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HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

A Class of Nineteen Finish the High School Course and Go to Meet the Duties of Real Life at the Close of Successful School Year

This evening at the Methodist church will take place the commencement exercises which ends the public school career of a class of nineteen. The church will be appropriately decorated with the class colors of white and green, and the close of the school year and commencement week will be as follows:

Music High School Orchestra.
(a) Away to the Greenwood.
(b) Alice, Where Art Thou?
(c) Menuet in G.
Invocation—Rev. B. P. Richardson.
Music—Junior Male Quartet.
Commencement Oration—Dean Charles Fordyce, Ph. D.—“Forces That Determine Manhood and Womanhood.”
Music—High School Chorus
Presentation of Diplomas—Pres. T. W. Moran.
Benediction—Rev. F. E. Blessing.

It has been a school week, beginning with the class play Friday evening when a popular drama, “The Dream that Came True”, was most creditably presented to a house packed to its utmost capacity, with a friendly audience, and it may truthfully be said that each filled well his part in the play.

The play was the story of the struggle between an unscrupulous factory owner and his poverty stricken employees. The strike and some of the sad features attending the struggle between people with money means and those without the assistance of cash were vividly shown. August Madsen as Charles Norton the owner of the factory was the bad man of the play, while Earl Lewis as Clay Gordon the foreman was the champion of the oppressed. The first scene was at the boarding house of Mrs. Jenkins, over which Anna Giese, assisted by her grandmother, Mabel Schroeder, presided with tact peculiar to the situation in which the numerous characters one will meet in real life gathered and exchanged greetings. Here Gordon tells Nan (Hallie Lamberson) of the impending strike, and she promises to use her influence to bring the owner to terms, but without success at first. A strong love story runs through the play, else it would not have pleased the audience. Lucille Corkey as Margaret Byrnes and Nan's friend was exceptionally good and although she had gained the love of Gordon gave him up to Nan in the name of friendship.

The other characters, Florence Wright as Maud, daughter of Mrs. Jenkins, Katherine Owen, one of the boarders, Cecelia Meister the poetess and Mary Lewis a Suffragette, fitted nicely in the places fixed by the author for characters true to life. Bob Byrnes as represented by Ellis Cooper was an interesting character. Joe Munsinger, captain of the Varsity team, played Bille Best to perfection and Mary Weber as Doris Hall took the part of the athletic girl in a splendid manner. All agreed when they saw John Massie as Lord Algernon Reginald, straight from England, that the Allies would win in this war if he would but return to his native land with his lordly ideas, Francis Strickland was fond of fairy tales, Loretta Croghan, a maid; Elsie Mildner, a college graduate, acted well the parts. Peggie Gilbert, a Browning fiend, Mrs. Allaire, the chaperone, were given by Edna McVicker and Iris Griggs in the best of style.

The play was one of today, and carried with it an insight into industrial conditions of which many in this agricultural section of the country have but slight conception. It was well worth the effort.

Sunday evening a large audience listened to the most excellent class sermon by Rev. S. Xenophon Cross at the Methodist church, mention of which is made elsewhere.

Graduates
Lucille I. Corkey, Loretta A. Croghan, P. Cooper Ellis, Anna L. Giese, Iris V. Griggs, Hallie A. Lamberson, Mary E. Lewis, Earl E. Lewis, August H. Madsen, Florence E. Wright, John R. Massie, Cecelia K. Meister, Joseph M. Munsinger, Elsa J. Mildner, Edna E. McVicker, Katherine O. Owen, Mabel L. Schroeder, Francis Strickland, Mary E. Weber.

For Better Roads

The move for better roads in Nebraska is gaining momentum each year, and a new wave that has struck this part of Nebraska this season is a bit higher and harder than those of other years. Wayne stands ready to join with the organization which is forming to cover all this corner of the state in an effort to improve road conditions. As the first step this season in that direction a meeting is called for Wayne City Hall, Saturday afternoon, May 22, at 2:30, to which every farmer, every automobile owner and every business man is invited. Two or three towns in the county have already accepted the offer of the county commissioners to add at least a dollar of county money for road work to each dollar paid by those who organize to insure road improvement. Hoskins and Winside thus secured several hundred dollars of road work. The meeting Saturday, as we understand is intended to organize so as to get some of this money and also look to the spending of it to the very best advantage to the community. Not many people who use automobiles object to paying to a road fund liberally if it is so used that they get value for their money.

It is to the interest of all to make a snowing at this meeting. At this time plans will be made for properly entertaining the road boosters who are invited to gather here Wednesday, June 2, to hear committee reports on the proposed Sioux City-Norfolk and Sioux City-O'Neill highways, and the meeting promises to be an interesting one.

Plans have already been made for a committee of one from each of the interested towns along the southern route to travel over the different proposed routes and report upon them as to which is the best. E. Cunningham and John Shannon were at Winside and Hoskins the first of the week in the interest of the move. Remember—plan to join the movement.

National Conference of Charities

In response to the Democrat's request for a report of the National Conference of Charities and Corrections, Mrs. Crossland, who is a delegate from this state, sends us a program from which we learn the broad scope of the reforms of this great organization. Following the program one notes that some very important subjects come up for discussion, such as The Family and the Community; Health; Public and Private Charities; Children; Corrections; Social Hygiene; Social Legislation; Education for Social Work; Care of Insane and Feeble Minded; and, other phases of the work. Fortunately we are so surrounded in Nebraska as to scarcely feel the need of much of this work, compared with some other sections of the union, and yet there is much that can be done here in the way of removing the causes which make much of this work necessary.

In concluding her letter, Mrs. Crossland writes that this is the largest attended session ever held of the conference, there being more than 2,000 registered at the meetings. Missouri has the largest state delegation. Then she adds:

“I had the honor yesterday of being sent with the delegation to Washington to take greetings of the conference to the President. He received us in the historic East Room and expressed his appreciation of the action the conference had taken to give him this personal greeting, and said he would be very happy if he was only worthy of the trust and confidence the people were placing in him. He asked the privilege of shaking hands with the delegation of which we were very glad. This leaves Will and I enjoying the conference to the very utmost.”

Those who contemplate coming to Wayne to the carnival next week—and that is most everybody—should carefully scan the advertising pages of the Democrat and find who is making a bid for their business. We believe that Wayne is becoming a better trading point than ever before. By the way, some of the ads will read better before you come for your Saturday trade than later.

Cyphers Chick Food. It costs more—it's worth it. It's a balanced ration and the chick eats every particle. Rundell's.—adv.

OUR CHAUTAUQUA PROGRAM

An Array of Strong Talent Entirely New to This Territory—Gives Promise of Much Success

The Wayne Chautauqua association will run a real chautauqua at Wayne this year independent of the chautauqua combine. In other seasons we have had much good talent promised and the best of it failed to reach us for various reasons. The organization through which the local organization dealt stood between the consumer and producer, as it were, and exacted the profits of the “middleman”. The Wayne organization is not one for profit other than the profit which comes to all in the form of the best entertainment that can be obtained for the money, and this year they have selected the following talent, and it is needless to say that it would be hard to find better or more able instructors or entertainers.

The dates are July 11 to July 18, inclusive—a time when a great majority of the people may be able to spare a few days for recreation and instruction.

In the following program the morning sessions begin at 10:30; the afternoon sessions at 2:45 and the evening events at 8 o'clock, and follow in the order named:

Sunday, July 11
Prelude—Chicago Male Quartet.
Lecture—Homer B. Hulbert.
Sacred Concert—Chicago Male Quartet.

Monday, July 12
Lecture—Miss Lamken.
Prelude—Chicago Male Quartet.
Lecture—Harold E. Kessinger.
Popular Concert—Chicago Male Quartet.

Tuesday, July 13
Lecture—Miss Lamken.
Concert by Apollo Concert company.
Prelude—Apollo Concert company.
Lecture—Louis Williams.

Wednesday, July 14
Lecture—Miss Lamken.
Prelude—Apollo Concert Company.
Lecture—Charles Edward Russell.
Full Concert by Apollo Concert company.

Thursday, July 15
Lecture—Miss Lamken.
Prelude—The Waldens.
Lecture—Frank Stockdale.
Entertainment—The Waldens.

Friday, July 16
Lecture—Miss Lamken.
Prelude—Signor S. Bellino.
Lecture—Gov. Geo. H. Hodges.
Prelude—Signor S. Bellino.
Lecture—Nat. M. Brigham.

Saturday, July 17
Prelude—Dixie Jubilee Concert company.
Entertainment—Miss Lamkin and the children.
Concert—Dixie Jubilee Concert company.

Sunday, July 18
Prelude—Dixie Jubilee Concert company.
Lecture—Wm. Spurgeon.
Sacred Concert—Dixie Jubilee Concert company.

Memorial Sunday

The G. A. R. Memorial Services will be held Sunday, May 23rd, in the Methodist church, at 10:30 a. m. Sermon by Rev. A. S. Buell, of the Methodist church.

Decoration Day

The Decoration Day exercises will be held in the opera house, at Wayne, May 31st, at two o'clock, p. m.

Program
Music by Orchestra.
Prayer—Rev. Richardson.
Music—Male Quartette.
Gettysburg Address—Ralph Ingham
Music—Male Quartette.
Address—S. Xenophon Cross.
Song—“America”.

Benediction—Rev. Blessing.
The exercises will be completed at Greenwood Cemetery by Casey Post, G. A. R., closing with repetition of the first prayer offered in the United States

Order of March to Cemetery
Drummers.
Flower Girls.
Soldiers escort.
Veterans.
Boys Brigade.
Civic Societies.
Citizens.

Marriage license has been granted to F. Irving Moses and Miss Ida Belle Reed of Winside, and it is said they are happily wed and away on a wedding trip.

Social Notes

Wayne society ladies enjoyed three very delightful Kensingtons this week, beginning with Tuesday and concluding this afternoon. The parties were held at the home of Mrs. Agnes Kiplinger, who was assisted in receiving by the joint hostesses, Mesdames Walter Weber, D. W. Kinne, Margaret Bush, Horace Theobald and A. R. Davis. The rooms were beautifully decorated in snowballs and bridal wreath and the dampening effect of the cold, rainy days were entirely dispelled by the glowing warmth of the fireplace in the parlor. During the afternoon a victrola furnished the guests some very fine music. Tiny bean bags were passed and each one was requested not to talk about home, husband or housecleaning; the one who forgot forfeited a bean each time. A prize was awarded for the greatest collection of beans. A color scheme of green and white was carried in the elaborate two course luncheon.

Mesdames A. H. Ellis, Harry Fisher and Don Cunningham entertained Friday evening in honor of Miss Mable Clark, whose marriage to Lieutenant Wilhelm, who is stationed at Houston, Texas, is announced to take place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fen Ellis of Omaha, June 2d. Delicious refreshments were served. Miss Mable was the recipient of many beautiful gifts, most of which is silver ware. Mrs. Tillman of St. Joe was an out of town guest.

The Girls' Bible Circle met with Mrs. E. B. Young last Saturday afternoon. The lesson study was led by Geneva Henderson. The attendance was good. The following officers were elected. Emma Abbott, president; Mabel Gossard, 1st vice president; Ella Benschopf, 2nd vice president; Mae Hiscox, treasurer; Lillie Goldsmith, organist; Nora Gilbert, reporter. The next meeting will be at Mrs. Schofield's.

The U. D. club had their annual dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Ringland last Friday evening at 6:30. The tables were decorated with baskets of bridal wreath. After dinner a guessing game was played in which Mrs. Ray Reynolds won the prize. The rest of the evening was spent in playing 500. Mrs. Woodward Jones won the prize as best player.

Mesdames Lane, Cunningham, Donahey and Theobald entertained the N. M. N. S. last Thursday evening at a picnic dinner in park. An elaborate two-course dinner was served. There were eight invited guests. After dinner they went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donahey where they played 500. Punch was served throughout the evening.

The Bible Study Circle met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Payne, with a good attendance. The lesson was led by Mrs. Goldsmith. Next Tuesday the meeting will be with Mrs. F. R. Dean.

The West Minister Guild had planned a picnic supper for Monday evening, but the weather was so cold they took their baskets to the home of Miss Mable Dayton, where they spent a very enjoyable evening.

The Guild of St. Mary's church postponed their meeting until Friday afternoon and will meet with Mrs. Fred Berry. A two-course luncheon will be served.

Special meeting of the Eastern Star Friday evening for initiation and installation. Mrs. Blair will give report of Grand Chapter.

Weather Report

For Upper Mississippi Valley and Plains States: Generally fair over northern districts, followed by rain toward the end of the week in the extreme Northwest; rising temperatures after Thursday. Rain Wednesday over central and southern district, continuing Thursday over eastern sections. Otherwise generally fair weather during the week. Cool for two or three days, followed by rising temperatures.

Announcement

In order to get my two businesses nearer together, I have moved my dental office to the rooms over the Model Pharmacy, where I hope to see all my old and new patients.
—DR. A. G. ADAMS.

Local Weather and Crop Conditions

The week past has been one of extremes in both heat and cold for this month. Thursday and Friday were above the average, some reporting the mercury near the 100 mark. Sunday, Monday and Tuesday were cool, and a freezing temperature was experienced in the early mornings, especially in low places and where the northwest wind had a fair sweep. Wednesday morning a drizzling rain began which continued most of the day, and precipitated about a half inch of moisture, which was badly needed, and all taken up by the soil. At Bloomfield the precipitation was partly in the form of snow, and in the western part of the state snow was reported to cover the ground from 3 to 12 inches deep.

Until Wednesday morning farm work was uninterrupted by weather, and a vast amount of work was accomplished. Reports from all directions about Wayne are to the effect that corn is nearly all planted, and not a little of it is already up—the warm days starting it very quickly.

A few are cutting their first crop of alfalfa, and those who claim to know say that it should now be cut as soon as possible—that the frosty weather has checked its growth and so affected the tops that it will not come to a perfect bloom, and that another crop is already starting from the roots, so that this growth should be cut at once before the coming growth gets large enough for the sickle to clip. The first growth is quite heavy, and but for the cool weather would have matured into an exceptionally heavy yield.

Wheat, oats and newly sown grasses as well as pasture are in excellent condition.

The Democrat hopes to have regular reports as to local crop conditions and asks the co-operation of the farmers to make them authentic and valuable.

Senior Class Enjoys Outing

The senior class of the normal left Wayne at six-thirty Thursday morning for the home of Cella Gildersleeve. The large grove, beautiful lawn and home of the Gildersleeves was turned over to the seniors. About nine o'clock a delicious breakfast consisting of Parker house rolls, fried eggs and bacon, coffee, and oranges was served in the grove.

After breakfast everyone hied to the lawn, where games of croquet, ball, tennis, royalty, and flinch were played. Several hair-dressing feats were performed on the windmill.

At two o'clock the dinner cry was given and away everyone scampered for the grove, where hot hamburger sandwiches, baked beans, potato chips, pickles, doughnuts, rolls, ice cream and cake were partaken of.

In the afternoon a tug of war

The Coming Carnival

Next week the fifth annual opening of the Savidge Carnival Company takes place at Wayne, and the city is expecting 10,000 people here to enjoy the event. The corn is planted, the first cutting of alfalfa out of the way, you farmer people can come to Wayne a day or two and let the crops grow, for this splendid rain has come just in time to start them in proper shape. Last evening the editor saw Mr. Savidge at the depot, where he is now whenever a passenger train arrives, acting in the capacity of a reception committee for the incoming members of the summer aggregation. He seems to instinctively know one of the bunch and get right down to business and finds out their wishes as to quarters and assigns them. He has been on the reception committee job for the past two weeks and now has greeted nearly 100 people who are to be members of the carnival crowd this season.

First came the theatrical people who have been busy for the past ten days at rehearsal and committing their parts, for the plays are all new, and not some threadbare play of other days on which the copyright has expired. His talent in that department is the best that he could secure, and will consist of several of the old-time favorites and some other star actors.

Then the members of the orchestra and band began to assemble, and there is music in the air as these professional musicians meet to practice so that they may be in perfect harmony when the opening day comes. Now comes the fellows who are to do the special stunts—the free acts and other special features—and they are so numerous that we will have to refer you to the small bills for particulars—and Walter is on the job to greet them all—and he will be visible to give you and you and you a hearty greeting and a good time when you come to Wayne next week, so do not miss it.

took place in which the girls were victorious. Horseshoe, water fights, tricks of all kinds, pit, somerset, croquet, and a big ball game served as amusements for the rest of the day.

After a delicious supper of roasted and boiled wienies, baked potatoes, pickles, coffee, rolls, and apples, the seniors gave fifteen raps for the Gildersleeves and departed for Wayne. They arrived home at exactly ten o'clock, singing “When We Come to the End of a Perfect Day.”

Advertised Letter List

Letter—Walter M. Mason, Mrs. W. C. Mossman, Rasmus Pederson, Emel Peterson, Chester Stoffel, A. C. Thomason, Mrs. Dora Wilson, Mrs. James Wilson.
C. A. BERRY, P. M.

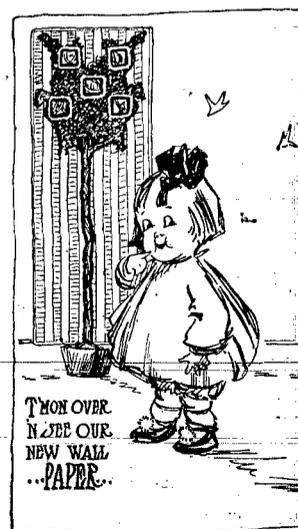
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

John T. Bressler was at Omaha Friday and Saturday.

Clarence Tillson from Winside was a Sunday visitor at Wayne.

Chas. Madden and J. H. Foster were visitors at Omaha Saturday.

Dr. A. G. Adams returned Tuesday from the western part of the state.

Mrs. Emma Baker was looking after business matters at Sioux City Friday.

Rev. Father Kearns was a visitor at Battle Creek last week, going over Friday.

Miss Charlotte White went to Sioux City Friday to visit a few days with friends.

W. R. Thomas of Carroll was at Sioux City Tuesday, going in for some new automobiles.

The Baptist Ladies Union will serve dinner in the basement of the church Decoration day.—adv. 19-3.

Dr. J. G. Green went to Omaha Tuesday morning to attend the annual meeting of the dentists of the state.

Mrs. Wiese from Randolph was a Wayne visitor Monday and a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hansen.

For early and late tomato plants delivered to any part of the city, call on Marion Grothe, phone Black 182.—adv. 17-1f.

Mrs. Alfred Hass from Cushing, Iowa, came last week to visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hansen.

Grant VanHorn from Burlington, Iowa, came the first of the week to visit at the home of his brother, C. R. VanHorn for a short time.

Henry Kloppling was at Omaha last week with two cars of fat hogs from his feed lots. He has some well finished cattle to go when the dollar sign is right.

C. R. Nelson, who has been working at Yankton, South Dakota, came last week to join his wife for a few days here at the home of her parents, J. H. Rimel and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Owen were called to Omaha Monday to visit her brother, who was taken from his home at Rushville for an operation, and was reported to be in a critical condition.

Dr. T. B. Heckert went to Omaha Monday to attend the annual meeting of Nebraska dentists. His daughter, Mrs. Norris, who has been visiting here, left on the same train for her home at Hastings.

Don't it make you happy when you have written something which you think reads nice, to learn that some of your brother editors have appreciated your efforts enough to reproduce the story—and then credit it to some other paper?

Eleven of the sixteen Welsh singers, who were on the chautauqua program in Carroll last summer are announced to have been victims of the Lusitania disaster. Mr. Davis, the manager, and Mr. Smith, the accompanist, were among the lost.

Mrs. D. A. Jones died at her home at Hartington last Thursday and the funeral was held Saturday, conducted by Rev. B. P. Richardson of this place. Mrs. Jones was not generally known here, but her daughter, Mrs. Fred Kimball, who formerly lived at Wakefield, has numerous friends here who will sympathize with her in her loss.

We will be prepared about June the first, to take care of all patients with no inconvenience or waiting. Call and let us prove to you that chiropractic is the right principle. A. D. Lewis, D. C., Chiropractor.—adv.

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. —34-1f.

Burt Hyatt went to Sioux City Monday morning, accompanying Aug. Steuive, who has been in his employ for a time, and who was going to the city for repairs, so to speak—at any rate he was going to consult a physician as to his health condition.

Mrs. R. E. Tweedy returned to her home at Fremont last week after a visit here with her husband, who is the pharmacist in charge of the Model drug store. Mrs. Tweedy might move to Wayne a little later if it were easier to find a suitable residence property.

Now is the time to select your wall paper before the spring rush. Can save you money on all kinds of paper for the next thirty days. Phone me for samples or call at house. Paper hanging a specialty. Phone Red 381. J. H. Boyce.—adv.-8-1f.

Dan McManigal from his good farm south of Wayne was here Monday with three cars of fat cattle, and nearly all good ones, which he went to the South Omaha market with that evening. Phil Damme from south of town was also on the same market with a car of cattle.

Mrs. W. A. Clark and daughter Hazel went to Sioux City Tuesday to visit friends for a time. The Clark family have recently come to Wayne from Elgin, and hope to arrange to make their home at Wayne in the future. Mr. Clark expects to spend the season with the Savidge carnival people.

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

Sunday afternoon, May 30, the members of the Wayne lodge of Sons of Herman will observe their memorial day, and meet at 2:30 at their hall for a short service, then march to the cemetery and decorate the graves of departed members. All members of the order are requested to attend this service.

Alfalfa has made a wonderful growth this spring and escaped damage from the light frosts of the first week in May. Do not be in a hurry to cut it, but wait until about one-third of the crop is in bloom. Too early cutting spoils the keeping quality and too late makes a low grade on account of being stemmy.

Mayor Friday gave an ultimatum to peddlers and popcorn stands at Norfolk last week Friday afternoon, notifying them that they would have to abandon their locations on Norfolk avenue before Saturday. Appeals from vendors of fruit and vegetables that they be allowed to remain on Norfolk avenue Saturday were denied.

To celebrate or not to celebrate, is the question now up to about half of our neighboring towns. Wayne settled that question a year ago, celebrating three days at a time last year. This year will be a three-day event for some, as there is very apt to be those who will observe Saturday, others Sunday and a few will have their big time on Monday, as the 4th comes on Sunday this year.

A rifle that shoots over the parapet while the user sits in comparative safety in the trench without necessity for exposing himself to the fire of the enemy is a late invention brought out by a well known sportsman and described, with illustration, in the June Popular Mechanics Magazine. The feature of this invention is that the rifle is held vertically while the projectile is fired horizontally. This is accomplished by a curved deflecting tube, fixed to the muzzle of the gun, that changes the course of the projectile from the vertical to the horizontal as it leaves the gun. In spite of the enormous friction that must accompany this change of direction, the tube, as shown by actual tests, is not subject to excessive wear, while the effective range of a rifle equipped with this device is between 100 and 150 yards.

Wash and scrub yourself to beat the band, but don't forget your stomach, bowels and insides—Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will clean them quick and slick. Try it this spring, 35c. Tea or Tablets at Felber's.—adv.-M.

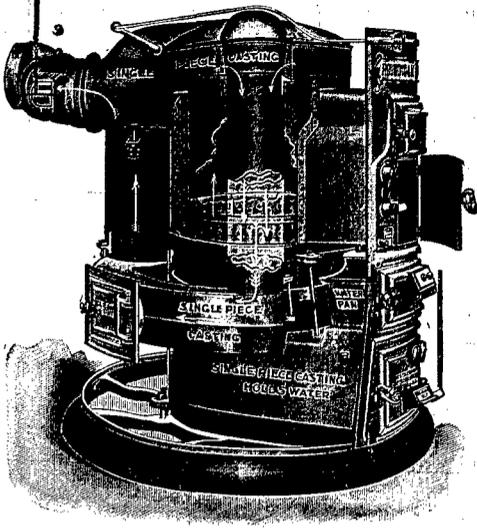
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Miss Hilda Larson, who is attending school for the deaf at Omaha, came home last week for a short visit, returning Monday, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. L. Larson. Their school was late starting last fall, and the summer vacation will not begin until June 23rd.

The body of O. W. Cass of Crofton, who was drowned in the Missouri river near Yankton last winter, has been taken from the river at Sioux City. Four men were in an automobile crossing the river on a pontoon bridge when the car ran off the bridge.—Two were lost, Cass and Editor Cooley of the Journal, and two succeeded in getting out alive. The body of Cooley has not been found.

Visitors returning from the Panama Pacific Exposition are loud in praise of the wondrous beauty of the fields of Nebraska. After the long ride through mountain and high grazing country Nebraska is a veritable garden in beauty in contrast with scenes of the two days ride from the west. A little publicity of the wonderful resources and fertility of the state—extended to the returning thousands who will pass through might prove beneficial to our people. Was the last legislature wise in denying every support for publicity?

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Young were in Thurston county last week, and Sunday they completed the organization of two rural Sunday schools as the result of their work, besides overcoming some automobile tire trouble. It was a sort of a tax trouble, a tack puncturing the inner tube and thus taxing the patience of the man who had an appointment to make and a desire for dinner. But by omitting the meal the date was kept. His predicament was for a time almost as serious as that of the Baptist preacher we knew in our boyhood days, before automobiles were even in blossom. He owned a "buckskin" broncho that was tough as iron, a good traveler when he went, but given to balking. Our friend both preached and practiced moral suasion, and when Buckskin balked the congregation had to wait until he was ready to go and take the preacher to his destination. The preacher would get out his bible or some good book and read while patiently waiting for the colt to decide to move on. If the animal was too long making up his mind to go the parson would sometimes climb out and mount the horse, who was a great saddle animal and never balked under the saddle, and get a start that way. One day the parson, being a Baptist, drove into the river to ford instead of going over the bridge, allowing Buckskin to stop for a drink. Once stopped he would not start, and after a bit of coaxing the parson being in a hurry, climbed out over the dashboard and onto the animals back—but that was not a regular way of getting on and the animal failed to budge, and an hour later some friends discovered the preacher astride the obstinate creature in mid stream and drove in and hauled him out.

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

Sixty-two per cent of the patent medicines sold are patent laxatives, says an exchange. If people regulate their diet properly and include more green stuffs they will not need laxatives. Seventy-five per cent of the people do not eat enough vegetables to keep them well. Some doctors estimate that sixty per cent of the deaths are due to indigestion, constipation, and effects which follow. If we can eat the fruits and vegetables from our own farms, which would otherwise go to waste, we shall have a supply for use on our own table—foods which we need to keep us healthy and make us grow strong—and we can have a more varied and so more pleasing diet. Why should we eat only meat, bread and potatoes three times a day, 365 days in a year? Those who grow vegetables should use their produce. When there is so much want in the world it is selfish and wicked to let any good food go to waste.

We have a brief letter from a friend out in the state who declares that the drowning of Elbert Hubbard was compensation for the loss of the Lusitania, if not for the deaths of those who went with him. It may have been right and for the best that Colonel Hubbard went when he did and the way he did, yet we doubt if his taking off in this violent manner was a "biological necessity." Hubbard had many redeeming qualities, also some glaring faults. His "Rovercraft" notions of art for art's sake, although absorbed from the works and notions of William Morris, were not lacking in genuine merit. Many were directly benefitted by Elbert Hubbard's enterprise long before he flashed up as a light of very marked brilliancy. He wasn't as clean as a man ought to have been who once achieved some fame as a soap maker; and his long hair, which was worn that way as an affectation and not a convenience, deserved the reprobation of all right-thinking people, but the man possessed the virtue of purposeful action. He had initiative. He perceived how useful things could be done, and proceeded to do. Let the man have credit for his excellencies, and we can afford to throw the mantle of charity over his infirmities.—Bixby.

HAVE YOU A LITTLE MONEY NOW AND THEN ?

Do you keep it in an absolutely safe place?
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A BETTER ROAD MOVEMENT

Well Attended Meeting at Allen in the Interest of Official Auto Roads. Many Towns Represented

A dozen Wayne citizens went to Allen Friday afternoon to participate in the deliberations of a meeting called to see what could be done in the matter of selecting and improving and marking a permanent or official route for the people who ramble over the county by automobile from Sioux City to Norfolk and from Sioux City to O'Neill. The Allen good road people have been marking the best road between that place and Sioux City and thus offering less excuse for tourists who are supposed to want to pass from Sioux City to the good country this side of Allen to have less excuse to lose the trail and land in either Waterbury or Martinsberg, as several otherwise reputable citizens admitted having done, for the two places last named are wet, and those who go there must need to stop and put on their chains. Hereafter there will be no excuse for such an error.

It was the desire of part of the delegation to have the road mapped out by Allen designated as an official route thus far, then the Norfolk line come south through Wakefield, Wayne, Winside and Hoskins to Norfolk. The other to go west through Dixon, Belden, Laurel and Randolph. After much discussion it was voted to have a committee composed of one member from each interested town to go over proposed routes and report at a meeting to be held at Wayne Wednesday afternoon, June 2d as to the best route.

Some of those on the southern route appeared to favor a route by Emerson and Hubbard rather than by Allen from Wakefield. And a few from the west line were not sure but that they might prefer a route known as the Coleridge road, leading through Martinsberg, Waterbury and Ponca. As this was the first meeting and few if any of those present came with any authority to act in the matter of designating a formal road, all of that part of the business was postponed to await the committee report at the Wayne meeting.

There was much good road talk, and plans laid to organize northeastern Nebraska in the interest of better roads. Secretary Holmes from Sioux City was present and spoke to the meeting, and so did the editor of a good roads and automobile paper and others.

The Allen people gave royal entertainment, their most excellent orchestra and a quartette of male voices providing ample music for the gathering. Lemonade and cigars were in evidence at all times, and aside for the worthy object of the meeting it would have been a pleasure well worth the while to have gone simply for the entertainment.

It is to be hoped that this is the initial step to a system of good automobile roads in this part of Nebraska for the benefit of the tourist and the resident alike. It was decided to organize for future road improvement and adopt a system of marking the roads and so establish some routes as to be able to have them placed on official road maps and given a place in the "Blue Book" which is so universally used by those who tour the country in automobiles. A good road, and one plainly marked is

what the auto tourist wants first and second, and then if it lead in the general direction he wants to go he will follow it.

Come to Wayne June 2d and help to start an organization that will be worth dollars to every property owner along and near the proposed route.

New Books in Library

The following new books have been added to the Wayne library: The Lone Star Ranger—Zane Grey. The Tormoil—Booth Tarkington. Molly—Jean L. DeForest. Jane Stuart's Twin.—Grace Renwick. Hespsey Burke—F. U. Westcote. The Sword of Youth—James L. Allen. Stepdaughters of the Prairie—Margaret Lynn. The Ladder—Philip Curtis. Return of Tarzon—Edgar Rice Burroughs. The Flying U. S. Last Stand—B. M. Bower. Bound in Honor—J. T. Trowbridge. Young Joe and Other Boys—J. T. Trowbridge. The Silver Medal—J. T. Trowbridge. American Boy's Work Shop—C. Kelland. A Dog of Flanders—Ouida. The Uurberg Stove—Ouida. Mrs. Eva Davies, Librarian.

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Board of Equalization

Notice is hereby given that the board of county commissioners, the county assessor and the county clerk will sit as a board of equalization, commencing on Tuesday, the 15th day of June, 1915, for the purpose of reviewing and revising the assessor's books, and hearing any and all complaints regarding the assessment of personal property and additional improvements that have been added since the last assessment.

It is urged that as many of you as can, call and look over your assessment, both real and personal, as this will materially aid us in avoiding any gross errors.

The Board will continue in session for not less than three (3) days, and all complaints or protests must be made at this time.

Witness my hand and seal this 15th day of May, A. D. 1915.

(Seal) CHAS. W. REYNOLDS, County Clerk.

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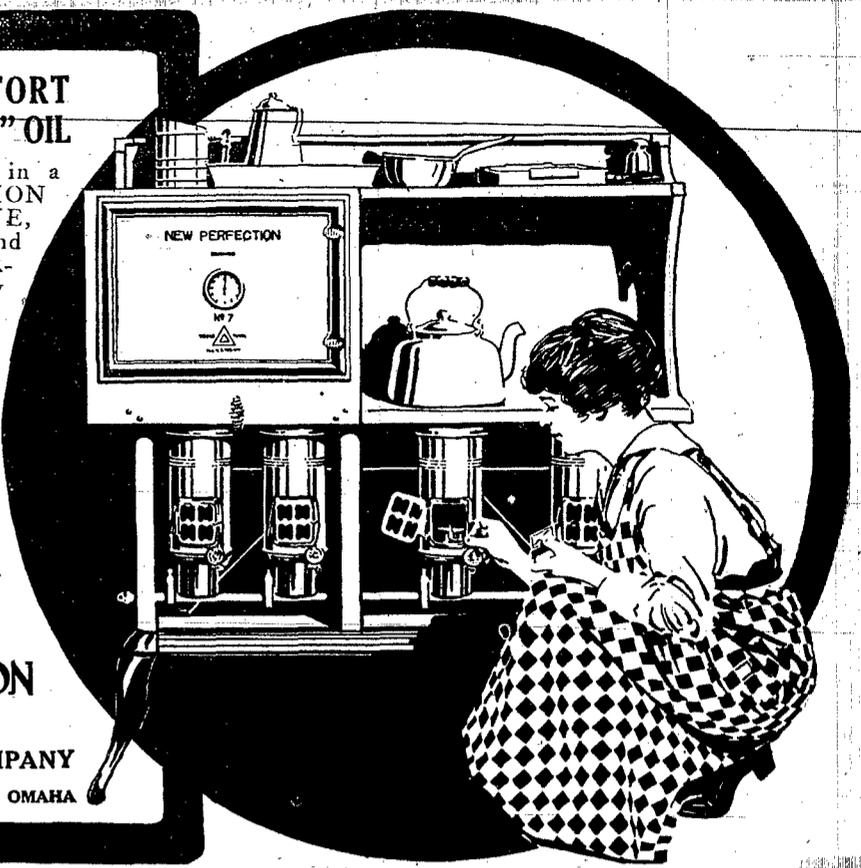
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Moving For a New Constitution

Since the legislature adjourned without giving the people of the state an opportunity to say whether or not they wanted a constitutional convention, as well as neglecting to enact some other laws which those who sent them there expected, there has been much talk of abolishing the senate and taking from the governor the power of veto. The Blair Pilot had the following editorial last week which is an expression of those who would like to see some radical changes:

We have been quite surprised at the number of people who have advocated the abolition of the state senate since the late legislature adjourned. We are not surprised that the senate should be the object of attack, after the rotten work of that body last winter, but rather at the number of prominent men and papers that have advocated the abolition of that useless and obstructive body.

Immediately after the legislature adjourned we sat down and wrote the editorial notes that appeared in these columns last week. They were crowded out for two weeks on account of lack of space, but were in type and what has been said and written by others has corresponded with our ideas almost exactly.

We went just one step farther than most of the others, however, added that the veto power should be taken away from the governor after Governor Morehead's misuse of it in vetoing the Omaha electric light bill.

Senator Quinby, of Omaha, made a speech at the Philosophical society in Omaha recently in which he advocated the abolition of the senate, despite the fact that he served in that body during the recent session of the legislature. You can readily believe he wasn't in sympathy with the majority, the 19 men set up by the brewers and other self-seeking corporations to do their bidding.

There would have been no trouble had the majority been men of the Quinby type. But there's the rub. The senators are so few in number, 33 in all, of which but 17 is a majority, that the special interests find it comparatively easy to pick out enough men to control that body.

The senator from this district, Wallace Wilson, was a good example of this. He was one of the nineteen men who voted against every constitutional amendment, and every progressive measure sent over by the house. He wasn't even willing to allow the people of the state to say whether they wanted to call a constitutional convention. He was simply unspeakably bad, that's all there is to it.

He wasn't known in this county and was elected because he was on the democratic ticket. He is no more of a democrat than Root, Smoot, Aldrich or Boss Barnes is. He is a corporation man from start to finish and the people of this county will know who to steer clear of next time, for it will take some time to abolish the senate.

Representative J. N. Norton, of Polk county, one of the leading candidates for speaker of the house, and one of the really democratic democrats in the house said in a speech before the Noonday Club in Omaha last week:

"I would abolish one branch of the legislature, if I had my way, and that branch would not be the

one in which I served during the last session. The house and the senate prove blocks to each other's progress.

"I would abolish the one and make the other a larger, more representative body.

"I believe a man should be elected to a state or a county office on the opinion he holds on state or on county questions, not on national issues.

"Before we can have progressive legislation in this state, however, we must have a constitutional convention. And to do this, we must defeat the interests that are opposed to progress."

That's straight from the shoulder and he is dead right about it, too. A constitutional convention can be called by a vote of the people through the initiative and referendum law, but it means a lot of work to circulate petitions. Such a move has already been started, however, and the question will be submitted at the next election despite the nineteen corporation tools in the state senate.

A constitutional convention composed of the right kind of men can provide for a unicameral in place of a bicameral legislative body. There's no longer any use of two houses, working over the same material. We don't have but one legislative body in our cities and why do we need it in the state?

One set of men is no better or wiser than the other.

The bicameral legislative body is founded on a fear of the people. Getting the law making as far removed from the people as possible, whereas it should be as near to them as possible.

The same thing is true of the veto power in the hands of the governor. No one man is wiser than the chosen representatives of all the people. If the representatives go wrong the people can send other men to right that wrong next time.

The people have a right to be wrong if they choose, and also the right to suffer for that wrong until they have sense enough to right it. That is pure democracy, government of, for and by the people, which Lincoln stood for.

Prohibition and Political Parties

With respect to the proposition that the democratic party should deal with the prohibition question, President Wilson's position is described in a statement contained in a letter written to a friend, as follows:

"The questions involved are social and moral, and are not susceptible of being made parts of a party program. Whenever they have been made the subject-matter of party contests they have cut the lines of party organizations and party ac-

tion athwart, to the utter confusion of political action in every other field. I do not believe that party programs of the highest consequence to the political life of the state and of the nation ought to be thrust on one side and hopelessly embarrassed for long periods together by making a political issue of a great question which is essentially nonpolitical, nonpartisan, moral and social in its nature."

That is exactly the position The Nebraskan has taken.

It would be better for the prohibitory amendment itself, as well as for the party policy, that neither the republican nor the democratic party should touch this question in its party platform. In this way republicans or democrats may cooperate, regardless of their attitude on the liquor question, in support of the presidential candidate, and the dry republicans and the dry democrats may cooperate on the individual question which is involved in the proposed prohibitory amendment.—Nebraskan.

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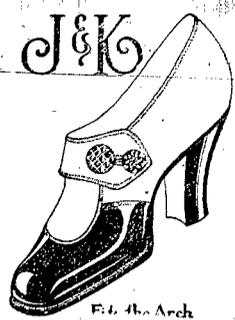
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WAYNE MARKET REPORT

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

Oats	44c
Corn new	64c
Barley	50c
Spring wheat	1.34
Wheat	1.83
Eggs	15c
Butter	25c
Hogs	6.70
Fat Cattle	\$6.50 @ \$7.75

What a fall was that my, friends, when the mercury fell from its perch among the 90's Friday to 32 Sunday morning. But it can almost as quickly climb back again in this land of sunshine and wind.

The automobile is sometimes called an expensive luxury—but it has done enough in the increased interest in better roads to cover a multitude of cost. A good road is a help to everyone whether he travel or not.

A Wyoming ranchman sold a quantity of wool recently at \$1 per pound, and yet there are those who say that free trade in wool will ruin the industry. But this was an extra fleece or so that had a length of wool as much as 12 inches, and it had been two years growing. It is said that there is an unlimited demand for long wool at the price of \$1.00 per pound, if the sheep men will take the trouble to produce that kind of wool; yet our friend Gustafson will stand up and maintain that the farmer is spoiling prices by producing too large a crop. We maintain that there is little if any danger of production becoming so great as to bring the price below the point where a wage and profit may be made if more attention shall be given to quality and diversity of crop and the proper search for the natural market for the product. So many farmers are so busy trying to crop 160 acres or perhaps twice that amount that they do not give the proper attention to finding the best market for their crop—nor do they seek to find out what crop will likely have the best market. There is a situation right here at Wayne this season that should have been prevented, and could have been with a bit of study and co-operation. Few, if any, question that the price of good horses will range high for several years to come—yet the farmers of this vicinity are not planning to raise colts to half the extent that it seems would be profitable. Had they been properly organized the fact that but two stable horses and no jacks are in service here this season would have been known in time to have made a great difference in the increase of good horses. Other instances might easily be sighted.

COMMENCEMENT WEEK AT WAYNE NORMAL SCHOOL

Next Week a Busy Time at Normal, Baccalaureate Services Sunday Night. Class Play on Tuesday Night

The Fifth Annual Commencement of the Wayne State Normal School will open on Sunday, May 23, and the entire week will be crowded full of events that will be of interest not only to the citizens of Wayne but to the people of north-east Nebraska.

The class was fortunate in arrangements made for the baccalaureate services. Dr. F. L. Wharton is Lincoln's most popular pulpit orator. He has held the pastorate of large churches in the East and has frequent calls to fill engagements on the lecture platform.

Friday, May 28, will be the big day. Forty-nine young men and young women, the largest class in the history of the school, will be graduated from the higher course. The magnificent new administration building will be open for the occasion and the first public exercises held in the auditorium, a room that is a model for convenience, comfort, and architectural beauty. Hon. Gilbert M. Hitchcock, our commencement orator, has a national reputation. He is an eloquent and forceful speaker, and his presence in Wayne on class day makes the event of more than ordinary interest. At this time also will be announced the winner of the "Mines Gold Medal" and the "Frank S. Morgan Cup".

With the exceptions of the class play, which will be given under the auspices of the senior class, no admission fee will be charged for any of the exercises of the school, and a most cordial invitation is extended the public to be present. The complete program for the week follows:

Baccalaureate Service

At First Baptist Church, Sunday, May 23, at eight p. m.
Music.....Mrs. E. A. Johnson
"They That Wait Upon the Lord".....Men's Chorus
Invocation.....Rev. B. P. Richardson
"He, Watching Over Israel" (Elijah).....Choir
Scripture Lesson.....Rev. S. X. Cross
"Hark, Hark, My Soul".....Men's Chorus
Sermon.....Dr. Fletcher L. Wharton
"Cast Thy Burden Upon the Lord" (Elijah).....Choir
Benediction.....Rev. R. Moehring

Philomathean-Crescent Literary Societies

At the Normal Chapel, Monday, May 24, eight, p. m.
Mixed Quartet—Miss Graves, Miss Sabin, Mr. Rogers, Mr. Hickman
Reading.....Miss Carroll
Oration.....Mr. Linton
Cornet Solo.....Mr. Rogers
Reading.....Mr. Mayfield
Ladies' Quartet—Misses Sabin, Graves, Hughes, Oman.
Piano Duet.....Misses Hoogner and Donelson
Antomine.....Boys of West Hall

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- White Wash Skirts \$1.25 to \$2.50
Made of Pique and Duck.
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- Pretty Gingham House Dresses \$1.50
New ones—just from the factory.
- Children's Dresses 50c to \$3.00
Hundreds to choose from.
- White Shirt Waists at \$1.25
Dozens of pretty new styles.

Senior Class Play

"Mice and Men", by Madeleine Lucette Ryley Tuesday, May 25, at eight p. m.

Characters:

Mark Embury.....Elmer Rogers
Roger Goodlake.....Ray Hickman
Captain George Lovell.....Robert Berrie
Sir Harry Trimblestone.....Ray Ash
Kit Baringer.....Raymond Fox
Peter.....Ralph Moore
Joanna Goodlake.....Ethel Garwood
Mrs. Deborah.....Elsa Luers
Peggy.....Ruth Sherbahn
Matron.....Eva Graves
Beadle.....Harold Plymmer
Molly.....Ruth White
Ten Girls—Misses Carroll, Stevenson, Winter, Heckert, Aron, O'Neill, Relyea, Jeannette Jensen, Aleta Jensen, Cella Gildersleeve.
Professor C. U. Keckley, Director of Play.

Commencement Concert

"Martha, or The Fair at Richmond" at Auditorium, Wednesday, May 26, eight p. m.

Characters:

Lady Harriet Durham.....Grace Adams
Nancy, her friend.....Ina Hughes
Sir Tristan Mickleford, her cousin.....J. J. Coleman
Lionel, a wealthy farmer.....E. E. Lackey
Plunkett, a wealthy farmer.....E. R. Rogers
The Sheriff of Richmond.....J. G. W. Lewis
Farmers and Maidservants. Chorus
Rachel Fairchild, Accompanist.
Eva Graves, Leader.
J. J. Coleman, Director.
Opera Sung in Concert Form.

School and Inter-Class Field Day

At Athletic Field, Thursday, May 27, 1:30 p. m.
Boys:—100-yard dash, 220-yard dash, shot put, high jump, half mile run, hammer throw, broad jump, discus throw, one mile relay (four mixed doubles men teams).
Girls:—50-yard dash, baseball throw.

School Championship, Tennis: Tennis singles (boys), tennis doubles (boys), tennis singles (girls). A cash prize of one dollar for a first place in each of the above events will be offered, except in the tennis doubles, when the winners must divide the prize. Only regularly enrolled Normal students are permitted to enter the event. Not more than five prizes will be awarded to any one person.

Alumni Reunion and Banquet

Thursday, May 27. Alumni Reunion, at the auditorium at 7 p. m., and Alumni Banquet at Normal dining hall, at 8 p. m., Superintendent C. L. Culler, Toastmaster.
Welcome to Class of 1915.....Edith E. Beechel
Response.....Ray Hickman
The East and West.....Chas. R. Chinn
Practice vs. Theory.....Conrad Jacobson
Address.....S. Xenophon Cross

Graduating Exercises

At New Auditorium, Friday, May 28, ten a. m.

Processional (Turkish March)

Mrs. House, Miss Beith, Misses Gildersleeve, Sutton.
"The Stars and Stripes Forever".....Men's Chorus
Invocation.....Rev. A. S. Buell
Vocal Duet.....Mrs. A. R. Davis
Address.....Hon. G. M. Hitchcock
Bridal Chorus from "Lohengrin".....Men's Chorus
Awarding of the "Mines Gold Medal" and "Frank S. Morgan Cup".
Presentation of Diplomas and Certificates.....Pres. U. S. Conn
Benediction.....Rev. F. E. Blessing

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Students who will receive diploma leading to professional life certificate:

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Hon. Gilbert M. Hitchcock
Commencement Orator at Normal
Friday, May 28, at ten a. m.

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NEBRASKA NEWS

Aeroplane Contest Is Planned For National Guard.

SEVEN EXPERTS NOW MEMBERS

Mayor Bryan Names Representative Peterson as City Attorney—Commissioner Wright Changes Police Chief. Larkin Would Re-enter Cochran Case.

Lincoln, May 18.—Adjutant General Hall of the Nebraska national guard has received a letter from the National Aeroplane Club of America, inviting him to send representatives of the national guard who are interested in the use of aeroplanes for war purposes, to the national meeting, which will be held in Chicago, beginning July 4 and extending to Oct. 12.

It is expected that at least 150 aeroplanes will be used in the contests which are to be given and about \$150,000 in prizes will be awarded to winners. The club urges that the general take the matter up with Governor Morehead and that a sentiment be created through the newspapers so that subscriptions may be made to buy aeroplanes for the Nebraska national guard.

However, the Nebraska national guard is already equipped with two aeroplanes and has seven men who are expert drivers of the machines, so that should the national guard of this state desire to enter the contests they are equipped to do so.

The general also received a communication from Wisconsin asking that the matter be taken up with Governor Morehead so that permission can be given the Northwestern Military academy of that state to send its automobile battery through this state. The battery is composed of eight war automobiles, fully equipped for war purposes, and is making the trip through several western states in order to give the organization drill in overland work.

New Millionaire to Build Warship. Lincoln's newly discovered millionaire, who was found working as a section hand, proposes to build a battleship as soon as he gains possession of his fortune and to avenge the sinking of the Lusitania. He will be the captain of the warship.

It has been discovered that this latest subject for the income tax collector is a man of considerable importance, whose real name is Captain James Alfred Trevelyan Bourne, and that he served as an officer in the British army. He is a descendant of Baron Rathoe and entitled to the title. Besides the \$7,500,000 which falls to him in Australia, he is heir to other estates which total over \$100,000,000.

Larkin Would Re-enter Case.

J. A. Larkin of Pender made application before the supreme court for reinstatement as attorney in the case of the state against Jesse Cochran, accused of the murder of J. F. Jump in Thurston county. Larkin had been denied the right to appear for the state in the case against Cochran for the reason that he was interested in the divorce proceedings of the Cochrans. The application was in the nature of a mandamus to compel Judge Graves of that district to reinstate him in the case. A former judge had barred him from the case, but Judge Graves had reinstated him and later barred him.

Mayor Bryan Names Peterson Attorney. Mayor Charles W. Bryan appointed C. Petrus Peterson city attorney. Mr. Peterson represented Lancaster county in the last legislature and is a Republican.

Commissioner John Wright, in charge of the department of public safety, appointed Deputy Sheriff H. H. Antles chief of detectives, which position will take the place of chief of police.

Commissioner Schroeder placed a new man at the head of the water department in place of James Tyler, who has had the position twenty years. Paul Doerr, a former assistant, is given the place.

All Must Have Licenses.

Miss Anna Whalen, stenographer in the office of the state game warden, issued a hunting and fishing license to Colonel Gus Rutenbeck, state game warden. A great many people had wondered whether the game warden was required to take out a license the same as any other individual, but Miss Whalen says that when it comes to this proposition, the game warden is no better than a newspaper man, a banker, or a burglar.

Banquet Tendered Commander Palmer. A banquet and reception was tendered Commander in Chief Palmer of the Grand Army of the Republic at the Lindell hotel by the Grand Army of the Republic, Sons of Veterans and their auxiliaries. State Commander Durand was present and welcomed General Palmer.

Another Denial Entered.

The application of Victor Wilson to the state railway commission for a rehearing on the application of the Polk County Telephone company for permission to raise rates, which was denied by the commission some time ago, has been denied by the board.

Blow to Jitney Bus.

The jitney bus operation has been crippled here, due to the city commission passing an ordinance requiring a bond of \$10,000 from each proprietor and in addition a license running from \$30 a year to \$100, according to the seating capacity of the car.

WHEAT CROP ABOVE AVERAGE

Little Damage Has Been Done by Hessian Fly or Chinch Bug.

Omaha, May 18.—The Burlington's crop and soil report for the week indicates that throughout Nebraska small grain has maintained the excellent condition that has marked its growth during the entire spring. After securing data from all the stations in Nebraska on the system, the compilation shows that on each and every division the condition is far ahead of the ten-year average for May 15.

At a few points in the Wymore division and over in Kansas in the vicinity of Concordia it is reported that the Hessian fly has done some damage in isolated spots. However, these spots are not numerous and do not cover a large area. Around Falls City, Humboldt, Beatrice and Filley the chinch bugs have appeared in a few fields, but up to this time have not caused any serious damage.

Oats and other varieties of small grain are asserted to be in the best possible condition, with prospects never better. Corn planting in the southern part of the state is practically finished and is well along farther north. The first crop of alfalfa is being cut and is yielding well.

DENTISTS MEET IN OMAHA

Specialists From Chicago Lecture on Subjects of General Interest.

Omaha, May 18.—The forty-eighth annual meeting of the Nebraska Dental society opened at the Fontenelle hotel.

Upward of 250 dentists from all over the state are present, many of them bringing their wives.

The president, Dr. W. A. McHenry of Nelson, delivered the annual address this morning.

One of the big questions to be decided at the convention is a change in the constitution, providing for societies to be organized in every county of the state, instead of in each of the congressional districts, as at present.

The first of a series of progressive lectures by Chicago specialists began at the afternoon session in the Creighton Dental college.

TWO NEW BANKS CHARTERED

Emerald and Chalco Each to Have New State Banking Institution.

Lincoln, May 18.—Two new banks have been chartered by the state banking board and another application approved. The application of the Pender State bank to change from a national bank, formerly running as the Pender National, has been approved by the board. Capital stock of the bank will be \$50,000, as formerly.

The Emerald State bank has been authorized to do business with a capital stock of \$10,000.

The German-American State bank of Chalco has been given a charter with a capital of \$10,000.

Scheme of Beckman.

Land Commissioner Fred Beckman has a scheme to help out the growing of trees in the western part of the state. At the present time the gutters and curb lines are filled with ash, maple and box elder seeds which have fallen from the trees which line the Lincoln streets. They can be scooped up by the basket fulls and the land commissioner believes that it would be a good plan to gather up the seed in sacks and send them to portions of Nebraska where tree planting and tree growing ought to be pushed and spread them over the ground.

Child Is Burned to Death.

Lindsay, Neb., May 18.—A three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Roberts, living near here, was burned to death. Mr. and Mrs. Roberts had built a fire in the range and then gone to do the chores, leaving the two little girls in bed. While they were out the little girl got up and dressed, and in some way her clothing caught fire, for when they returned to the house she was on the floor with the clothing burned off. She died in an hour.

Young Draper Bound Over.

Beatrice, Neb., May 18.—Oscar Draper, charged with stealing sixteen cases of eggs from Swift & Co.'s plant here, was bound over to the district court. In default of \$1,000 bond, he was remanded to the county jail. Draper, who is nineteen years old, recently fell heir to \$8,000 through the death of a relative at Wichita. His allowance has been \$30 monthly.

Session Laws Ready First of July.

Secretary of State Pool desires to correct statements published in some state papers that the 1915 session laws would be ready by June 1. It is possible that a few may be ready by June 15, but there is no assurance of that, according to the secretary. The contract calls for delivery by July 1, and they will be ready at that time.

Nebraska City Boy Fatally Shot.

Nebraska City, May 18.—Two sons of John Roll, a farmer residing south of the city, were fooling with a rifle, while their parents were away from home, and the gun was accidentally discharged. The ball entered the back of the head of the youngest brother, twelve years old. There is no hope for his recovery.

Child Killed in Auto Upset.

Beatrice, Neb., May 18.—The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. John Jalinek of Swanton, Neb., was killed and Mr. and Mrs. Jalinek and two children and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Jiskra more or less seriously injured when their touring car overturned a few miles south of Swanton.

Among the Churches of Wayne

German Lutheran Church
Rev. Moehring, Pastor

We celebrate Pentecost next Sunday. Services will begin at 10:30 o'clock. The holy communion will be administered. No Sunday school.

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

Those present last Sunday morning report an unusually helpful message when Miss Troutman of Topeka, Kansas, spoke in the interest of the Womans' Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Rev. S. X. Gross delivered the Baccalaureate sermon for the high school graduating class in the Methodist church Sunday evening to a large and appreciative audience. He said that we should test things by the standards revealed in the bible and ascribe worth to things in the light of their eternal values. It was a very helpful message and might prove profitable advice for others as well as for the high school graduates. Two anthems were splendidly rendered by the large choir. The choir has the habit of keeping the music end of the services up in splendid shape.

Annual Memorial services will be held in the Methodist church next Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. The sermon will be preached by the pastor. Seats will be reserved for the members of the G. A. R. and relief organizations.

There will be no evening service on account of the union baccalaureate service for the Wayne Normal College graduates in the Baptist church, Fletcher L. Wharton D. D. of Lincoln preaching the sermon.

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

We are glad to report splendid progress in the home department of our Sunday school. Miss Elsie Gilbert and her helper are pushing the work with a fine spirit. This will bring cheer and help to a good many of our "shut ins".

A ball nine is being organized out of the Boy Scouts. They are working hard at the game. Other teams from the other churches are being formed, and some lively games are to be played during the summer months. Let the community center its base ball interest in these boys. It will pay.

The pastor was called to Hartington last Saturday to conduct the funeral service of Mrs. Jones, the mother of Mrs. Fred Kimball.

Sunday morning the subject of the sermon will be: "The Real Test of a Man".

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

In the evening the baccalaureate services of the Normal will be held in the church. This will be a union service of all the churches. Dr. Fletcher L. Wharton, of Lincoln will be the preacher.

Tomorrow (Friday) afternoon, the prayer circle will meet with Mrs. Rickabaugh. Last week there were fifteen present. These meetings are full of interest and helpfulness.

In the midst of all your going do not forget to go to the Wednesday evening prayer meeting. If you can attend this meeting, you should for two reasons—your need and your duty.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

(Rev. Blessing, Pastor.)

Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Luther League at seven o'clock.

Union service at the Baptist church at 8 o'clock.

Next Sunday is Whitsunday or Pentecost. Pentecost marks the beginning of the definite temporal ministry of the Holy Ghost. True, the Holy Ghost had been in the world before the time of the first day of Pentecost, acting in creation and in inspiring the prophets. As Christ had an earthly ministry that began at Bethlehem and ended at Olivet, so the Holy Spirit, in His turn, has a definite temporal ministry, that began at pentecost. As the cradle in Bethlehem contained the infant Jesus, so the upper room was the cradle of the infant church. One was the birthplace of the Body, so that Augustine very rightly called Pentecost the "Birthday of the Holy Ghost".

The subject of the sermon for Sunday morning will be "The Spirit Filled Life"—Acts 2:4.

The subject for discussion at Luther League will be "The Holy Spirit as Fire"—Acts 2:1-3.

Last Thursday afternoon some of the ladies of the church met and organized a "Womans' Home and Foreign Missionary Society". The ladies are very much interested in their work and will hold their first regular meeting June 3d. The book used as the basis of study is called "In Red Man's Land". The following officers were elected:

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The Ladies Aid Society will meet at the parsonage on next Thursday afternoon.

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

Presbyterian Church
(Rev. S. Xenophon Cross, Pastor)

We wish to quote the following from an open letter sent out by the Church Efficiency Bureau:

"Do it now! Make plans to begin an efficiency movement in your church, better still, for all the churches of your community. Inaugurate a new era in methods and management by such enlistment of every member for definite and effective service, such new ideals and methods, such co-ordination of all lines of activity, as shall secure the utmost of harmony, team work, up-to-date efficiency, and spiritual and material results extensively and intensively.

"How to begin. Expert aid is absolutely essential for the best results. If farmers and auto owners had relied entirely on their own skill experiences, how long would it have required to attain present stages of progress in these lines? Just so, he who has specialized in church management and efficiency, has studied hundreds of churches at first hand, has mastered principles and observed methods as to every type of church and church problems, can render untold help in surveying possibilities and needs, problems and difficulties, forces and resources; and in planning and organizing and advancing and inspiring.

"The church efficiency bureau can help you. It is instituted to do for churches of all denominations in the central west what experts are doing for farmers.

"Scientific agricultural experts we know; electrical, banking brick-laying and mail-driving experts we know and their wonderful achievements. Hasten the coming of Efficiency Experts in the greatest work, the coming of Christ.

"And He gave some to be apostles, prophets, evangelists, pastors and teachers—and some missionaries, editors, social workers, soulwinners, good janitors, college presidents—and some to be church efficiency experts."

An Old Blackhills Warehouse

In Sidney, Nebraska, is located a unique old building which dates back to 1870. Although humble in its appearance, it is one of the historic buildings of the western part of Nebraska, as it played an important part in the early development of the Black Hill country. All freight to the Black Hills in the early days was taken from this building. It is said by old settlers that very often as many as a hundred ox teams were lined up in front of this warehouse waiting to be loaded with freight for the Black Hills. According to tradition, the old vault which still remains in the building has often contained as much as \$300,000 worth of gold dust stored away waiting for shipment. The Sidney Transfer and Implement House occupies the

building at the present time.

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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.

It is said that the first hospital ever built in America was erected 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.

Napoleon and the Steamboat.

Fulton's first steamboat before its trial was looked upon by many of the wisecracks of the time as the freakiest of all freaks. Napoleon Bonaparte scoffed at Fulton's apparent vagaries. Later, however, when looking from the height of the barren rock of St. Helena he saw a funnel emerge from the sea, with a trail of black smoke curling along the horizon, he turned to Count Montholon and said: "It was I, and not Fulton, who was crazy. Had I listened to him I should not now be here."—Youth's Companion.

Origin of "Red Tapes."

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 undoing 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 speeding 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.

Too Suggestive.

"Uncle," said the impetuous 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.

WAR NEWS SUMMARIZED

Victories in the west for the allies and a continuation of the Austro-German drive of the Russians in the east are chronicled in the latest of fiscal reports of the various war chancelleries.

Two miles of German trenches captured by the British first army in the region of Richebourg L'Avoue the taking of a large number of German prisoners and the annihilation of one German contingent numbering several hundred men by their own artillery fire, are recorded by Field Marshal Sir John French and the Paris war office in announcing a further success for the British arms in France, a short distance north of La Bassece.

German positions, according to Paris, have been taken in the Ailly wood, and German attacks near Berry Ail-Bac and on the outskirts of the forest of Le Pretre were arrested by the fire of the French, while to the west of the Yser canal, in Belgium, German positions have been evacuated owing to threatened enveloping movements.

Final decision of Italy whether it will enter into the war is still being withheld.

A Berlin dispatch asserts the Russians have suffered very heavy losses in Galicia, notwithstanding their denials.

A further Austrian advance in Galicia is announced in an official statement issued at Vienna. The Austrians have captured Drohabyec, in central Galicia, about forty miles southwest of Lemberg.

Clashes between Austrian and Italian frontier guards are reported. News dispatches from the border say an uprising has occurred in Trieste, one of the principal Austrian cities claimed by Italy. A crowd, composed largely of women, became so violent in anti-Austrian demonstrations that it was charged by troops, occasioning the death of forty-seven women and injury of more than 300.

Unrest in Asiatic Turkey during the war has resulted in further attacks by Turks and Kurds on the Armenians. The Russian consul at Urumiah, Persia, states that 6,000 Armenians have been massacred at Van.

The Russian naval attaché in London announces that on May 15 the Russian Black sea fleet destroyed four steamers, coal laden, two tugs and twenty sailing ships.

A German Zeppelin cruising in the neighborhood of Brussels was suddenly surrounded and attacked by twenty-seven British aeroplanes. During a spirited fight it received several mortal wounds and fell. All the crew of sixty were killed. Two aeroplanes were destroyed by the Zeppelin's guns.

A Zeppelin airship coming from the channel flew over Callas, France. It dropped bombs on various quarters of the city, killing two children and wounding one woman. The property damage was slight. After its raid the Zeppelin sailed away in the direction of the sea.

The archbishop of Canterbury in a letter to Premier Asquith, and the bishop of London in a sermon, have appealed to the British government not to make reprisals against Germany for the use of asphyxiating gases by authorizing the army to adopt similar means of attack.

Aviators of the allies have inflicted damage amounting to more than \$2,000,000 to the tanneries at Strassburg, which are working on material for the German army.

Advices have been received from Mytilene to the effect that furious fighting continues in the Dardanelles and that the Turkish losses have been extremely heavy.

Reports were current again that the German cruiser Karlsruhe was coming up the lane used by the German raiders Kronprinz Wilhelm and Prinz Eitel Friedrich to a haven of safety at Hampton Roads.

A representative of a London paper describes a trip he made around Germany, in the course of which he visited several camps where war prisoners are interned. The principal complaint of the Britishers was the insufficiency of the food.

Allies have captured the towns of Canzyre and parts of Ablain, St. Nazaire and Neuville St. Vaast. German losses are tremendous.

Pursuit of the Russians in the Galician and Carpathian campaign continues, according to Berlin, with the capture of large numbers of men and quantities of war materials.

Petrograd says the fighting in western Galicia is decreasing in intensity and that the Russian offensive farther south, along the Dnieper river, is meeting with continued success, with heavy losses to the Teutons.

Of the fighting in the Baltic provinces of Russia, Berlin declares the situation remains the same, but Petrograd avers that German attacks in the region of Shavli have been repulsed and that farther south, along the Dubissa river, a German position was taken.

Another battleship, the Goliath, the third that the British have lost since the attack on the Dardanelles began, has been torpedoed by the Turks, and of the crew of 700 or more only 180, including twenty officers, were saved.

A British submarine, in a daring dash through the straits into the Sea of Marmora, torpedoed two Turkish gunboats and a large transport. Another big battle has been added to those taking place in Flanders and western Galicia, the Russians having taken the offensive in eastern Galicia, Bukowina and along the Dnieper river.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Otto Voget was here from Norfolk the first of the week visiting relatives.

Phil Sullivan purchased a ticket Sunday morning that took him to Kansas City.

Miss Millie Newman from east of Wayne went to Omaha Wednesday on a business mission.

Thos. Rawlings was over from Wakefield Wednesday transacting business with Wayne people.

I have an iron folding bed for sale. Mrs. W. E. Winterringer, two blocks west of First National Bank.—adv.

Miss Della Abbott has received notice of her election to a place among the teachers at Alliance for the coming school year.

Miss Luella Bunt from Huron, South Dakota, came this week to visit at the home of her friends, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Denbeck.

Raymond Forney, who works for his brother on the Newman farm east of Wayne, went to Tabor, Iowa, Wednesday to visit home folks.

August Kay is hauling building material from Wayne to his farm a few miles southeast, for a new barn and an addition to his house.

Mrs. Jake Weis from Geneva, who has been here visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Baroch, returned home the first of the week.

Mrs. Chas McLeod from Sioux Falls, South Dakota, spent Monday night at the home of her brother, C. A. Chace, while on her way to visit at Stanton.

Miss Lela Peck from Coleridge stopped here Tuesday to visit at the home of R. R. Smith and family, while returning from a visit at Winside.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis LaRue from Wall Lake, Iowa, came Tuesday to visit her mother, Mrs. Dean and her sister, Mrs. Chas. Grothe, and with other friends.

Rev. A. S. Buell has been in Wakefield, Dakota City, Homer and South Sioux City this week assisting in the Nebraska Wesleyan forward movement campaign.

Mrs. L. A. Fanske and children left Wednesday morning for a month visit with her sister at Chicago, stopping the day with her mother at Sioux City on her way.

Judge A. Welch and Clerk Reporter Ellis are at Stanton this week, where the judge is presiding over the sessions of the May term of the district court in and for that county.

Mesdames Buell and L. C. Gildersleeve and Miss Bressler went to Winside Wednesday as delegates to a district convention of the W. F. M. society, which is in session there this week.

For June 11th the Epworth League and the Young People's class in the Methodist Sunday school are planning a fine social which will include the regular reception to the Normal students. Watch for further announcements.

Mrs. Nettie Conover went to Rochester, Minnesota, Sunday to consult the Mayo Brothers at that place in regard to her health and remain for treatment. Her son Ned accompanied her and will remain with her during her stay there.

James E. Harmon left Wednesday to spend the summer with relatives at Fort Collins, Colorado. Mr. Harmon was in that state last summer and likes it well there, so decided to make a return visit this summer instead of going to Europe and hobnobbing with the Kaiser. Fishing is better in Colorado anyhow.

2500 people wanted to get their meals and lunches at the Calumet, on the corner, during Carnival week. We will be prepared to serve you with anything you may desire. The best of steaks, pork chops, roast beef, roast pork, fish, sandwiches of all kinds, pie, cake, etc. Remember we serve regular meals or short orders. The Calumet, on the corner.—adv.

W. M. Wheeler from Lincoln is here visiting at the home of his brother-in-law, E. W. Huse and wife. Mr. Wheeler formerly lived in this part of the state and for a time guided the destinies of the Republican at Wakefield, but for a number of years has been in the employ of the state at Lincoln. He now thinks of again engaging in newspaper work, if the suitable opportunity presents itself.

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C. Clasen was home from Akron, Iowa, Sunday. Mrs. C. went to Sioux City Saturday to meet him there.

J. S. Dean and wife from Ruthvan, Iowa, came the first of the week to visit here at the home of their son, F. R. Dean and family.

Del Strickland went to Chicago Saturday, going in with a car of horses for Frank Strahan, to care for them enroute and sell them for the owner. Mr. Strahan grows some good horses and supplies many for the home market besides what he ships.

J. E. Hostettler and family left Tuesday to visit relatives and friends in the southern part of the state. They will attend commencement at Chester, where his sister's children—three of them—are in the graduating class. They will also visit at Superior and other points.

Mrs. E. A. Surber and little daughter went to Sioux City Wednesday to visit Mr. Surber, who has been there for the past two weeks with eye trouble. He was reported to be showing marked improvement during the past day or two, and hopes soon to be able to come home and go in for treatment as needed.

At the close of this week Frank Whitney, who has for the past several years been foreman at the Herald, begins a four month vacation. On the theory that a change of work is as good as a rest, he will go with the Savidge Carnival company for the season, and expects to return in the fall to resume his position. F. L. Jacobic from Oklahoma began work this week as his successor for the vacation period.

The Central market has added an electric meat slicer to their equipment, and it certainly works fine. It is adjustable so that meats may be sliced any desired thickness or perhaps thinness is the better word. When at the World Fair at Chicago living on sandwiches made by those who held the right to rob the people on what they bought in the enclosure we often wondered how they managed to cut the slices so thin. We venture that a ham would furnish the "filling" for at least 250 sandwiches; and the bread on either side was not much thicker. But then the Central sells what they shave by the pound, so it makes no difference how thin is the wafer.

Henry Gorman, formerly of this county, but now a resident of Harold, South Dakota, was here Tuesday greeting a few former acquaintances. In addition to his farm operations there he has been elected county commissioner, on the democratic ticket, and does a large business in buying and shipping horses. He had a load of horses with him here. He reports a good crop last season in his country, and a good prospect this spring for another one. He said that it had been too wet.

Dr. T. T. Jones went to Des Moines Tuesday for the double purpose of meeting with the directors of the Still Osteopathic School, of whom he is one, at their annual meeting for the election of officers of the corporation; and also to attend the annual sessions of the Iowa Osteopathic association. At the latter meeting he is to have a part on the program, giving a paper on "Constipation, Causes and Treatment." He expects to return home today.

FOUND---A Man in the street with His Neck Broken!

It was discovered that he was trying to be the FIRST man of the great crowd at the Wayne Feed Mill to the

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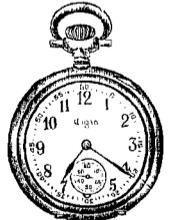
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- Cup Baked Veal, (Martie De'Hotel)
- Vegetables—
- Creamed, Whipped or Parrisence Potatoes
- Scalped Corn June Peas
- Desert—
- Fosyem Fruit Juice
- Pie—
- Fresh Apple or Cream and Chocolate
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- After Dinner Mints
- Ice Tea Coffee Milk

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Everything in jewelry for the Graduate
 We are making **SPECIAL PRICES** on WATCHES



- Gent's 18s Elgin.....\$4.75
- Gent's 16s Elgin only.... 5.50
- Gent's 18s Elgin, 15j.... 6.50
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 Jeweler and Optician
 Private room for optics.

Phone your order to this store and get the service. Kerosene and gasoline delivered at seven and twelve cent per gallon. This system assists the tank wagons in routing their deliveries. Ralph Rundell, phone 68.—adv.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Elsie Ford Piper went to Sioux City Saturday.
 SPORT SHIRTS \$1.00 and \$1.50 at Morgan's Toggery.—adv.
 Fresh Strawberries and Holsum bread every day at Rundell's.—adv.
 Jay Baughan went to Lincoln Sunday to visit home folks a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Lane have moved into a house on west 7th street.
 Miss Mabel Clark returned to Omaha Wednesday following a visit with friends here.

Mrs. Walter McLaughlin went to Emerson Wednesday to visit home folks a few days.
 Security Calf Food, Gall Cure and Creso Dip are in demand. Rundell's Grocery.—adv.

There will be a good roads meeting in the city hall in this city at 2:30 Saturday afternoon.
 Dressed ducks and chickens for Saturday at the Wayne Meat Market. Phone No. 9.—adv.
 Let me order your Palm Beach suit now. Prices \$8.50 to \$20.00. Morgan's Toggery.—adv.

Mrs. Pryor was called to Waterloo, Iowa, Wednesday to attend the funeral of a brother-in-law.
 Kerosene and gasoline, 50 gallon lots 7c and 12c per gallon delivered. Phone 68. Rundell's.—adv.

The place to buy the articles that we demonstrated is **BEAMAN'S**. We will have our recipes ready Saturday, ask for them. Regular Jell whippers 10c.

John L. Soules was at Omaha the first of the week, having business at the Federal court in session there.

Miss Harris, who has been trimming at the Miss Temple millinery, returned to her home at Chicago today.

Mrs. H. Bluechel came over from Norfolk this morning to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Meister.

Geo. Mellor from Malvern, Iowa, is here visiting his brother and looking after his land interests in this county.

Try some real home-killed, corn-fed beef from the Wayne Meat Market, next to city hall. Phone No. 9.—adv.

Miss Ruth Hoyman returned to her home at Omaha last week. She has been trimming at the millinery parlor of Miss Grace.

A bunch of Emerson boosters were here Friday, coming in 20 automobiles to announce their May Festival, which is to be held Saturday.

Emerson people are taking active steps to show the merits of a good Sioux City-Norfolk road through their place. It all helps to awaken road interest.

BEAMAN'S Demonstration Day is real proof of Real Grocery Service. Your regular patronage is the proof we ask to show your appreciation.

Mrs. Auker went to Omaha this morning, accompanying her daughter, Mrs. Merchant and baby, who go to consult a specialist regarding the little one.

Miss Goldie Chace, who has been attending school in Washington, D. C., will return home Saturday from Lincoln where she has been visiting her sister, Miss Marguerite.

Try some of our nice boiled ham, dried beef, minced ham and bacon, sliced on our new electric sanitary slicer. Costs no more and goes much farther. Two phones, 66-67, Central Market.—adv.

Few opportunities are offered auto owners to secure No. 1 auto oil. Our auto-oil has a high fire test and takes care of its own carbon. We are supplying a majority of the auto owners of Wayne territory. There is a reason. It will pay you to investigate. Ralph Rundell.—adv.

Word has been received from Homer Wheaton, who is at a Sioux City hospital that he is on the road to recovery, and is now able to set up or sit down, whichever is correct, and take nourishment. He is of the opinion that he has had his share of pain and hopes to be free from suffering once he is up and about—then he said something about Sherman's definition of war, and wondered if it was worse than his experience.

Pears, peaches and apricots, 2 cans 25c. Rundell's.—adv.

Don't forget to order fresh fish any day in the week at the Central Market. Two phones, 66-67.—adv.

Let'er rain! We need it and one of Morgan's rain-coats will keep you dry. The're \$5.00 and up.—adv.

Mrs. A. H. Owens of Carroll went to Craig this morning to visit her husband, who is depot agent at that place. They will move there shortly.

Dr. J. T. House of the college faculty was at Hoskins last evening giving an address before the pupil and patrons of the school at their commencement time.

Having secured the services of an A. No. 1 chef and baker am prepared to cater to all classes of trade. Our specialties are homemade pastry and steaks, chops, and fish. Wayne visitors are invited to our place during carnival week. We aim to give satisfaction to all. Remember this place for quick service. The Calumet.—adv.

Mrs. Earl Merchant was at Sioux City last week to consult a physician regarding the baby, an enlarged gland having developed on the thorax. It was pronounced to be something that usually yields readily to treatment, and is considered of more annoyance than danger. They will visit a specialist at Omaha shortly for treatment.

The Young People's class of the Methodist Sunday school had a splendid indoor picnic in the church dining room Tuesday afternoon. The room was decorated with tree bows, giving it the appearance of a picnic grove. The picnic supper proved to be quite an elaborate affair. Young people not in other Sunday school classes are wanted in this class. Come next Sunday.

While the Democrat man was out snooping around Saturday afternoon to see who was doing the business on such a windy day it was noticed that not many people were on the street. But it was not pleasant out. Some of the stores were busy, others not so badly rushed. But there was one place busy all of the time—that was at the Beaman store, where a well-advertised and well managed demonstration was being conducted. Mr. Beaman had secured a jello proposition which looked good to him, and had thoroughly advertised it with the

BEAMAN wishes to thank you for so generously responding to his invitation to Demonstration Day. It was a Grand Success.

result that a large number of women and not a few men were there testing the product of jello as a delicious dessert—and the women learning the simple process by which these delicacies could be made. It was to many a housewife a revelation in the art of economically preparing dainty dishes which amply repaid them for the time spent.

Junior-Senior Banquet

One of the most pleasant and high class events of the school year was the junior-senior banquet, given in the gymnasium of the State Normal school on Saturday evening, May 15. The room was beautifully decorated in the junior class colors, gold and brown, to represent a palatial dining-room. The tables were arranged around the room, while in the center was a tastefully constructed bower made with ferns and senior colors, in arched and gray, in which Mr. John Sasso, the Sioux City harpist, played during the evening for the delight of those present.

The banquet was prepared largely by the members of the junior class and was served in seven courses, each a complete artistic effect. The tables were decorated with crystal candles with yellow shades, and delicate yellow roses arranged in Japanese flower baskets. The subjects of the toasts were names of songs and each was introduced by a verse of a song played on the school victrola.

TOASTS

Toastmaster, Earl H. SchPoeer
 Greetings—U. S. Conn.
 "My Heart Has Learned to Love You"—Ray Hickman.
 "When You're a Long Way From Home"—Anna Baer.
 "Cross the Great Divide"—Sara J. Killen.
 "Life's a Funny Proposition After All"—Ina Hughes.
 "Sunshine and Roses"—C. H. Bright.
 "Farewell to Thee"—J. E. Bliever-nicht.
 At the conclusion of the toasts the bent and shrouded figure of Father Time with his scythe entered and snuffed out the candles. All left the beautiful banquet room vowing the Junior class princes of entertainers.

Special In Curtain Scrim

All printed border scrim, worth 25c.SPECIAL 15c

All printed border scrims, worth 15cSPECIAL 10c

Good Values All The Time

Several pieces of Zephyr dress gingham worth 12c, some get 15c. All good patterns and new piecesSPECIAL 10c

Not how much we can make, but how good values we can give, is the rule by which we price the merchandise we offer. This insures our patrons the best of values, not just once in a while but all the time.

Make This Store Your Regular Shopping Place — It Will Pay You Well

These Coats Are So Cheap
 that you can't afford to leave them here and they are all good coats.

SIZE 18—Putty covert coat worth \$11.50.SPECIAL \$6.75

SIZE 39—All wool serge, navy, for stout figure, worth \$10.00.SPECIAL \$6.25

SIZE 36—Navy, all wool serge, light collars and cuffs, worth \$12.50.SPECIAL \$7.25

SIZE 36—Black, full lined Wooltex coat, worth \$16.50.SPECIAL \$10.00

SIZE 36—Navy Mestrel Wooltex, full lined coat, worth \$19.50.SPECIAL \$12.00

SIZE 16—Shepherds check, full lined Wooltex coat, worth \$19.50.SPECIAL \$12.00

Tissue, Organdie, Crepe and Voile Dresses for street wear

Tissue dress plainly but neatly made of Lorraine Tissue. \$2.75

Organdie dress neatly trimmed with good lace, sizes 16 to 36. \$3.00

House Dresses that are extra well made of good materials

These are the very best values we have ever shown in house dresses. We have them in all the sizes and at the prices we ask you can buy them far cheaper than you can make them. \$1.00 to \$2.00

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 From corset covers to combination suits we are prepared to supply your demands in all muslin wear at prices that will be satisfactory to you. You should see them before you buy.

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 This is one of the most complete lines in the store and the values are very hard to duplicate. From printed dimities at 12c up to the silk effects at 50c, you'll find almost any fabric you want. Let us show you these.

Hosiery for Summer
 Sheer hose that not only look well, but wear well too, at prices that are the lowest, in black, tans, white and sand shades.
 Mercerized lisle. 25c, 35c, 50c
 Silk hose. 50c to \$1.75

Any Women's or Misses' Suit, Special \$15.00 Any Child's Coat, Special 33 1/2 % Discount

If you ever get anything at this store which is not satisfactory, please tell us about it and the matter will be cheerfully adjusted.

Wayne Orr & Morris Co. Phone 247

School Notes
 A large number of visitors viewed the exhibit of work done in the art and vocational departments, displayed in the music room last Thursday and Friday. The work in book binding called forth many favorable comments.

The junior class gave a very interesting and entertaining program last Friday morning. Numbers presented were selections by the junior male quartet; paper, "The High School Classes" Ward Randol; Reading, Ralph Ingham; Solo, Edith White; Reading, Le Roy Owen; selection by quartet. This was the last program for the year and was of a very high order.

At least four boys will represent the Wayne high school at the field meet to be held at Hartington Saturday. The boys have been working out recently and hope to win honors for Wayne high.

According to the new plan of half year promotions, the A. and B. divisions of each grade will be one-half year apart in their work. Those who are promoted from one grade to the other, will, therefore, be in the B. division for the first half year, and in the A. division the last half year.

It has been an annual custom for the seniors to have a day and the juniors a half day for a picnic. Both classes chose yesterday for the affair. The rain having spoiled their plans, the seniors enjoyed a picnic dinner in the high school parlors, while the juniors had a progressive victrola party at the Ingham and Foster homes, closing with a theatre party at the Crystal.

Miss Mabel Dayton has issued invitations to all the teachers of the city schools for a 6:30 breakfast at the high school parlors, Friday morning in honor of those teachers who will not teach in Wayne next year. They are, A. E. Nordgren, Mrs. Louise Muffree and Misses Nina Huyck and Della Abbott.

Graduating exercises will be held at the Methodist church this evening. An admission fee of 10 cents will be charged.

Commissioners' Proceedings
 Wayne, Neb., May 18th, 1915. Board met as per adjournment. All members present.
 Report of Chas. W. Reynolds, county clerk, showing amount of fees earned by him for the quarter ending March 31st, 1915, amounted to the sum of \$539.80; which

upon examination of fee book and records, show as follows:

86 Deeds.....	\$ 88.85
123 Mortgages.....	187.55
113 Releases.....	105.05
186 Chattel Mortgages.....	37.20
14 Certificates.....	7.10
12 Marginal Releases.....	3.00
7 Contracts.....	2.75
10 Farm Leases.....	4.25
1 Mechanic's Liens.....	1.50
9 Reports.....	8.65
8 Affidavits.....	7.30
7 Bills of Sale.....	1.40
1 Lis Pendens.....	.50
21 Assignments.....	23.05
2 Extension of mortgages.....	3.00
1 Assignment of Contract.....	1.00
2 Probate.....	10.75
1 Decree.....	1.25
1 Cancellation of Lease.....	.90
1 Acknowledgment.....	.25
2 Transcripts.....	2.50
119 Bonds recorded.....	19.00
182 Acknowledgments to claims.....	28.00
Total for quarter.....	\$539.80
Deputy hire for quarter.....	\$200.00
Excess fees for quarter.....	339.80
	\$539.80 \$539.80

Comes now Chas. W. Reynolds, county clerk, and presents county treasurer's receipt showing the payment of the excess fees of \$339.80, into the county treasury, which report is duly approved. Whereupon Board adjourned to May 21st, 1915.
 CHAS. W. REYNOLDS, Clerk.

To bake good bread and cakes you must have good pans—pans just like the baker uses. And nearly all the bakers of the country use the "Ekco" Baking Pans. They are made of the proper weight material so as to prevent scorching—there is a heavy wire in the rim which holds the pan in shape. They are entirely sanitary. No dirt can embed itself anywhere as the corners are perfectly arched and the bottoms rounded. The Variety Store has just put those pans in stock. Try one and you will find in a short time a difference in the appearance and quality of your baked goods.—adv.

See the Democrat for wedding invitations.

Seasonable Suggestions!

- Palm Beach Suits
- Straw Hats
- Sport Shirts
- Athletic Underwear
- Wash Ties
- Traveling Bags
- Auto and Palm Beach Caps
- Raincoats

You will find large showings of all the above items now **AT THIS SHOP**

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Non-poisonous—don't spark—don't sputter—don't break—a real safety strike—anywhere—match. Inspected and labeled by the Underwriters' Laboratories.

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Aside from the excellent facilities offered this bank has the advantage of having been established for years and always having made safety its first consideration.

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Improvement Club of Wausa Accomplished Much by Vigorous, United Effort

What the retailer and the other business and professional men of the small town, or of any town, can do by the organization or commercial club, is revealed in the history of the Wausa, Nebr., Improvement club.

A. E. Nygg, proprietor of grocery stores at Omaha and Magnet, Neb., was one of the organizers of this club which started its work fifteen years ago, and he was for many years its president. He relates what was accomplished in a town of 400 population, but which is double that size now.

Early in 1900, a man from Oakland went to Wausa and asked some of the business men what bonus they would give him if he would build a flour mill there. In order to take up the matter, some of the men got together and organized the Wausa Improvement club. They decided to offer \$1,000 and this was accepted. Some thirty business men, all of them between 20 and 30 years of age, went into the club.

When the site was selected, farmers from the surrounding country came in with their teams and graded the tract, free of charge. The members of the club got busy at once raising the money. Every one was asked to contribute. Even the carpenters at work on the mill, were appealed to for a few cents, and most of them responded with something.

The day when the mill was completed, there was a big celebration. As it was desired not to spend any large amount of money on this, banners were made by fastening some of the mill's flour sacks onto sticks.

What Improvement Club Did in Town of Four Hundred

Secured a flour mill, cigar factory, brick yards, modern hotel.

Backed them up by patronizing them.

Secured the erection by the town of a combined town hall and auditorium.

Bought land for baseball park, and paid for it by giving carnivals.

Gradually secured a variety of parade equipment and made the parades of the club an annual feature.

Invaded other towns with their parade, and made a big hit.

Brought delegations from other places to Wausa, and entertained them properly.

Were constantly united in the boosting and advertising of the town and were most successful in it.

Comment From Exchanges

Madison Star-Mail:

Publicity has recently been given to the success of a St. Louis roofing concern, which in the hard times of last fall organized a \$200,000 advertising campaign. As a result so much new trade came in that their business is 70 percent better than the year before. In a small way this experience can be duplicated in the experience of a great many retail business enterprises. It used to be the case, that when there was business depression, advertising fell off, and newspapers ran fewer pages or filled up more space with plate matter. Our observation of our exchanges is to the effect that they have run just as much advertising as ever through the slow business of the last year. This is because enterprising firms have realized that advertising is the mainspring of their business. When a manufacturing firm finds business flat, it does not turn off its salesmen. On the contrary it is apt to hire more salesmen, so as to cover the territory more thoroughly. The newspaper advertisement is the real merchant's salesman, and it should be kept working all the time.

Pierce County Call:

John M. Tanner, the Democratic Nestor of South Omaha, is dead against the open primary law. He says any old body or any old thing can run for office by simply paying the filing fee. Men who have no chance of being elected and if they should happen to creep in under the canvas, would be a disgrace to the office and party which elected them, have an even chance with competent and good men, he says. Sneaks break into the game for the advertising, although advertising is the very thing they should shun. Some of them ought to be thankful the police allow them to be at large, without having the charge of vagrancy placed opposite their names in the jail register, when their reputation is uncovered to the public. Yet voters take such candidates seriously and do not find until after election their true standing, says Mr. Tanner. Then he says "good

men refuse to file on account of having to take chances of being defeated by a skunk." John says a good deal more along the same lines, but enough is enough!

Columbus Telegram:

My brother jingo, honestly now, what would you do if you were in President Wilson's place? Really, do you have a well defined idea of the course you would take in the treatment of Germany; if you were compelled to map out a course for our great republic to take in its treatment of Germany in connection with the Lusitania incident? I know many of you quickly say that you would go to war and wipe out the insult to our nation. But wait a minute. Would a declaration of war wipe out the insult? Would the killing of a million Americans in a war with Germany wipe out the insult? Oh, no. There must be some better plan on which to deal with the present crisis. And so my brother jingo, is it not your duty to be splendidly loyal to our good president and his strong cabinet in their efforts to avoid war, and still permit America to hold her place of honor among the nations?

Norfolk News:

The Kansas City Star tells in a recent issue of a butter famine because the roads were impassable and farmers could not market the products of their dairies. The loss of business to the farmers of a productive region from bad roads in one year would go a long way toward building the best of highways to their market towns. It is wastefulness which ought to be utterly discontinued in the twentieth century.

Commenting on the possibilities of the soil in this country the New York Times says: "At a price that makes it worth while there is hardly a limit to what the earth of the United States can produce. In 1879 the value of farm produce was a little over \$2,000,000,000. This year it will exceed last year's ten billions. And the farms have doubled in value. There is something over a billion of acres capable of cultivation and less than half a billion are now under cultivation."

Butler County Press:

Perhaps the Press is itself too partisan to fairly judge, but to it the impression was given by Congressman Sloan's speech at the David City Commercial club weekly dinner of some lack of fairness and frankness in that speech. A very pleasing speaker, Congressman Sloan is usually quite fair and frank. He was fair enough to vote in congress for some of the measures that distinguish the present democratic national administration for progressive legislation. That at this dinner he laid stress on alleged injustice to Nebraska farmers in tariff legislation and referred to decrease of national revenue without telling of the cause, the terrible war in Europe, in stopping of trade from foreign countries, did not seem as frank and fair as he usually is. Nebraska farmers are not suffering from tariff legislation. They are getting higher prices than ever for their products; they are buying some goods cheaper than before. There are not many eggs coming from China, for instance. Canada, Australia and Argentine farm products are not affecting Nebraska prosperity. Not only are they not doing so in this time of the great war abroad, but they have not at any time. Prices of products of Nebraska farms were higher before this war than they were previous to the passage of the present tariff law.

The Burlington Route has issued a novelty which will be pleasing to children and grown-ups who have fallen victims to the craze for collecting art poster-stamps, and has issued a sheet of ten elaborately colored designs representing scenery of the Rocky mountains, Glacier National Park, the Yellowstone National Park and the two California expositions, and also two of the heroes of the Great West, Col. W. F. Cody (Buffalo Bill), and General Custer. These pictures are well executed, and are perforated so that they can be detached and pasted in albums or affixed to envelopes. They are being distributed, from all Burlington passenger and ticket offices. Children in almost every community of the United States have taken up the craze with a keenness and thoroughness that is astonishing. In many communities there are youngsters who have collections of from 500 to 1,000 different stamps.

Watch Your Children

Often children do not let parents know they are constipated. They fear something distasteful. They will like Rosall Orderlies—a mild laxative that tastes like sugar. Sold only by us, 10 cents. Roberts Drug Co.

Double Service AUTOMOBILE TIRES Guaranteed 7000 Miles Service ABSOLUTELY PUNCTUREPROOF Double Service Tires are double the thickness of the best standard make tires.

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30x3 1/2"	10.85
31x3 1/2"	3.10
31x4"	11.40
32x3 1/2"	12.75
32x4"	3.20
34x3 1/2"	12.90
34x4"	3.60
30x4"	13.50
31x4"	14.25
32x4"	4.00
33x4"	14.90
33x4"	4.10
33x4"	15.75
34x4"	4.20
34x4"	16.70
35x4"	4.35
35x4"	16.80
35x4"	4.60
36x4"	17.45
36x4"	4.65
37x4"	17.65
37x4"	4.70
34x4 1/2"	18.50
34x4 1/2"	4.90
35x5"	21.20
35x5"	5.60
36x5"	22.50
36x5"	5.75
37x5"	23.60
37x5"	6.20
35x5"	24.40
35x5"	6.35
36x5"	26.30
36x5"	6.60
37x5"	26.80
37x5"	6.60

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NEBRASKA NEWS

**Says State Taxes on Grand Is-
land Are Too High.**

ASKS FOR LOWER ASSESSMENT

Superintendent Thomas Tells of
School District Consolidation—Will-
iams Damage Case Is Appealed.
State Taxes Remitted.

Lincoln, May 11.—The state board
of assessment held a short session
and listened to an appeal from W. N.
Purvis, tax commissioner of the St.
Joseph and Grand Island railroad, for
a reduction of assessment on that
road.

Mr. Purvis did not attempt to make
any comparison with farm lands or
other property, but simply showed
that he believed the road was being
valued too high for taxation pur-
poses. There was a deficit in the earn-
ings of the road last year of \$198,840,
or \$623 per mile. The valuation of
the road last year was \$32,500 per
mile, which, he thinks, is altogether
too high, as compared to the earning
capacity of the road.

More School Consolidations.
The work of consolidation of school
districts is going along merrily, ac-
cording to State Superintendent Thom-
as. Mr. Teed, who has charge of the
work, left for Nance county, where
there are two propositions up for con-
sideration, one of them being about
six miles west of Fullerton, at a rural
church known as North Star.

A large number of the schools of
the state in rural districts have but
from one to ten pupils, and, in fact,
there are three in Lancaster county
with less than three pupils. The cost
per capita ought not to be more than
\$30 per pupil, but in some districts it
is costing as high as \$200.

Superintendent Thomas goes on the
theory that as it costs just as much
to run a passenger train across the
state with only ten passengers to the
car as it does if the coaches are all
full, it costs just as much to run a
school district with two pupils as it
does one with two dozen, so in order
to get more efficiency and at the same
time less cost, he believes the consol-
idation scheme a success.

Damage Case Appealed.
An appeal from the district court of
Furnas county has been made by Clay-
ton M. Lewelling and Alpheus Gaddis
from a judgment secured in that court
by John H. Williams for \$1,000 dam-
ages caused by the defendants and
their wives enticing Mrs. Williams
away from him. Mr. Williams married
Hattie E. Bradford in Maryville, Mo.,
March 10, 1886. They later moved to
Beaver City, in this state, and on con-
tinual representations made by the
defendants to Mrs. Williams that Will-
iams was of unsound mind and a dan-
gerous man to live with, it is alleged,
she left him. He sued for damages
and received the above sum.

State to Buy Furniture Plant.
The state board of control has about
completed arrangements to buy the
plant of the Handcraft Furniture com-
pany, which has been manufacturing
furniture at the state penitentiary.
Negotiations for the purchase of the
plant have been going on for some
time, but the board could not see its
way clear to pay the price demanded
by the company, which at first was
\$55,000. Later they came down to
\$37,000 and now the figure which the
board will consider will be in the
neighborhood of \$21,000. The business
has called for the use of about fifty
convicts.

Royse Will Not Resign.
Secretary Royse of the state bank-
ing board, who has bought an interest
in the State bank of Table Rock and
will become its president, will not re-
sign his place as secretary of the
banking board, but made the invest-
ment as a place to fall back on when
he finishes his duties as secretary of
the board. He expects to place his
son in the bank as soon as he gradu-
ates from high school this spring.
Cashier C. J. Wood, who has been
with the bank for thirty-four years,
will not remain, desiring to get away
from the banking business.

Pullman Car Taxes Raised.
After a session with the board of as-
sessment Thomas Benton, representa-
tive of the Pullman Car company, was
able to convince the board that the
figures reached by it were too high
and it agreed on a 25 per cent increase
over last year. Colonel Benton had
offered to accept a 21 per cent in-
crease but could not make the board look at
it that way. The increase practically
means that the Pullman company will
pay taxes this year to the amount of
\$7,250, as against \$5,715 in 1914.

State Taxes Remitted.
There has been remitted to the state
treasurer since Jan. 1 by county treas-
urers \$125,000. Of this amount Doug-
las county made one remittance in
April of \$14,000 and Lancaster another
at about the same time of \$15,000.
The state treasurer is attempting to
have the county treasurers remit every
month, but as far as the two men-
tioned counties are concerned has not
been successful.

Live Stock Quarantine Modified.
The live stock sanitary board held
a meeting and among other acts lifted
the quarantine on the foot and mouth
disease against Minnesota and mod-
ified that against Kansas, lifting from
the quarantine all of the state north
of the main line of the Santa Fe rail-
road.

Editor As Depot Agent

Woodbine Twiner: The Twiner
editor played the roll of depot mas-
ter for an hour one day this week,
just for fun. Agent Bridgeford
was out of town, and just as a joke
one of the boys at the station stuck
the official cap on our pate and told
us to be "it".

A half dozen telephone inquiries
from up town as to when the 8:34
train comes were each answered
with all gentleness. One lady
couldn't quite understand why an
express package from Saws & Shy-
buck hadn't come. We suggested
to her that delays often very pro-
voking were frequent occurrences,
adding very pleasantly that we felt
sure the package would come on the
next train. It took us seven min-
utes to get one man to see why a
little express packet was 26 cents
when he only paid a quarter a year
ago for the same thing. The war
tax was explained to him, and
everything about the war, and he
finally saw that the extra penny
was not a hold up of the railroad,
but one more instance of Jones pay-
ing the freight. One other lady
all but threw a cat fit because the
penny-in-the-slot weighing machine
out in the waiting room made her
fifteen pounds heavier than she
really ought to be. The scales were
wrong and she wanted the penny
back. It took some time to get
her to understand that the penny
was "gone," but that we would
have the machine tested and if out
of adjustment would order Si Kal-
sam, the company expert, to fix it.

These were only some of the
things that came and went. But
we tried to act just like Bridge-
ford always does, sweet and pretty,
and for the time succeeded. If we
had to play the part day in and day
out, however, it is hard to tell
whether it would be thusly all the
time or otherwise.

Moral: A depot agent is human.
He has vexations that the common
geese knows not of, and, come what
may or will, he is supposed to keep
sweet. He is paid for being pleas-
ant to the public, and incidentally
looking after a thousand and one
things daily that the company wants
done. Next time you take it into
your head to bring that cranky,
crabbed agent up standing, count
fifty before you start in with the job
and in the meantime recall that the
agent is not a May zephyr or a
June bride, but a living, moral
man with vexations enough to put
the average housewife to eternal
slumber.

Real Estate Transfers

Mandana Conley et al to Peter
Paulsen, lots 4, 5 and 6, East ad-
dition to Wayne, \$1,075.00.

A. G. Haney to Burrett W.
Wright, lots 15 and 16, block 1,
East addition to Wayne, \$1.00.

John R. Neal to John J. Scott,
se $\frac{1}{2}$, 12-27-1, \$17,000.00.

Henry G. Leisenring to R. A.
Coyle, west half of lots 7, 8 and 9,
Original Wayne, \$1,550.00.

Estella Page to Minnie Hoskins,
lot 15 and $\frac{1}{2}$ 16, block 5, East ad-
dition to Wayne, \$900.00.

Llewelyn E. Morris to John R.
Morris, $\frac{1}{2}$ of se $\frac{1}{2}$, 25-27-1,
\$12,000.00.

Ella King Morrison to Wilfred
Knox Smith, $\frac{1}{2}$ of se $\frac{1}{2}$, 11-26-3,
\$7,200.00.

Ella King Morrison to Ella King
Morrison, Jr., $\frac{1}{2}$ se $\frac{1}{2}$, 11-26-3,
\$8,000.00.

Ella King Morrison to Cora Fran-
ces Smith, $\frac{1}{2}$ sw $\frac{1}{4}$, 11-26-3, \$7,200.

Just a Change of Method

Sage F. L. Putney of Tilden
spent a few hours in this oasis
Wednesday. Speaking of the re-
cent financial calamity which over-
took Tilden April 6th and the re-
sultant social blessings enjoyed by
that now quiet municipality, Mr.
Putney remarked that "thanks to
us progressive republicans and you
reactionary democrats, railroad
fares have been reduced one-third
and a substantial reduction on case
lots has been granted by the ex-
press company, so no matter where
we present ourself in person to
your purveyors of liquid energy or
adopt more expedient tactics and
patronize the Bell monopoly, the
added expense in the acquisition of
a good, substantial nose-venting is
inconsequential. Desired results
are obtained merely by a change of
method."—Battle Creek Enterprise.

Old papers for sale at this office.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, ss.
Lucas County.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is
senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney
& Co., doing business in the City of To-
ledo, Ohio, and State of Ohio, and
that said firm will pay the sum of ONE
HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and ev-
ery case of Catarrh that cannot be cured
by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.
FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in
my presence, this 6th day of December,
A. D. 1915.
(Seal) A. W. GLEASON,
Notary Public.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally
and acts directly upon the blood and mu-
cous surfaces of the system. Send for
testimonials, free.
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Sole by all Druggists, etc.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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 be-
tween sections 23 and 26 in Town-
ship 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 be-
tween sections 17 and 18 in Town-
ship 26, Range 4 east, and about
one-half mile south of the north-
east corner of Section 18. Capa-
city 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 re-
paired by the county commis-
sioners for the year 1915.

All such bridges to be built in
accordance with plans and speci-
fications furnished by the State En-
gineer 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 de-
posit 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.

Successful bidder will be re-
quired to give bonds to the county
with two or more good and
sufficient sureties, in such amount
as the Board of County Commis-
sioners may designate, for the faithful
performance of contract awarded
to him.

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 of-
fice of the county clerk.

The Board of County Commis-
sioners 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.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that sealed
bids will be received at the
County Clerk's office of Wayne
County, Nebraska, at Wayne, Ne-
braska, on May 28th, 1915, at 12
o'clock noon on insurance which
expires on County property which
is \$28,000.00 Fire and \$22,000.00
Tornado, to be written as follows:
\$22,000.00 Fire on Court House.
\$20,000.00 Tornado on Court
House.
\$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 con-
sidered.

Bids to be filed on or before 12
o'clock noon of May 28th, 1915.
Bids to be opened at 3 o'clock
p. m., of May 28th, 1915.
County reserves the right to re-
ject any and all bids.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this
4th day of May, A. D., 1915.
(Seal) CHAS. W. REYNOLDS,
18-3. County Clerk

See the Democrat for wedding
invitations.



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anywhere near such favor. with the average tire. Com-
And this spring has shown, in pare number of fabric plies.

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reductions, totaling 45 per
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put enables a value which no
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The reason is, we fortify our tires. We give the best
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ways, employed by no one else,
we combat:

Rim-Cuts Blowouts Loose Treads **Insecurity Punctures Skidding**
And we never skimp. De-

dominant place, and the well-
ing Goodyear
tide. We urge
you to join this
army. Any
dealer will
supply you.



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Oh yes, Godard is still at the old stand and will make
season of 1915 at farm $\frac{1}{2}$ miles west of Wayne.

TERMS:—\$7.50 for season or \$15 for colt to stand and
suck. Here is a chance to get good colts from a good
horse at a low price if you take the \$7.50 for the season.
Start early as it will not cost any more.

Have mares in foal and colts to show that Godard is
a good and sure breeder.

If mares are sold or removed from county service
becomes due. Care taken to prevent accidents but will
not be responsible should any occur.

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COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

Wakefield News

A fine rain fell here yesterday and last night.

W. F. Westrand made a business trip to Pender Tuesday.

Dr. G. W. Henton is attending the Dental Convention at Omaha this week.

R. H. Mathewson was the guest of Walthill relatives the first part of the week.

Miss Alice Lawrence of Sioux City was the guest of Miss Alta Green Sunday.

Martin Bradford departed Wednesday for Tracy, Minnesota, to visit relatives.

A. M. Hypse spent a couple of days this week with his brother, G. N. of Omaha.

Rev. Wallin attended conference at Lincoln and Cresco the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Andrew Backstrom is enjoying a visit in Omaha at the home of Otto Nelson.

Mrs. Smith of Hudson, Wis., is visiting her mother Mrs. Spencer. She expects to be here about three weeks.

A little son, John DeForest Haskell, Jr., was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Haskell at Gregory, May 14.

The girl's basket ball team were defeated by the Hartington team on the local grounds Tuesday afternoon, score 8-7.

The Junior C. E. of the Christian church enjoyed a weinie roast on the banks of the Logan Monday evening after school.

Rev. J. T. Kraft is in Wahoo this week attending Commencement of the Lutheran college and also a board of directors meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Cozad, who have been here to see their daughter, Mrs. Moran, returned Friday to their home in Council Bluffs.

The high school base ball team gained another victory Friday when they defeated the Coleridge team on the home diamond by a score of 17 to 9.

Charles Paul, who is attending University, has been elected managing editor of the "Nebraskan", the University paper, for the first semester of next year.

Mrs. Orin Story and daughter Eula were the guests of Mrs. Robert Hanson Saturday afternoon, en route from Meadow Grove to Coleridge to visit her sisters.

Mrs. Andrew Backstrom went to Omaha Tuesday to meet her niece, Miss Barth, who has just arrived from Sweden. Mrs. Backstrom was entertained at the home of Otto Nelson while in the city.

A Sunday school was organized Sunday in the district with Mr. Gust Graham as superintendent, Rev. and Mrs. Seel, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Haskell and Miss Faith Haskell assisted in the organization.

Dr. and Mrs. Rousch autoed to Blair Sunday stopping there overnight with his mother, Mrs. Rousch left Monday morning for a two week's stay with her mother at Des Moines, the Dr. going to Omaha to attend the dental convention.

The May Festival given at the auditorium Wednesday night was pronounced a complete success and the best musical program was given by the school. It is with regret that we learn Mrs. Murfree will not be us next year for her splendid work is much appreciated.

The ladies of the Lutheran congregation surprised Mrs. Kraft at her home Friday afternoon, the occasion being her birthday. Rev. and Mrs. Peterson of Concord, were out-of-town guests. Mrs. Kraft was presented with a purse of money. A bounteous luncheon was served by the ladies.

The body of William Park, who died in his home at Mountain Grove, Mo., May 13, was brought here for interment. Funeral services were held from the Christian church Sunday afternoon conducted by Rev. McCarthy and the Masonic Lodge. Mr. Park was a native of Canada and was 77 years old.

Mrs. R. H. Mathewson planned and executed a pleasant surprise on Mr. Mathewson Tuesday in honor of his birthday. When he arrived home from Walthill Tuesday evening he found his home full of friends. An elaborate four course dinner was served in the prettily decorated appointed dining room and was thoroughly enjoyed by the twenty-one men who partook of it. After the social hour the guests de-

Street Fair and Carnival

WAYNE, NEBRASKA

4 Big Days MAY 26-27-28-29 4 Big Days

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A New Play Each Night at Big Canvas Theatre...

parted wishing Mr. Mathewson many happy returns of the day.

The W. H. S. Seniors and faculty were royally entertained by the Juniors Friday evening at the spacious country home of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Alstrop. The decorations of the house and tables carried out the class colors, purple and gold. A bounteous four course luncheon was served. Russell Harrison acquitted himself well in the role of toastmaster. The following program was given.

To the Seniors—Marjorie Beebe. To the Juniors—Victor E. Henry. Progress of School—Prof. Lundak. Why?—Miss Hughes. Wakefield—Marion Wallin. Vocal Duet—Misses Marsh and Hosford. Reading—Olive Alstrop. Planologue—Martha Hoogner. Piano Duet—Misses Nyberg and Hoogner.

Carroll Items

Walter Hurlbert and family expect to start next week on their drive through to California.

Mrs. Mat Jones returned home Thursday evening from an extended visit with relatives at Red Oak, Iowa.

Pete Church is very busy these days wrecking the old school building and John Getman is just as busy hauling the lumber out to his farm.

Mrs. Jas. Hayes and daughter Elizabeth of Wewela, S. D. came Friday evening, to visit the former's sister, Mrs. W. A. Love, for a few weeks.

Lars Larson, returned Sunday from Rochester, Minnesota, where he has been being treated by Mayo brothers and is reported as feeling much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Snowden are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl at their home last week. Mrs. Snowden was formerly Miss Nellie Thomas of this vicinity.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Hansen who live on the Ben Cox farm, had the misfortune to run into the wire fence while coasting, and cutting his face quite badly.

The Royal Neighbors lodge held a meeting Tuesday evening and initiated one member, Mrs. Chas. Linn, into the order. 17 members were present. After initiation ice cream and cake were served.

Miss Cora Zimmer, who has been attending school at Des Moines, Iowa, returned to Carroll Tuesday. Among the studies taken by Miss Zimmer was course in journalism, in which she is very much interested.

G. S. Young and wife arrived Saturday from Kansas City, Missouri and are at present visiting at the home of his brother, Grant Young. If suitable employment can be secured they expect to remain in Carroll for a time at least.

Mrs. Ellis Owen, while coming home from Randolph one day last week, met with quite an accident. The tugs came unhitched frightening the horses and causing them to run, throwing Mrs. Owen out of the buggy and breaking two of her ribs.

Decoration day will be observed at Carroll on Saturday, May 29. The ladies of the cemetery association will serve their usual dinner and supper in the basement of the Methodist church. Let everyone turn out and make the day a success.

Harry Loeb, who was employed in Carroll a couple of years ago, and who, after leaving town was reported to be dead, blew into town Tuesday for a couple of days visit with old friends. He informs us that he has been at O'Neill since leaving here, and hasn't been dead at all that he knows of.

W. R. Olmstead and wife and James Hancock and family autoed to Foster Sunday to visit Mrs. Hancock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phipps, and a younger brother who goes to a hospital this week for an operation. All returned Sunday evening except Mrs. Hancock, who will return latter part of the week.

Winside Notes

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Bleich, on Wednesday, May 12th, a son.

Magnus Jensen came home from York Saturday where he has been attending business college.

Mrs. L. S. Westcott of Dallas, S. D., came today for an extended visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Roy R. Peterson.

J. Wilson was a passenger to Sioux City yesterday. He returned in the evening accompanied by his son, Hiram, who has been confined in a hospital in that city the past six weeks following an operation for appendicitis.

G. E. French received a box of cactus this week from Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Cherry of Tucson, Ariz. There were a half a dozen varieties. In a personal letter they state they are both enjoying good health and long rambles in Tucson.

Cards have been received here announcing the coming marriage of Miss Esther Todd and Charles Stouth, both of Wessington, S. D., on May 26. Miss Todd will be remembered as the daughter of Frank Todd formerly of this place. After

the marriage ceremony the couple will make a wedding trip to San Francisco.

The boys intermediate Sunday school class met at the home of their teacher, Mrs. D. C. Hogue, last on day evening and reorganized their class. Gerald Leuck was elected president; John McKinney, vice president; Russell Henderson, secretary, and Ralph Connell, treasurer. They also elected a missionary and membership committee, which entitles them to a certificate of recognition as an organized intermediate bible class.

John Davis, rural carrier on route three, had a lively runaway last Friday while making the rounds of his mail route. He had just written a receipt for a money order for Mrs. A. C. Williams, when the horses made a lunge and were gone, taking with them only the running gears of the mail wagon. The coupe and occupants were left by William's mailbox, badly shaken up and with several cuts and bruises. The little five-year-old son of Mr. Davis received an ugly scalp wound just above the forehead, requiring four stitches. Mr. Davis came out with only a few bad bruises and a demolished mail wagon. The horses escaped with a few minor cuts.

The Cradle

OWEN—Sunday, May 16, 1915, to Perry Owen and wife, a son.

THOMPSON—Friday, May 14, 1915, to Curt Thompson and wife, a daughter.

COURTRIGHT—Wednesday, May 19, 1915, to C. Courtright and wife, a son.

Coventry.

Coventry is one of the oldest cities in England, but a more interesting claim to fame lies in the fact that she is literally the central town. The city of the three spires is about equally distant from London, Liverpool, Hull and Bristol. Two parliaments at least have been held within her gates—the parliament in doctum and the parliament diabolium.—London Chronicle.

Commercialism in Politics. "What did that candidate give you?" "Fifty cents." "Me too. I thought he had a barrel." "If he has he's got the little apples on top."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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Union Stock Yards, South Omaha, May 19.—Another very liberal supply of cattle arrived yesterday, some 5,500 head. Quality of the fat cattle was very good and, although receipts were rather liberal for this time of the year, there was a healthy demand from both local packers and shippers and trade ruled active at steady to a dime higher prices all around. Considerable activity characterized the trade as far as the good heifers and lightweight cows were concerned, and prices were steady to strong for anything at all desirable in this line. On the heavy and rough cows, the market was somewhat uneven. Veal calves were in active request and notably firm. Business in stock cattle and feeding steers was quiet and dull, and the trend of values was downward for all but strictly attractive grades.

Cattle quotations: Good to choice yearlings, \$8.50@9.00; good to choice heaves, \$8.30@8.60; fair to good heaves, \$8.00@8.25; common to fair heaves, \$7.50@8.00; good to choice heifers, \$7.00@7.85; good to choice cows, \$6.80@7.40; fair to good cows, \$5.75@6.75; canners and cutters, \$3.75@5.50; veal calves, \$8.00@10.75; bulls, stags, etc., \$5.50@7.25; good to choice feeders, \$7.50@7.80; fair to good feeders, \$7.00@7.50; common to fair feeders, \$6.00@7.00; stock heifers, \$5.75@7.25; stock cows, \$5.50@6.75; stock calves, \$6.50@8.25; stock bulls, \$5.00@7.00.

A heavy run of hogs arrived yesterday, about 20,000 head. On account of the heavy run here and other markets, prices were fully a dime, and in some cases 10@15c, lower than Monday. Bulk of the offerings moved at \$7.25@7.30, and tops reached \$7.40. Only 2,000 sheep and lambs showed up. Trade was dull and prices a nickel to 15c lower. A bunch of clippers brought \$9.50. A car of California springers sold early at \$11.25. No aged sheep of consequence showed up. Quotations on sheep and lambs: Lambs, light, \$10.00@11.10; lambs, heavy, \$10.25@10.60; lambs, shorn, \$8.60@9.60; yearlings, light, \$9.25@9.75; yearlings, heavy, \$9.00@9.25; wethers, good to choice, \$8.50@9.00; wethers, fair to good, \$8.00@8.50; ewes, good to choice, \$8.00@8.90; ewes, fair to good, \$7.60@8.00.

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