infant:

"My little baby has et up its father's parish plaster. Please to send an anecdote by the inclosed little girl."—Youth's Companion.

Two Texts.

A church in Scotland being vacant, two candidates offered to preach, their names being Adam and Low. The last named preached in the morning, taking for his text, "Adam, where art thou?" The congregation was much pleased and edified.

Mr. Adam preached in the evening, taking for his text, "Lo (Low), here am I!" The impromptu and the sermon gained him the church.

Keeping Friends.

It is one thing to make friends, but quite another to keep them. Remember that friendship will not thrive on courtesy or neglect. Little courtesies and attentions to those with whom we are most intimate, help to smooth and sweeten life.—Home Chat.

Haberdashery Needs for a Comfortable Summer

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\$3,000.00 Fire on Furniture.
\$3,000.00 Fire on Jail.
\$2,000.00 Tornado on Jail.

Bids to be made to cover entire insurance.

Insurance to go to the lowest and best bidder, and the ratings of the Companies will be maturely considered.

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Bids to be opened at 3 o'clock p. m., of May 28th, 1915.

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A Chicken Hearted Man

He Was Saved From Ruin by His Sweetheart

By RUTH GRAHAM

ing a suit case very much like Ellen's. He stumbled over her—looked down upon it, and suggested that she permit him to put it in the rack. This was done, and the man took a seat beside her. During the trip he appeared to take a kindly interest in her and recommended place for her to stop in the city.

On reaching the terminal Ellen's newly found friend suddenly disappeared in the crowd, and without saying goodby Ellen took the suit case from the rack, left the train and inquired the way to the address he had given her. She found it a rather cheap boarding house and engaged a room. Before going to bed that night, attempting to open the suit case, she found that her key would not serve to unlock it. Then she examined the case and found that it was not hers. She remembered the man who had befriended her and supposed that by mistake he had picked up her suit case for his own. Doubtless she would bear from him very soon.

Having Tom's address at Elmendorf's store, she went there and inquired for him, without making known who she was. Elmendorf told her where she could find Tom.

"By the bye," he said before she left, "Nicholson owes me some money. I've tried a lot of men to collect the debt and they have all failed. I have never thought to try a woman. If you will go to him and tell him a pitiful story about sick mother and starving children I think you can get something out of him. I'll give you half of all you get."

Ellen assented to this proposition and set off to find Tom. He was not at home, and though she waited some time he did not return. Ellen went to her boarding house for dinner, intending to return in the afternoon. The man had not been there with her suit case, and it was suggested to her that he might have exchanged cases with her in order to appropriate her belongings in place of his own. Ellen broke open the suit case, and an astonishing sight greeted her.

The receptacle was full of packages of bank bills.

Though Ellen was an unsophisticated country girl, she realized that the man who had shown so kindly an interest in her could not have been what he pretended. After much thought she decided on the most sensible thing she could have done. She inquired where she would find a police station, then closing the suit case, took it there and handed it to a man in uniform sitting at a desk, telling him how it had come into her possession.

This is very well for the birds, who make their homes by finding a straw here, a feather there and, after the brood comes, bringing worms for food from the plentiful supply at hand, but with mankind it is a different proposition. For awhile the pair were happy in their newly found love, but it was not long before the necessity of providing for their future livelihoods descended upon them.

It was just as natural for Tom to put an arm around Ellen's waist, bend forward and kiss her as for the leaves to grow on the trees, for insects to buzz about them, for birds to build their nests, and it was equally natural for Ellen to accept that kiss as a matter of course. They liked it so well that they took several kisses. Then they went on after the cows.

This is very well for the birds, who make their homes by finding a straw here, a feather there and, after the brood comes, bringing worms for food from the plentiful supply at hand, but with mankind it is a different proposition. For awhile the pair were happy in their newly found love, but it was not long before the necessity of providing for their future livelihoods descended upon them.

Tom made friends so rapidly that for awhile he got on very well. It was when he had made his start that he began to lose ground. This was because when he had come to town he had nothing to give and all favors passed from others to him. As soon as he got something the tide turned the other way. After having been in the city several years he had made himself so useful to one Paul Elmendorf that the latter gave him a partnership in his business and went away for a long absence, during which he proposed to travel and see something of the world.

That was the end of Tom Nicholson's rise. His chicken heartedness had not changed bit. If a poor widow wanted credit a few tears would bring from Tom all she desired. If a drummer wished to sell him goods he had no use for he had only to tell of a suffering wife and children at home and the sale was made. And so it was that when the senior partner returned he found a large deficiency in his business, with a number of loans, gifts and other outlays charged up to the junior's individual account.

Elmendorf was very much disengaged. He at once dissolved the firm, and Tom was put out to shift for himself. His former partner kept an eye on him and whenever Tom's affairs seemed to look up a bit would make an effort to collect the money standing to his debt on the books of the concern. Elmendorf always sent a collector to dun his debtor. At first he tried very gentlemanly persons, who were instructed to try to persuade Tom to pay something on account; but since Tom had nothing to pay with, they got nothing. Then the creditor sent a bully. He came back with a broken nose. Several others who tried to force matters received the same treatment.

Meanwhile, Ellen Tucker was still driving the cows to pasture, and alone. Tom wrote her encouraging letters till his partner returned from his travels; then the letters suddenly stopped. Tom could not bear to write her that he had come to grief and their union was further, far, and ever. Ellen endured his silence and her suspense as long as she could, then resolved to go to the city and discover for herself what was the matter.

They now have an attractive farm and are prosperous. But Mrs. Nicholson sees to it that her husband is not basely by those who can wheedle him out of his money by pitiful tales. She boarded a train one day with a wicker suit case and, taking a seat, placed the case on the floor beside her. A man came through the train carrying

NEBRASKA NEWS

Historical Society Names Committee to Boost Celebration.

WEBSTER PRESENTS THE CASE

Date For Argument on Employment Agency Law Fixed—Commissioner King of Lincoln Sues Attorney Adams For \$50,000 Damages.

Lincoln, May 4.—Plans for celebrating the semi-centennial of the admission of Nebraska into the Union—as a state, March 1, 1917, took definite form at a meeting of the State Historical society.

General John L. Webster presented the matter formally as president of the society, and Bishop Tihen moved the selection of a committee to take charge of the celebration, specifying that Mr. Webster should be chairman.

WILL Ask For New Bids.

The state will call for new bids for printing the senate journal, the reports of the board of agriculture, board of horticulture, railway commission and state insurance board. This conclusion was reached by the printing board after a review of the bids and examination of the bonds.

According to Superintendent Ludi of the printing board, the bonds in some cases are not satisfactory and there are other reasons not made public why new bids will be asked for. The board is of the opinion that the bids in some instances were too high.

Commissioner Kennedy of the state board of control went to Nebraska City on an inspection of the school for the blind, as required by law. Commissioner Gerdes went to Beatrice for the same purpose, and also to look over the sinking of a well at the feeble minded institution in that city.

Has More Men Than Jobs.

Publication of statement that the state labor bureau could not find men enough to supply applicants who needed laborers has brought to the bureau a deluge of applications from men who want jobs, and there is every indication now that there is a scarcity of jobs rather than a lack of men to fill them. Commissioner Coffey has had such a call for places that he is in a position to supply applicants who need men and will be glad to do so.

KING SUES ADAMS FOR DAMAGES.

As a result of the public charges made against City Commissioner King by George A. Adams, a Lincoln attorney, at the Bryan meeting, J. S. Bishop, attorney for Mr. King, filed a suit for damages against Adams in the sum of \$50,000. Adams charged King with trading the appointment of chief of police to the Burlington railroad for certain contracts.

Perch to Crystal Lake.

The fish car in charge of Superintendent O'Brien and Game Warden Rutenbeck distributed fish at Belvidere, Bruning, Shickley, Wilbur, Beatrice, Wymore, Alma and other points, and at Benkelman took on a load of perch, which it placed in Crystal lake, near Dakota City.

DATE FOR ARGUMENT FIXED.

The argument in the district court over the application for an injunction by attorneys for certain employment agencies who desire to restrain the operation of the employment agency law will be heard Friday morning in the Lancaster county district court by Judge Cosgrave.

WHEAT ABOVE AVERAGE

Burlington's Crop Report Shows Conditions Ahead of Any Former Year.

Omaha, May 4.—The Burlington's Nebraska crop report for the week shows that the winter wheat of the state still continues in a better condition than at any corresponding period during former years. The condition at this time is estimated as follows: Omaha division, 102 per cent; Lincoln division, 102; Wymore division, 103; McCook division, 103.

Spring grain is up and is making rapid growth. It is estimated that about 20 per cent of the corn acreage had been planted, with practically all of the crop in the ground by the end of the present week.

The Burlington's report indicates that aside from a limited area along the Missouri river, there was an abundance of rain and that in no locality are crops in immediate need of moisture.

Norfolk Workman Killed by Current.

Norfolk, Neb., May 4.—While three of his companions were looking on, Roy C. Sprague, aged twenty-three years, was electrocuted on the rear platform of the factory of the Norfolk Ice Cream and Baking company. Sprague had turned on an open switch and started the ice crushing machine going. He was talking to his comrades, when he reached up to shut off the current. His hand touched the exposed brass part of the switch and he died instantly. The floor was wet, which aided in completing the circuit, 1,100 volts shooting through his body.

Insurance Man Waits Hearing.

Beatrice, Neb., May 4.—Adolph M. Fisher, an insurance agent for the Prairie Life Insurance company, charged with embezzling \$98.50 on an insurance policy issued to Robert Stratford of this city, was brought here from Omaha by Sheriff Acton and lodged in the county jail to await his hearing.

UNION AND GUARDS AT OUTS

Regimental Band Stirs Up Row by Playing at Ball Game.

Lincoln, May 4.—At last the Nebraska national guard has a war on its hands. Recently G. F. Thornburg, a prominent band director of Lincoln, organized a band of forty pieces, which was mustered into the national guard as the Fifth Regimental band.

At the opening of the baseball season in Lincoln it played its first engagement at the game. At the same game was another band, composed of union players, which was only composed of about a dozen pieces. Of course the military band showed up the heaviest on account of its large numbers.

The union band has prepared charges against eighteen members of the military band for playing in opposition to the union band in a band with nonunion members. Thornburg is a member of the union and is one of the men against whom the charges are preferred.

In the meantime General Hall is looking up the statutes to see if somebody has not got in bad by attempting to interfere with the discipline of an enlisted soldier of the national guard. General Hall says he will stand back of his musicians.

BABY KILLED, MOTHER HURT

In Garage When Man Cranks Auto In Gear, Running Over Them.

Louisville, Neb., May 3.—Mrs. E. F. Steinhaus was probably fatally injured and her one-year-old baby son was instantly killed in a peculiar manner in the Steinhaus garage here. William Lou, a farmer, had his automobile there and started to crank it. It was in gear and reversed. It shot backwards and struck Mrs. Steinhaus, who was standing in the doorway of the garage with her baby in a perambulator. The heavy machine knocked her down and ran over her and crushed the infant inside the carriage. It ran into some trees across the street and stopped.

The baby's neck was broken. The wheels of the car ran over the woman's chest. She is injured seriously, doctors say, and may die.

WRUCK WILL IS FILED

Daughter Is Sole Beneficiary of Tragedy Victim.

West Point, Neb., May 3.—The will of the late Herman Wruck has been discovered and has been filed for probate. It names his daughter, Mrs. Ida Trepp of Oregon City, as sole beneficiary. Mrs. Trepp has been engaged in unearthing the Wruck's property and trying to locate the assets.

The mystery of the death of Wruck and his wife is as deep as ever. Nothing has transpired to shed the least ray of light upon the cause of the double tragedy. In spite of the verdict of the coroner's jury many people are of the opinion that foul play has been committed.

LICENSE FIGHT STARTS IN RUSHVILLE

Rushville, Neb., May 4.—The annual battle royal for the purpose of putting in saloons in Rushville opened when a remonstrance was filed and brought before the board of trustees and presented by Judge Crites of Chadron. In the remonstrance it was alleged that Perley Thompson, the applicant, was not a fit and proper person to run a saloon, he having been convicted of gambling.

QUARANTINE MATTER NOT BEFORE BOARD

Lincoln, May 3.—The trouble between Kansas and Nebraska over the foot and mouth disease quarantine was not taken up at the meeting of the state live stock sanitary board. However, J. H. Bulla, president of the board, has gone to Kansas to take up the matter there. Kansas representatives had been expected at the meeting of the board.

GUARD OFFICERS ELECTED BY COMPANY

Lincoln, May 3.—Efficiency or length of service cannot be recognized in the national guard as entitling any officer to promotion, according to Deputy Attorney General Barrett, but all officers must be elected by the company affected or by the regimental officers when it is a regimental office to be filled.

LUTHERAN CONFERENCE AT BERLIN

Weeping Water, Neb., May 3.—The southern conference of the Evangelical Lutheran synod of Nebraska closed a four days' session at Berlin. The conference is composed of the German Lutheran Evangelical churches of the southern half of Nebraska and about thirty ministers were present.

BOLT HITS BARN; NINE HORSES BURNED

Rockwell City, Neb., May 3.—A large barn on the Ehler farm, just east of town, was struck by lightning and entirely destroyed by fire, together with nine head of horses, belonging to George Hayes, the tenant. The barn also contained 300 bushels of grain and a lot of harness.

FIND WOMAN'S BODY IN MISSOURI RIVER

Omaha, May 3.—The body of an unidentified woman was found in the Missouri river opposite Bellevue. It was the body of a woman about twenty-five years of age, with brown hair dressed in a blue waist and blue skirt of corded material.

DROWNS WHILE BATHING IN RIVER.

Schenyler, Neb., May 3.—John C. Will of Richland, aged twenty-five, was drowned while bathing in the Platte river west of town, with two companions. The body was recovered. He leaves a wife and two children.

WAR NEWS SUMMARIZED

Another big battle has been fought and a great victory over the Russians in the Carpathians is chronicled officially by both the German and Austrian war offices. Operations were carried out in the presence of the Austrian commander in chief, Archduke Frederick, and under the leadership of the German general, Von Mackensen.

The Russians occupied strongly fortified positions in West Galicia, and beyond question the losses on both sides have been very heavy. The Aut'ro Germans report that they captured 30,000 Russians and took many guns and much war material. The western war zone remains comparatively quiet.

Cardanellies operations are reported by Athens, on the authority of information from different sources, to be developing favorably for the allies, who are said to have occupied several villages.

The Gulflight, an American oil tanker, was torpedoed off Scilly Islands. The captain and two seamen lost their lives. The vessel was towed to Crow sound. Secretary Bryan announced that he would instruct Ambassador Gerard to inquire of the German government for the facts in connection with the torpedoing of the American ship Gulflight by a German submarine.

The sinking of five more vessels in the North sea by German submarines in their new campaign is reported. The Norwegian steamers Baldwin and America were torpedoed and sunk. The crew escaped. The Swedish steamer Ellida went to the bottom in less than three minutes after it was torpedoed. Two vessels in a fishing fleet less than fifty miles off Aberdeen were sunk.

The British destroyer Recruit and two German torpedo boats were sunk during a sharp engagement in the North sea.

Sharp fighting has been resumed in Flanders. French, German and British official statements tell of German attacks near Hill No. 60 and St. Julian, both in the Ypres region. The Paris and London communications say the German onslaught failed, but Berlin characterizes the movements as successful.

Information from the Dardanelles by way of London is that the bombardment of the Turkish forts continues and that great damage has been inflicted by the warships of the allies. A late Turkish official announcement claims a victory near Gaba Tepe, in the Gallipoli peninsula, which is said to have resulted in the retreat of the colonial British troops to the shelter of their warships. This account, however, does not agree with the British official report.

The Italian cabinet has decided not to postpone the assembling of parliament on May 12 and it is thought in Rome that parliament may assist the cabinet in reaching a decision which appears now to be almost inevitable.

ITALIAN CONSULS IN AUSTRIA-HUNGARY are recommending that all Italians leave the country as soon as possible. As a result of this warning, Italian merchants, manufacturers and professional men are arriving at Udine from points in Austria.

Three hundred thousand Bavarians are massed in Trentino and 500,000 Austrians are stationed along the Italian border.

GERMAN AIRPLANES, doubtless in reply to the recent French air attacks on Friedrichshafen, bombarded various towns of eastern France. The only damage was two small fires.

THIS YEAR'S MAY DAY CELEBRATION in Amsterdam took the form of a huge peace demonstration, between 30,000 and 40,000 men, women and children participating.

ALMOST \$10,000,000 a month has been contributed by the United States to the war sufferers of Europe since the first of last August.

There has been little fighting in Belgium, and complete quiet along the British front. The French have bombarded the entrenched camp of Metz.

GERMAN FORCES ARE TO THE SOUTHEAST OF MITAU, capital of Courland, and their operations in the Baltic provinces seemingly have taken the Russians off their guard.

GERMANS HAVE BEEN BOMBARDING DUNKIRK FROM THE LAND SIDE, and the Germans submarines, after a considerable lull, in their operations, have made a new raid on the west coast of England and Ireland and sunk three steamers.

SPORADIC ATTACKS CHARACTERIZE THE CAMPAIGN IN BELGIUM AND FRANCE. The Germans have been repulsed at two points—by the Belgians north of Ypres and by the French at Les Eparges.

BRITISH AND FRENCH LANDINGS FORCES, according to the brief reports from the British war office, have succeeded in securing a firm foothold on the Gallipoli peninsula and on the Asiatic side of the strait. These expeditionary forces are said in some quarters to number 60,000 men. The southern section of the peninsula has been occupied and entrenched and a steady, though probably slow, advance is being made.

THE RUSSIAN WAR OFFICE ADMITS THE OCCUPATION BY THE GERMANS OF SHAVAI, in the province of Kovno; that German patrols have appeared near Libau, an important port in Courland on the Baltic sea, and that hostile torpedo boats have visited the Gulf of Riga.

LINCOLN'S RULES OF LIFE.

I AM NOT BOUND TO WIN, BUT I AM BOUND TO BE TRUE; I AM NOT BOUND TO SUCCEED, BUT I AM BOUND TO LIVE UP TO THE LIGHT THAT I HAVE. I MUST STAND WITH ANYBODY WHO STANDS RIGHT—STAND WITH HIM WHILE HE IS RIGHT AND PART FROM HIM WHEN HE GOES WRONG.—A LINCOLN.

NOT ALWAYS SUPPRESSED.

"TIMES HAVE CHANGED FOR THE BETTER. TORTURE, FOR INSTANCE, IS NO LONGER ALLOWED."

"I DON'T KNOW ABOUT THAT. THERE ARE FOUR FAMILIES IN THIS APARTMENT WHOSE CHILDREN TAKE MUSIC LESSONS."—BAIT MORE AMERICAN.

LIVE STOCK PRICES AT SOUTH OMAHA

Cattle Market Slow and Values

Steady to Shade Off.

HOGS STEADY TO 5C HIGHER.

FRESH DECLINE IN LAMB VALUES—PRICES OFF 10@15C—RECEIPTS FAIRLY LIBERAL—MEXICAN LAMBS BRING \$10.20, THE TOP PRICE FOR THE DAY.

UNION STOCK YARDS, SOUTH OMAHA, MAY 5.—A pretty good run of cattle arrived yesterday, some 5,800 head.

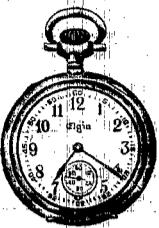
The fat cattle market was a little slow yesterday, but prices were not so very much different from Monday. The desirable light and handy weight steers were quoted steady with Monday and the heavier grades a shade lower. There was no very great change in the market for cows and heifers, as compared with Monday, and for the most part prices were in just about the same notches. Veal calves were in active request and fully steady. Business in stockers and feeders was not very lively and, while good to choice stock of all weights found a ready sale at fully steady figures, the trend of values was easier for the medium and common stuff.

CATTLE QUOTATIONS: Good to choice yearlings, \$8.00@8.40; good to choice heavy beevs, \$7.80@8.10; fair to good beevs, \$7.

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Gent's 18s 15 jewel Elgin 6.50
Gent's 16s Elgin gold 20-
year case 9.50
Gent's 18s 17 jewel only 10.00
Ladies' Gold Watches from
\$10 up.

L. A. Fanske
Jeweler and Optician
Private Room for Optics

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wright are at
Sioux City today.

E. Rippon was an Omaha visitor
Tuesday and Wednesday.

H. F. Wilson and wife spent
Wednesday at Sioux City.

C. H. Hendrickson is looking
after business at Oakdale this week.

For potted plants in bloom, see
Poulsen & Fortner, the grocers.—adv.

Mrs. Snell from Carroll was a
Wayne visitor Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Ley were
visitors at Sioux City a day or two
last week.

Mrs. Fred Martin was an Omaha
visitor the first of the week, returning
Wednesday evening.

Munsing union suits for
ladies and children. S. R.
Theobald & Co. adv.

The Ballard-Sherbahn-Plumleigh
orchestra left this morning to play at
Coleridge and Crofton.

W. E. Beaman was at Omaha
Tuesday and Wednesday this week
looking after business matters.

Chicken for Sunday dinner may
be had—plenty of them, and good
ones, at the Central market.—adv.

The Gem

This new restaurant is
indeed a "GEM" of neat-
ness and cleanliness. It
opened its doors to the
eating public Saturday,
and is now fully and neatly
equipped, ready to
serve the hungry with
plenty of the best foods

**Short Order or
Regular Meals**

**Service Right
Prices Right
and All Right**

The Gem

On Lower Main St.
1st Door North of Piepenstock's

Flower bedding plants at Run-
dells.—adv.

Walter Savidge was looking af-
ter business at Bloomfield this fore-
noon.

Dr. J. J. Williams was at Sioux
City Wednesday on professional
business.

Harry Armstrong was here from
Sioux City Sunday and Monday,
visiting his mother.

Alice Brooks came from Sioux
City Tuesday to visit with her
friend, Mrs. Harry Cox.

Adolph Meyer shipped a car of
whiteface fat cattle to the South
Omaha market Tuesday.

Cresco Dip—one gallon makes
75. Kills all kinds of lice and
vermine. Rundell.—adv.

Ed. A. Johnson went to Sioux
City this morning to listen to the
music of Sousa and his band.

Meadames H. and LeRoy Ley are at
Sioux City today, going down
to hear the famous Sousa band.

I. W. Alter went to Ewing this
week, taking out a car of horses
and cattle to range on his ranch
this summer.

**Order your fresh fish, cel-
ery or cold meats from the
Wayne Meat Market. Phone
No. 9. adv.**

Horace Theobald went to Cherry
county the first of the week to look
after land interests which the Theo-
balds have there.

Poulsen & Fortner now have a
fine assortment of potted plants, all
hardy varieties, and many of them
in bloom. See them.—adv.

Miss Edie Lawrence from Ran-
dolph is guest at the home of Geo.
T. Porter and wife, while here tak-
ing 8th grade examinations.

Gus Kerwin shipped two cars of
young cattle to Bloomfield Tuesday
night and will pasture them near
that place the coming season.

H. G. Whorton has started a
shineparlor in the room north of
the Dewey barber shop, just vacat-
ed by the Wayne cigar factory.

**Order that room size rug
today from our samples. Very
low prices, direct from the
mill. S. R. Theobald & Co. adv.**

Miss Opal Douglas from Tekamah
was visiting among her friends
here and at Carroll Saturday and
Sunday. She formerly taught at
Carroll.

**Saturday, a pink or white
carnation to every lady mak-
ing a meat purchase from the
Wayne Meat Market, next to
City Hall. adv.**

Security Calf Food—J. M. Bar-
rett orders a quantity shipped to
his farm at Van Tassel, Wyo.
Ralph Rundell sells and guarantees
this product.—adv.

Elwin Strong and wife are here
for a short time, having just closed
a successful theatrical season,
playing mostly in Nebraska, where
they are great favorites.

Fred Theis, who went from south
of town to an Omaha hospital
about two weeks ago is reported
to be improving in health under
the treatment given him.

C. E. Sprague and wife autoed
to Sheldon, Iowa, Saturday to visit
his sister, who is in poor health
there. She will this week go to a
local hospital for an operation.

You should see the fine, corn-fed
beef we are putting on the block
at the Central Market—as good as
is to be found anywhere. Might
just try a good roast once.—adv.

G. Bergt and wife were called to
Thayer last week by the death of
an infant grandchild, the child of
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller. Mrs.
Bergt will remain for a short time
with her daughter.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs.
James Hanks died last week at
their home near Concord, and the
burial was Saturday at the cemetery
of the German Lutheran church
northeast of Wayne.

James Steele went to Sholes Tues-
day to fill a vacancy in the school
at that place until the close of the
school year. Miss Wright, who
filled the place for a week was not
strong enough for the work.

Wendel Baker continues to live
at the home of his parents, Peter
Baker and wife, though very low.
This week it was found necessary
to lance an abscess on his side,
which has given him some relief.
His recovery is not expected.

The Wayne cigar factory has
moved into the rear of the room
formerly occupied by the Crystal,
and Mr. Hostettler, who purchased
the Winteringer pool and billiard
hall, has moved the equipment in
to the same building, where both
businesses will continue. This
leaves the room formerly occupied
by Mr. Winteringer vacant.

Phone for cabbage, and tomato
plants. Rundell.—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Souders were
visitors at Sioux City Wednesday.

W. F. Norris came Tuesday even-
ing from Hastings to join his wife
in a visit with Wayne relatives and
friends.

Fresh fish, daily at the Central
market—we have the best of facil-
ties for keeping them fresh and
nice.—adv.

Judge A. A. Welch has been at
Center this week holding Knox
county court. Court Reporter Ellis
returned this morning.

**The best line of pumps,
slippers and sandals for ladies,
misses and children. S. R.
Theobald & Co.**

Cyphers Chick-food is a safe,
balanced ration. The chicks will
eat every particle. Get a Cyphers
book on chicken feeding—FREE.

Ralph Rundell.—adv.

Work has been resumed on the
extension building known as the
Boyd Annex, now occupied by the
Crystal. Mr. Mears is adding 40
feet in length, which will give the
movie business some much needed
room.

E. A. Surber, who has been in
quarantine for several weeks past
because of a mild case of small-pox,
is out again, and went to Sioux
City Wednesday to consult a physi-
cian as to some eye trouble, having
what appears to be an abscess form-
ing on the eye.

The Wayne Cleaning Works are
planning to make a special 10-day
curtain cleaning time, and during
the next ten days will clean and
stretch lace curtains at 50c the
pair. Our process of cleaning does
not wear the curtain like the ordin-
ary wash. Phone 41.—adv.

**Any willing to accomodate
roomers or boarders during
the Normal Summer School,
will confer a favor by phoning
or calling at the Wayne State
Normal, U. S. Conn., Presi-
dent. adv. 18-4**

The third annual Beef Producer's
meeting will be held at the college
of agricultural at Lincoln Wednes-
day, May 19. This annual event
is of especial interest to feeders
and cattlemen generally, for at
that time the result of the different
methods of feeding is determined.
The program will be given next
week. All stockmen who can will
find it profitable to attend this
meeting.

Miss Carrie Garrett is planning
to do a general collection business
here, and will office over the
Central Market with J. H. Kemp and
attend to his clerical work, she being
a stenographer of considerable
experience. Miss Garrett has fre-
quently done collection for local
firms and is planning to add to that
general collections. She will give
a surety bond for the faithful pay-
ment of what is collected.

The State Normal Ladies Quar-
tet gave a program Monday even-
ing at the Normal that was highly
appreciated by all who heard it.
The quartettes were well given as
well as the solos, and all claim the
ladies to be a group of real enter-
tainers. The girls had worked hard
on their program and they certain-
ly demonstrated their ability in the
rendition of the numbers. We
hope to hear from them again
from time to time and shall look
forward with much pleasure to
their reappearance.

On account of the sickness of
Mrs. Mandana Conley at the home
of O. S. Roberts and wife, her
daughter, a number of her children
have been called here to see her,
fearing that she cannot recover.
Among those here are John and J.
O. and wife and Mickel from Cody,
Mr. and Mrs. McCown of Emerson,
a daughter, Clarence Hahn and wife
from Washta, Iowa. Samuel King,
her brother from Correctionville,
Iowa, has also been here to visit
her. She is gradually failing, and
her recovery is doubtful, as she is
77 years of age.

J. H. Kemp was at Belden Fri-
day where he spoke at a meeting
of the school patrons. He report-
ed a meeting well attended and
full of interest. While there is
yet plenty of room for improvement,
especially at Wayne, there is a
much greater interest now being
taken in school work by the parents
than in former years. School work
is also becoming more practical in
that line. We are beginning to
realize that the pupil should be
taught along some lines that will
be of practical benefit to him in
making a success of the work he is
very apt to be called upon to do.
Latin is not much help to the man
who expects to farm all his life.

Many of the girls had better be
taught domestic economy than
French, and the average boy will
find a course in manual training of
more value to him than geometry.

Fancy table potatoes at Run-
dell's.—adv.

Feed Cyphers Chick-food and
raise more chicks. Rundell.—adv.

Ex-Postmaster Baker from Car-
roll was a Wayne visitor Wednes-
day.

Chas. E. West, on one of the
Chichester farms unloaded a car of
young cattle this morning for sum-
mer feeding.

The Northeast Nebraska Medical
association met at Emerson the
first of this week, and a lengthy
session is reported, closing with a
banquet.

Miss Louise Biegler came out
from Sioux City Sunday to visit
relatives and friends here. She is
a guest at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Wm. Piepenstock.

Rev. Bowen of Elgin, Rev. Cross
of the Presbyterian church here,
went to Randolph this morning to
attend Presbytery, driving across
country with Mr. Kemp.

At Emerson the new town coun-
cil granted four saloons license to
quench the thirst that has been
growing for a year past. One
pool hall permit was also issued.

J. L. Payne has purchased from
C. W. Martin the building and
milling machinery of the Wayne
Feed mill, which Mr. Payne and
sons have been operating on a lease
for the past ten or twelve months.

Mrs. Wells from Clearfield, Iowa,
came this week to visit at the home
of her brother, J. L. Payne and
family, and look after her resi-
dence property at this place. She
moved to Clearfield about two years
ago.

Next Thursday, Ascension day,
Rev. Father Kearns will hold ser-
vices at the St. Mary's Catholic
church here at 9 o'clock, a.m. On
Sunday there will be regular
services here at 8:30, and at Car-
roll church at 10:30.

Mrs. Hayes and her daughter,
Miss Lizzie, who moved to Colome,
South Dakota, about nine years
ago, returned to Wayne this week
and will visit here for a time and
perhaps remain, having rented
their farm there. They are stop-
ping at the home of Geo. Roberts
and wife, Mrs. Roberts being her
daughter.

Misses Ruth Frey and Zellers,
two young ladies from the old home
town of David Cunningham and
his sister at this place, came Tues-
day to visit them. The young
ladies have been visiting relatives
in the west, and came here from
Hooper, to visit the two friends of
their parents in their younger
days in Pennsylvania.

Some experts claim that a young
and comparatively inexperienced
young man cannot drive an auto-
mobile with one hand and his atten-
tion divided between the fair
one at their side and the road, and
the experience of one of our rising
young citizens tends to confirm the
claim made above, although there
was some evidence offered that he
was driving with both hands, and
as the car was but slightly damaged
and no one hurt this may be
true.

More than three months ago the
Roberts Drug Co. purchased the
Shultheis pharmacy, and since that
time have been busily engaged in
fitting the store room with new
fixtures. The change has extended
from front to back and from
roof to cellar, and is now nearly
completed. A new fountain and
new show cases have been placed,
while the shelving has all been re-
placed with cabinet shelving with
glass fronts, thus permitting the
keeping of all stock in full view
and yet under tight cover, giving
Wayne another splendidly equipped
drug store.

Tuesday afternoon Dr. F. C. and
Mrs. Zoll and children left Wayne
to spend a month or two with rela-
tives and friends in Iowa, Missouri
and the southern part of this state,
after which they plan to go to
north central Florida to make their
home, selecting a southern clime
on account of their health. For
nearly four years Doctor and Mrs.
Zoll have made their home at
Wayne, where he established a
lucrative practice by careful and
faithful work at his chosen profes-
sion. As a physician he stood well
with the community and his brother
physicians—as a citizen he was
progressive and public spirited,
and was largely instrumental in se-
curing the station of the Gasoline
Supply Co. at this place. Both
Mr. and Mrs. Zoll will be greatly
missed, and they go with the best
wishes of many friends for their
future health, happiness and pros-
perity.

Wendel Baker continues to live
at the home of his parents, Peter
Baker and wife, though very low.
This week it was found necessary
to lance an abscess on his side,
which has given him some relief.
His recovery is not expected.

The Wayne cigar factory has
moved into the rear of the room
formerly occupied by the Crystal,
and Mr. Hostettler, who purchased
the Winteringer pool and billiard
hall, has moved the equipment in
to the same building, where both
businesses will continue. This
leaves the room formerly occupied
by Mr. Winteringer vacant.

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If they will and you haven't yet pur-
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These are all we have left and they
are, every one, this Spring's models.

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good tailoring, nicely trimmed. Worth \$10.00.....
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good tailoring, nicely trimmed. Worth \$10.00.....
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SIZE 18—Putty, all wool covert, excellent tailoring,
high waist line effect. Good \$11.50 value..
SPECIAL 8.00

SIZE 36—Navy, all wool serge, very neatly made,
collars and cuffs trimmed with ratine. \$12.50 value..
SPECIAL 8.50

SIZE 18—Sand shade in all wool novelty suiting,
high waist line effect, fancy buttons. \$12.50 value..
SPECIAL 8.50

SIZE 20—Black, all wool novelty suiting, wide self-
girdle, flaring skirt, pongee collar. \$12.50 value...
SPECIAL 8.50

SIZE 38—Wooltex covert coat, belt, pockets, a very
late model, perfectly tailored. \$16.50 value.....
SPECIAL 12.00

SIZES 36 and 40—Navy, Mestrel Wooltex coats, full
lined, conservative in style and faultless in tailoring.
\$19.50 value.....
SPECIAL 14.50

SIZE 16—Wooltex shepherds check, full lined coat,
belt across back, flare, stick up collar. \$19.50 value.....
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and 41. These are good \$25.00 values....SPECIAL 18.50

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Comment From Exchanges

Butler County Press:

A feasible plan for perpetual care of the lots and monuments in the David City cemetery is that adopted by the Cemetery Association. An endowment fund, on basis of \$50 for a whole lot, \$35 for a half lot, \$20 for a quarter lot, is being formed which will be loaned, the interest on which will furnish regular income for perpetual care of the lots and grounds. It is a plan suggested to Secretary Hughes by knowledge of successful operation of such a plan in Ohio, and one that the Cemetery Association unanimously adopted.

Membership in the Columbus Commercial club now numbers 156. There are three classes, sustaining members, of which there are 50, paying \$10 a year, individual members, numbering 101 now, paying \$5 a year, and members who are employees and who pay \$3 a year. Commercial travelers residing in Columbus are enrolled as honorary members and are not required to pay. Commercial club dinners are to be served at intervals of two weeks. Co-operation with road-overseers in securing systematic road-dragging of roads near Columbus is one of the aims of the club.

Butler county pays \$25 per lineal foot for steel work on a 70-foot steel bridge with wooden floor, so The Press is informed by County Supervisor Kunzman, who makes correction of a statement copied in this paper from the Nebraska City Press a short time since. In that statement, the figures purporting to come from the office of the state engineer, Butler county was listed as paying \$80 per foot and was fourth highest in order of price paid in a list of 17 counties. At the correct price of \$25 per foot for Butler county, this county is fourth lowest in order of price. Otoe county is listed as paying \$28, Seward county \$22 and Saunders county \$21.60.

Columbus Telegram:

Down there in Washington Senator Hitchcock ridicules the Wilson administration, always votes with the republicans against administration measures and frequently challenges the integrity of President Wilson.

Out here in Nebraska this same Senator Hitchcock constantly gathers laurel for the adorning of the brow of President Wilson.

Down there in Washington the venomous attacks of the Nebraska senator upon President Wilson win the gleeful applause of Standard Oil, Sugar Trust and Ship Trust.

Out here in Nebraska the laurel leaves which the Standard Oil senator gathers for the brow of our good president are expected to win for the senator the plaudits of Nebraska democrats.

But they don't.

Nebraska democrats are willing to admit that the Hitchcock in Nebraska sounds better than the Hitchcock in Washington, but they do not forget that the Hitchcock who exudes Wilsonian praise in Nebraska is the same Hitchcock who in Washington strikes his Standard Oil dagger into the presidential back with all the venom of a Booth.

Also bids will be received for all of the above work at same time and place and under all conditions as above set forth, the county to furnish all material delivered at nearest railroad station, excepting piling which will be delivered either at Wayne or Carroll.

The plans and specifications as adopted, and also the bidding blanks are furnished by the State Engineer, of Lincoln, Nebraska, who will upon request furnish copies of the same. Bidding blanks will also be found in the office of the county clerk.

The Board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this 21st day of April, 1915.
(Seal) CHAS. W. REYNOLDS,
—adv. 16-4 County Clerk.

The reports from the federal reserve banks, made this week are good, and most encouraging to the business world. They indicate a general improvement in trade conditions and a return of confidence. Confidence under direction of some of the big Wall street interests has been trying to play the part of the bashful maiden and appear too shy to come out with the real hustlers in legitimate business in other lines and be one of them.

For any paper or magazine published Sam Davies has the agency, and will be glad to take your order for same. He has some money-saving combinations and clubbing offers. See him about the year's reading.—adv. —34-tf.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State of Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that can be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A.D. 1888. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

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Bridge Notice

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received at the county clerk's office for Wayne county, Nebraska, for the furnishing of all necessary material and labor for the erection and completion of the following bridges, or so many thereof as shall be ordered built by the county commissioners for the year 1915.

65 foot steel span, situated between sections 23 and 26 in Township 26, Range 3 east, and about 40 rods east of northwest corner of Section 26. Capacity of bridge 20 tons.

40 foot girder, situated between sections 3 and 4 in Township 25, Range 2, east, and about 30 feet south of the northwest corner of Section 3. Capacity of bridge 15 tons.

60 foot steel span, situated between sections 17 and 18 in Township 26, Range 4 east, and about one-half mile south of the northeast corner of Section 18. Capacity of bridge 15 tons.

At the same time and place as herein specified bids will also be received for the repair of all bridges, which may be ordered repaired by the county commissioners for the year 1915.

All such bridges to be built in accordance with plans and specifications furnished by the State Engineer and known, as the Standard Plans, and adopted by the County Board of Wayne county, Nebraska, on April 20th, 1915.

Bridges to be built within ten days from notice by said county to construct the same and in case any new bridge is to be constructed where an old one stands, contractor to tear down said old bridge and remove and pile all old lumber in such bridge; this to mean also the removal of all pile along with the lumber in such bridge, and to deposit the same safely near the site thereof, such lumber and piles to remain the property of the county.

Said bids to be filed with the county clerk of said Wayne county, Nebraska, on or before 12 o'clock noon of the 21st day of May, 1915.

Said bids for the building and repairing of bridges will be opened at 12 o'clock noon of the 21st day of May, 1915, by the county clerk of said county in the presence of the Board of county commissioners of said county at the office of the county clerk of said county.

No bids will be considered unless accompanied by cash or a certified check for \$250.00 payable to Chas. W. Reynolds, county clerk of said county, to be forfeited to said county in case the bidder refuses to enter into contract with the said county if same is awarded to him.

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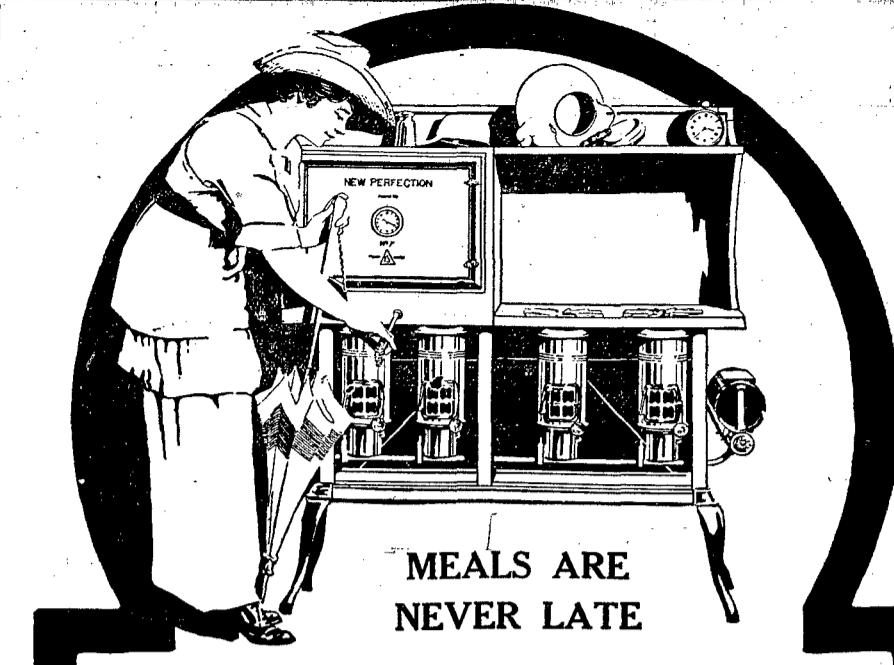
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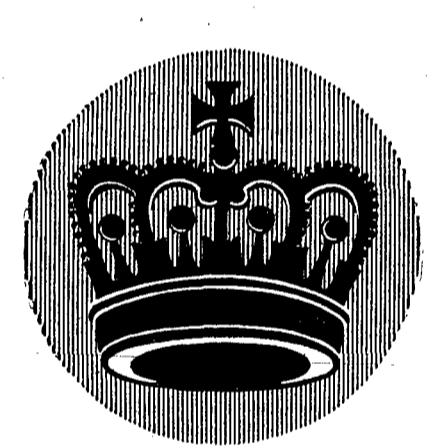
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"High gravity, eh? What about ignition point?"

"Ignition point?"

"Sure. Boiling point—pretty much the same thing. That's the only real test for gasoline."

"But low ignition point always goes with high gravity—Does it not?"

"Yes, it does not. Look at yourself. Ever have any trouble starting?"

"Well—of course—sometimes—"

"Thought so. Yet you always buy high gravity gas, don't you?"

"Yes."

"Well, what's the answer?"

"But what am I to do? Ask for low ignition point, low boiling point?"

"Ask for Red Crown Gasoline. You're safe then. The Ignition point is right, the boiling point is right, and what's more, it's right every time. Red Crown is always the same, wherever you buy it. And if you want your oil to be as good as your gas ask for Polarine—the standard oil for all motors."

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Roosevelt and Barnes

The most hideous skeletons of shame in the closet of the republican party have been dragged from their secret place and exhibited to the public eye in the court-room wherein Boss Barnes is suing ex-President Roosevelt on a charge of libel.

Is it true that the republican party has been in league with the big interests, accepting millions of campaign money from sources which demanded legislative protection from the republican bosses?

Ex-President Roosevelt swears it is true.

Is it true that there was a secret understanding in New York between Boss Barnes and Tammany, and that both received vast thousands of dollars from criminal interests for legislative, executive and judicial protection?

Ex-President Roosevelt swears it is true.

It may be for the ultimate good of the American people that these shameful stories of the doings of the republican bosses and the Tammany bosses have been proved in court by such high authority as the testimony of ex-President Roosevelt, but it is humiliating to the American people to be compelled to believe that a former president of the republic knew of the great crime at the time, but allowed the contributions of the criminal rich to be used in his own campaigns, and never uttered a protest until after he vacated that high office.

Will the confessions of ex-President Roosevelt disturb the good place he has held among millions of the people. It is an open question. Some who now read his shameful confessions take the position that he is making himself still stronger with the people by his confessions. Others say his present conduct will alienate him from all the friends he ever had. Some of the very strongest political prophets are now saying that Roosevelt will be the nominee of both the republican and the progressive parties in 1916. Other equally strong political strategists are saying that Roosevelt cannot win a single delegate in the next national republican convention. The Telegram is not in a position to make an intelligent estimate of the action of the next republican national convention. On the surface it would seem foolish to predict that the man who destroyed the republican party in 1912 should be accepted as the leader of that party in 1916. But we dare not forget that Theodore Roosevelt is the remarkable man of this age. He can do things which would damn any other man to the hottest corner of the hottest political hell, and in the doing of them exalt himself. Look at the record of his dealings with Paul Morton! Look at the record of his spoliation of a sister republic (Columbia)! Look at his betrayal of his own creation (Taft)! Look at his record in the bringing of the shameful and unnecessary financial panic in October, 1907! Look at his secret conniving with the enriching of the Steel Trust! His conduct in any one of these instances would have utterly destroyed any other man. And so we say that the future of such a man must always be enveloped in the mists of uncertainty. He is a winner of men. His personality is often repellent, and yet his record of winning more votes on his personality in 1912 than Taft won with the great republican organization at his back, is a record which may force that organization to accept him as its leader in the next campaign.—Columbus Telegram.

Speaking of the state of trade the country over, Bradstreet says that weather has been favorable and optometric feeling and increased activity are results. Collections are better and stock market advance resumed, bonds are active. Northern grain crops have a good start, but cotton crop conditions are irregular. Pig iron sales were greatest of any week of the year. Large wheat exports, and clearances maintained, with fewer failures. That is not a bad report from the country as a whole. One of the surprising things noted for the week is the fact that domestic wool of the new western clip is bringing more money than the imported wool, which shows that the American sheep is more than equal to meet its competitor from other lands on an equal footing. Silk manufacturing is active and an increasing number are engaged in this work.

Telephone Red 95

Hello! Yes, this is Frank Bell, and I am equipped to do any kind of team work, and will take your order for hauling of any kind, including trash, ashes, manure, etc., or plow your garden. Remember Red 95—adv. 12tf.

Tornado Saturday night wrecked farm buildings near Fullerton, and did considerable damage, but none were killed or seriously injured.

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**BURLEIGH COUNTY NORTH
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This is the county in which the state capital is situated, and it is a large county. The waters of the Missouri river wash its western boundary, that great artery of commerce of other days, which we predict will again have important bearing upon the transportation facilities of all the country tributary to it. Perhaps not by boat as in other days, but there will be a plan at some near date to utilize the mighty power produced by the onward flow of this great river, even as its sister river, the Mississippi is harnessed and made to serve man. When that time comes, the fertile acres tributary to the river will quickly double the value placed upon them before that change takes place.

But we started to tell about Burleigh county, not the power of a river that should be harnessed. This is a large county, but sparsely settled, having but 13,087 population in 1910, and that includes the city of Bismarck with more than 5,000 people. In 1912, the time the following statistics were taken, there was but 179,400 acres in cultivation. That year the wheat crop, spring, durum and winter wheat returned more than 1,300,000 bushels; almost a quarter of a million bushels of flax was harvested; of oats more than three-fourths of a million bushels; barley 97,000 bushels; rye more than 70,000 bushels, and of speltz 188,000 bushels. The corn crop husked that year was reported at 44,000 bushels, and this crop for the entire state has increased more than three fold since that time, as they are finding what a profitable crop it is to raise, and a large portion of the corn crop is fed without husking. The potato crop was 107,000 bushels, and they are good quality. Of millet, hungarian, timothy, alfalfa and bromegrass there was cut 3,000 tons, and more than 50,000 tons of prairie hay.

In live stock at that time there were more than 10,000 horses, a comparatively few mules, 17,000 cattle of which more than 4,000 were milch cows; 2,000 sheep and 5,000 hogs were in the county. There was then 13 creameries and an equal number of elevators. Three lines of railroads traverse the county, two from east to west and one north and south, while just west of the river is another railroad running parallel with the stream. Not many years ago land within 20 miles of Lincoln could have been purchased for less than \$25 per acre, and some of the very best has changed owners at less than \$50 per acre within a comparatively few years. We have land for sale as good as the land about Lincoln, within 15 miles of the capital city of a rich agricultural state, and where coal is plentiful in the country, at prices ranging from \$20 to \$30 per acre. What to us appears a great bargain is now offered by an old gentleman—a section and a quarter, within a dozen miles of the capital and but two miles from a railroad town at \$30. The land adjoining and no better is producing good corn crop and three cuttings of alfalfa per year. There are other good offerings, too. Write to the Geo. E. Wallace Land Co., Bismarck or call at the Democrat office, if interested.

Mother's Day Proclamation
Governor Morehead has issued the following proclamation designating the second Sunday in May as Mother's day.

Gratitude is one of the cardinal virtues; to remember gratefully, acts of kindness bestowed, is an evidence of true nobility. To exemplify this by word or deed is commendable in all.

Right at this time, especially in the so called wet counties of Nebraska, there is an antagonism to the Bryans that borders almost on political insanity. This paper is under no obligations to the Bryans. No publication in Nebraska is more at liberty to join the rabble if we could see rhyme or reason for the campaign. If we were a democratic office holder we would consider that W. J. Bryan was doing the greatest political service that anyone individual ever performed. All over this state, and over other states, political accidents are holding elective positions and are sneering at Bryan and praising President Wilson while the fact remains that if Bryan were to get off the lid and let the radicals have their way, that chaos would reign in the democratic party, and nine-tenths of those fellows would be out planting potatoes again. The Bryans are the best waiters in the political arena. Abuse, vilification and misrepresentation never cause them to lose their poise. If you throw a stone among a crowd of dogs the one that gets hit lets out a howl. There is just a possibility that some dogs—yellow ones at that—have been hit. And what does this avail? The Bryans are out of reach. No intelligent student of the times who is in touch with the inside of affairs denies that W. J. Bryan has the power in his hand to destroy any democrat and will have that power as long as he lives. If Bryan is as contemptible as those fanatics say he is he will exercise that power and we might as well begin to gather in the fodder for it is going to be a long cold political winter."

Wednesday evening, the Laurel quartette gave a splendid program which was followed by devotional exercise and an address by Rev. B. A. Fye of Tekamah on "Christian Endeavor Evangelistic Opportunities", in which he pointed out if all Christians Endeavor societies were active there would be little need of evangelists.

Thursday morning opened with the quiet hour the conference on "How to Do Better Work in Our District Conventions". Rev. E. E. Zimmerman of Belden gave an address on, "Christian Endeavor Through the Week", emphasizing how the Christian Endeavor should be ever mindful of his pledge. Miss Grace F. Hooper conducted a conference on "What a Faithful Committee Chairman Does," in which the Wakefield Juniors took some part and they then presented their playlet "The World Family", which was well given and much appreciated.

Thursday afternoon song service was held and a business session followed. The following officers were elected for this district for the next year: President, Rev. Clark of Lyons; Vice President, Rev. Fye of Tekamah; Sec. and Treas., Miss Margaret Nunn of Winnebago; Junior Supt., Miss Vida Leamer of Wakefield; Quiet Hour, Miss Bessie Durrie of Wayne; Tenth Legion, Rev. W. O. Harper of Laurel; Citizenship, Rev. Swanson of Coleridge; Missions, Rev. Zimmerman of Belden; Efficiency, Miss Spiller of West Point; Advertising, Miss Anna Ransom of Bancroft. There was a good deal of rivalry shown when the place of holding the next convention was chosen but it was finally given unanimously to West Point. The Wayne Juniors gave a playlet "Junior Rally" which closed the afternoon meeting.

The Thursday evening meeting was opened by a song service led by Rev. Clark of Lyons. Rev. G. A. Swanson of Coleridge gave an address on "Service" in which he pointed out many ways in which the Christian Endeavor could be of service. Mrs. Dr. Ingham sang a solo. The banner to be the society's whose delegates came the farthest was awarded to the Bethel C. E. Society. Mr. Price then installed new officers and conducted the closing exercises.

Christian Endeavor Convention

Suppose this All-Weather tread—now double-thick—was pared to the thinness of the usual anti-skid. Would it endure like this one? Or so resist puncture?

Suppose we used—as some do—one less fabric ply. Or made the whole tire lighter. Suppose we omitted our exclusive features:

- Our No-Rim-Cut feature—
- Our "On-Air" cure—
- Our rubber rivets—
- Our 126-piano-wire base.

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County Correspondence

Hunter Precinct.

Chas. Lessman shipped hogs last Thursday.

Will Walter shipped hogs to Omaha last Friday.

John Lennart's visited at Pete Johnson's last Sunday.

Mrs. John Munson and Miss Julia visited at the Jacobson home last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hyspe of Wakefield visited at the home of Ed. Sandahl Sr. last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Herman visited at the August Fleetwood home at Wakefield, last Sunday afternoon.

Harry Nelson was seen in this neighborhood last Sunday. He said he would work near Randolph this summer.

Northwest of Town

Art Halladay shipped hogs Tuesday.

Mabel McIntosh spent the week end with home folks.

Adolph Meyer shipped a car load of cattle to Omaha Tuesday.

Andrew Stamm spent a few days the last of the week at Foster.

Mabel Jonson was an over Sunday guest at the Andrew Stamm home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Grier had as guests Sunday, the following: James Grier and family, Jens Anderson and family, John Grier and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lessman and son Donald and Miss Etta Thun.

Eleven members of the H. H. S. spent a very pleasant day last Thursday with Mrs. Wm. Watson. After a sumptuous dinner the time was spent in sewing quilt blocks for the hostess. Mrs. Alex Jeffrey won the prizes during the social hour. Mrs. F. M. Griffith and Miss Louise Nissen were invited guests. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Wm. Buetow, May 13th.

Carroll Items

(From the Index)

Morris Ahern had the misfortune to dislocate his arm Sunday night.

At a special meeting of the commercial club Tuesday night it was decided not to celebrate the Fourth.

Marinus Christiansen arrived Monday evening from Seattle, Washington, to visit his brother, N. P. Christiansen.

Rodney Garwood returned Saturday from the State Farm at Lincoln, where he has been attending the school, and from which he graduated.

Mrs. Rev. Jones and daughter, Miss Lizzie Williams, returned Wednesday noon after having spent the winter with relatives in Iowa and Chicago.

Miss Winnie Jones went with her mother, Mrs. Evan Jones to the hospital at Rochester and Mr. Davis has been substituting for her in district 18.

The interior of the postoffice is undergoing some changes which, by the way, is an improvement to outward appearances, as well as a convenience to those handling the mail.

E. M. Thompson has begun work on the cemetery. The services of Mr. Thompson in this capacity insures Carroll people of efficient performance of the duties connected with this work.

Word from Leith, N. D., announces that Mr. and Mrs. Ora Emch are the proud parents of a pair of twin girls. Mr. Emch formerly lived here, and will be remembered by Carroll friends.

A letter from Wm. Lefferdink informs us that he is now located at McGraw, as acting cashier of the McGraw State bank. He says he is quite well satisfied with the business and location.

Winside Notes

(From the Tribune)

Mrs. Fannie Shaw left Saturday morning for Lake Shiloh, Washington, where she will visit her father, who is seriously ill.

E. R. Peterson returned to his home in Hay Springs Friday, after attending the funeral of his brother's wife, Mrs. Nels Peterson.

Mrs. C. Kreuger was taken to the Samaritan hospital last Saturday, where she underwent an operation. She is doing nicely at present.

Mrs. Henry Brune left Saturday afternoon for Seattle, Washington, where she will visit her parents. She was accompanied to Sioux

Take a

Texall Orderlie

Tonight

It will act as a laxative in the morning.

Roberts Drug Co.

City by Henry Brune. She there met Mrs. F. Shaw and they will make the trip together.

Dr. J. G. Neely is remodeling his residence, and when completed will be a fine house. The bay-window has been removed and in its place a large straight window has been placed. A large screened-in sleeping porch has been added.

The Winside Light & Power Co.'s building will be well under construction next week, workmen having commenced digging the trench for the foundation yesterday. They expect to move the heavy machinery into the new building within the next ten days.

Miss Esma Longnecker met with a very painful accident last Tuesday, when she fell from a coaster wagon and broke both bones of the left arm between the elbow and wrist. They were coasting down the cave slope and she was accidentally pushed on the wagon, receiving the above result.

Mrs. Nancy C. Gibbs was a passenger for Neely Tuesday morning, where she will visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Milton J. Miller. Mrs. Miller's son has been ill for some time with lung trouble, and they expect to take him to the western part of the state for the summer months.

A birthday party was given Miss Myrtle Leary last evening at her home. There were eight young ladies present who enjoyed the evening in music and games. After a dainty lunch served by Mrs. Leary they went to the moving picture show. Miss Leary was given a beautiful Sterling Silver shuttle, as a remembrance of the occasion.

Mrs. George Meyers died Wednesday morning at her home seven miles southeast of town. Mrs. Meyers had been in ill health for the past three years, but not bedfast. Last January she was taken to Sioux City where she submitted to an operation. About six weeks ago she returned and was taken to the home of her sister, Mrs. John Davis and later removed to her home.

Wakefield News

A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Johnson Friday.

Mrs. M. B. Friend went to York Wednesday to make her home in the Oddfellows Home at that place.

John T. Johnson returned Monday from a fifteen month's stay in Sweden.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Johnson and children spent Sunday with friends in Omaha.

Mrs. Holberg departed Friday for a three month's stay in Omaha, Essex and Moline.

Mr. and Mrs. John Borg were in attendance at the Mission Conference at Oakland Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Holmberg and children visited over Sunday with relatives in Sioux City.

Mrs. Chas. Beebe entertained her Sunday school class and the teachers at a little girls' party Friday evening. Refreshments were served.

Miss Ina Vessen, who has been visiting in the homes of O. W. Wendell and N. M. Hanson, returned Wednesday to Stanton, Iowa.

Mr. Lemuel Hoogner went to Cambridge, Ill., Saturday at which time his mother's estate was settled. He also visited relatives in Paxton.

Mrs. Gus Bloomquist and daughter, who have been visiting for the past ten days at the C. U. Bloomquist home, returned Tuesday to Benson.

Announcements have been received of the marriage of Mr. Emroy Beckenhauer and Miss Maude Burnham, of Norfolk, at Norfolk, April 21.

Mesdames Ralph Crow and Mrs. Sarah Bowers entertained a number of ladies at the home of the former Wednesday afternoon. Delicious refreshments were served.

At Wayne, Tuesday morning occurred the marriage of Mr. Morris Thompson and Miss Minnie Miller. They have gone to housekeeping in the Frank Leuck's house east of Main street.

Mrs. N. H. Hanson, Mrs. J. D. Haskell, Miss Faith Haskell, Miss Ella Shellington and Mrs. Robert Hanson went to Randolph Thursday evening to hear Mrs. Deiffendefer, the national speaker on Mormonism.

About a dozen friends and neighbors met at the home of Mrs. Dan Patterson Saturday evening to help her celebrate their eighth wedding anniversary. A pleasant evening was spent at the close of which dainty refreshments were served.

The members of the Monday club came down from Wayne Monday af-

ternoon and held the meeting of this year at the home of Mrs. Charles Beebe. Officers for the ensuing year were elected. A picnic supper which was to have been eaten on the lawn, had to be served in the house on account of the cold and rain.

Funeral services for Cyrus Clark who died at Hinton, Iowa were held at the cemetery Tuesday morning. Mr. Clark made his home with his son E. L. on a farm near Hinton and was eighty one years old at the time of his death. His son E. L. and daughter, Mrs. Araday of Benson were present at the funeral.

During the absence of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Housman Wednesday afternoon the wash house on the John Borg property caught fire and was destroyed burning about 125 little chickens, incubator, two trunks of bedding and clothing, besides various other things. It is thought the fire started from the incubator. Mr. Housman underwent an operation for appendicitis at Sioux City the day before, and Mrs. Housman had accompanied him to the hospital.

Hoskins News
(From the Headlight)

Mrs. Edna Dorsett from Lewistown, Montana, came Monday evening for a weeks visit at the Jim Mathews home.

Miss Margaret Schmelz came home from Osmond where she is principal of the high school and visited with home folks until Sunday evening.

Louie Langenberg arrived home Friday night from Omaha where he had a car load of fat cattle on the market which he shipped Tuesday.

The first corn planting that was done in our locality was put in the ground last week. Emil Rottler and Henry Starkle are the two farmers who did the early planting.

The dance given by Prof. Eckman Saturday night was attended by a fair sized crowd. Those who were present had a jolly good time and enjoyed the music very much.

Mrs. Frank Leslie and two daughters, Dorothy and Lucile from Sioux City came Saturday evening and were guests at the August Ziemer and H. E. Ruhlow homes for several days.

Esther Schlack, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodor Schlack, was taken to the city hospital by the Spaniard Cortes in the City of Mexico in 1524. It was endowed out of the revenues obtained from the properties conferred on him by the Spanish crown for his services in the conquest of Mexico. The endowment was so arranged that it still exists and is paid at the present day. A supervisor is named by the lineal descendant of Cortes at present. In this hospital women occupied positions as nurses and physicians, and in their care were all cases of obstetrics and women's diseases. Considerable was known by the Indians of medicine. The Mexican hospital is a fine building, with arcades and courtyard. It is an interesting landmark in the history of hospital construction and administration.—Medical Record.

Oad 2 the Henn
Hale, hale, immortal burl, awl hale!
Thow hast, with in thy strange interrior
The wayz & meenz, mekaniks & teckneek
Wharewith 2 fashun & perdooce
That gusty fame us froot upon the whitch

Deependeth awl the happy ness,
prosperity & thrifft
Ov hour brawd bewtch us land.
For thow kanst lay the well-nown aig,

That fetcheth, in the bizzy hants ov men,
Full '60 sense purr duzzent.

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The jobber, eak, he duth not job 4 nought;

& the cold stoar age man, he, 2,
Duth thrust a gelid finger in the py;

The keeper ov the kuntry stoar
A rake off draggeth down
& the plethoric farmer—
The bone & sinno ov hour glory us land—

Iz in the deal, yew bett!
4 duth he knott demand—
A bout a sent a peece 4 them there aigs?

Yew bet he duth.
Oh, glory us Henn!
Onh, virchue us, vackue us timmer us,

Fatchus us farmer man!

—E. F. McIntyre.

Walter Davey is here visiting at the home of F. S. Berry and wife, his sister.

Eighth grade examinations are being held at the court house today and tomorrow.

There was about 50 8th grade pupils from over the county taking examinations this week.

Miss Winnie Mier has accepted a position as bookkeeper and stenographer at the Carhart hardware.

Messrs. C. H. Fisher, James and John Ahern, C. M. Craven and Frank Morgan went to the Hartington golf links Wednesday to try titles with the Hartington players, and they assure us that they had a splendid time, and let their opponents know that we have some golf players here. A rain stopped the home drive, and the night was spent at Laurel by those who started home—some of the party remained for golf again today.

Too Suggestive.
"Uncle," said the impecunious nephew, "you really ought to go and see the new play. You would just die of laughing."

The old man merely glared. A few minutes later there could be heard the sound of a scratching pen as he altered his will.

NO COPPER, NO WAR.

Modern Methods Render the Use of the Metal Imperative.

War can be waged on credit for awhile or on a silver basis, as it was by Japan. But cut off the supply of copper, and sooner or later nowadays a war comes automatically to an end.

This is because the red metal enters into the composition in a greater or less degree, of nearly all the munitions of war. Take for instance projectiles for big guns. Round the base of each one of these is a band of copper, which, when the gun is fired, expands and grips the interior rifling of the weapon, causing the projectile to rotate.

It also serves another and a very important purpose. By its expansion at the very moment the charge ignites the explosive gases are held in check, as it were, and forced to expend all but a tiny fraction of their energy in driving the projectile through the bore of the piece.

There are other demands for the metal which are far more insistent and notably that in connection with small arm ammunition—that is to say, rifle cartridges.

These are made of solid drawn brass. No other substance will do, because all others are liable to jam in the barrel. Now, ordinarily, brass contains three parts of copper to two of zinc, but the fine brass from which cartridges are made consists of three parts of copper to one of zinc.

Experts state that thirteen tons of copper are required for 1,000,000 rounds of small arm ammunition. One has only to bear these facts in mind and to remember that in modern warfare, with immense armies operating in the field, many millions of cartridges are fired away daily by the infantry, without counting the big guns and naval operations, to realize the enormous quantity of the metal used and the necessity for the combatants to have a goodly supply on hand.—Pearson's Magazine.

First Hospital In New World.

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Origin of "Red Tape."

The term "red tape" is used to denote excessive routine and formality in the management of official affairs, a servile adherence to precedent. Before the invention of the modern appliances of elastic bands, file holders and other means of securing papers all official documents were bound with red ribbons or tapes. The necessary delay caused by the undoubling of tapes by slow moving government officials before business could be transacted came at length to stand as representative of all delays.

Water Like Steel.

Water can be put through a nozzle so fast that it becomes as hard as steel, and if struck with a sword the weapon is broken or dented. Similarly the track of water behind a big speed ocean liner is like rocks and may buck ferryboats or buckle or break the rudders of tender craft that thoughtlessly push and paddle into this dangerous, rigid undertow.—New York Press.

Municipal Amenities.

A member of the Isle of Wight board of guardians thus answered a colleague from whom he had received what he took to be an insult: "I am not a bigger fool than you are, and I do not come here to be made a target for a censorious, cantankerous, scurilous, insolent and illiterate cad from a Ventnor stable. Mr. Chairman, if you will allow him to turn upon me the rapier of insult I shall plunge into the dagger of sarcasm, and it will not be my fault if it does not go to the hilt"—St. James' Gazette.

See the Democrat for wedding invitations.

Pool Hall Changes

Location

HAVING purchased the Brunswick pool hall of W. E. Winteringer, I have moved the same to the old Crystal Building and invite all the former patrons to call and see us in our new location. The tables and building will be put in first-class shape and the business will be conducted in a good, orderly manner.

I will handle a line of Cigars, Candy and Soft Drinks

W. M. HOSTETTLER

Successor to W. E. Winteringer

Wednesday Cattle Shipment

In addition to the several cars of stock shipped from here during