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## FOR THE GREAT WHITE WAY

Wayne and Vicinity to Meet to Celebrate the Installation of Electroliners Thursday Evening. A Banquet and Speeches

Plans are fast approaching completion for the celebration of the new lighting system, and a banquet will be given under the auspices of the commercial club and citizens next Thursday evening.

The committee on speakers have been fortunate in securing as one of the orators, S. R. McKelvie of Lincoln. Mr. McKelvie is editor of the Nebraska Farmer, and is especially well informed to address such a gathering as is expected of farmers and the business and professional men of the town on co-operation, which we understand is to be the theme around which he will cluster his remarks. Geo. F. Wolz of Fremont, one of the men who put that place on the map, will be another speaker. There will also be a number of local speakers, not all of whom are yet selected.

Before the speaking the banquet will be served at the Baptist church dining rooms, and the guests will be seated at 6:45. Below is the Menu:

Grape Fruit  
Chicken Jelly  
Butter and Rolls  
Mashed Potatoes Scalloped Oysters  
Pickles Coffee  
Waldorf Salad  
Ice Cream and Cake  
Cigars

Tickets are priced at 75 cents, only, and G. S. Mears, Ralph Rundell or W. E. Watkins are the proper ones to see for tickets for yourself and guests you may wish to take. The earlier the better—for you.

The members of the county board and representatives from the neighboring towns are invited to be present, and a splendid evening is assured. The only regret is that a larger dining room cannot be secured.

The electroliner installation is practically completed, and the light is apt to be turned on at most any time now for a trial run. The system consists of an underground cable connecting 48 five-lamp poles with the power house, lighting the entire business section. There are four poles to the block on each side of the street from 1st to 4th streets on Main street, with side street light on 1st, 2d, and 3d streets. The total cost is about \$3,000, quite a portion of which was raised by the property owners and business men of the lighted district, and the balance is paid by taxation.

## Two Little Ones Called

Elizabeth A. McKinney was born October 1, 1914, and departed this life November 28, 1915, aged 1 year, 1 month, 13 days. She had been ill for some time with indigestion and stomach trouble and the end came as a relief from suffering. She was the daughter of Mrs. Horton and the funeral was conducted from the Horton residence in east Winside at 2:30, Tuesday afternoon by the Rev. J. Bruce Wylie, pastor of the M. E. church in Winside.

Mary Edna, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Worley died Monday morning of pneumonia and measles after an illness of only a few days. Three boys are left to comfort the parents in their sorrow. The funeral was conducted from the residence 1 1/2 miles south of Grace church, Tuesday morning at eleven o'clock by the Rev. J. Bruce Wylie of Winside and interment had in the Greenwood cemetery of Wayne.

## The Cradle

NEWBINGER—Friday, November 26, 1915, to John Newbinger and wife, a daughter.  
MUSGROVE—Saturday, November 27, 1915, to Chas. Musgrove and wife, a daughter.

PETERS—Sunday, November 28, 1915, to Will Peters and wife, a son.

LINKE—Monday, November 30, 1915, to Curt Linke and wife, a son.

Sunday was the 51st birthday anniversary of Aug. Behmer near this place, and the event was observed by a party of his friends visiting the home at that time.

## Turkey Day Gam

Wayne State Normal 0

Omaha University 0  
The hardest, cleanest game ever witnessed on the Wayne gridiron was played on Thanksgiving day, when the University of Omaha and the Wayne Normal eleven fought for an hour to a scoreless tie. Time after time the ball was carried by Dale and Wallin, only to be lost on downs. Several times both sides were dangerously near to scoring, but somehow lacked strategy in crucial moments to carry the ball over. Wayne, as a general rule, excelled in ground gaining; in fact Dale scored a touchdown on a free fumble, which was ruled out as an incomplete pass.

First Quarter. Wayne kicked off, Dale booting the ball to the 30-yard line. Omaha returned a punt, which was fumbled by Wayne, and recovered. In the next play, Church broke through and recovered Omaha's fumble on Wayne's 40-yard line. Dale gained 15 yards around end. Christiansen smashed line for a good five yards. Stonebraker called back from end, made four yards. Church at quarter made ten yards around end. Omaha braced up and held Wayne for downs. Unable to gain, Omaha resorted to a punt, making but fourteen yards. The quarter ended with the ball in Wayne's possession on the 35-yard line.

Second Quarter. Ellis smashed the line for a gain. Dale carried the ball around end for eight yards. Wayne here lost the ball on downs. Omaha lost on downs. Dale again, on an end run, gained twenty yards. Wayne lost on downs. Omaha punted after failing to gain substantially. Ellis made five yards through the line. Dobry substituted for Christiansen made twenty yards through the line on a cross buck, ending the half.

Third Quarter. Omaha punted to Wayne. Ellis made a good gain through the line. Wayne lost the ball on downs. Omaha punted and recovered the ball on Wayne's 22-yard line, but were held for downs. Dobry gained three yards, ending the quarter.

Fourth Quarter. This quarter began with the ball in Wayne's possession on Omaha's 40-yard line, the Normal team losing on downs. Omaha gained fifteen yards by the over head route, only to lose the ball on downs. Here Wayne showed the "pep" of former games. Wallin went around end for ten yards; Dale followed with a 12-yard gain in the same way; Wallin again made fifteen yards. Time was called with a promising chance for a touchdown, the ball on Omaha's 20-yard line.

## Lineup:

W.S.N.S.	Position:	Omaha
Wallin	L.E.	Howe
Rundquist	L.T.	Dutcher
Muhm	L.G.	DeBolt
Hering	C.	Karbmaker
Farrier	R.G.	Seibert
Dale	R.T.	Bruce
Stonebraker	R.E.	Lowe
Ellis	L.H.	Sullivan
Christiansen	R.H.	Adams
Rockwell	F.B.	Leach

Substitutes: Wayne, Dobry for Christiansen.

Officials: Referee, Cress; Umpire, Kemp.

Timekeeper: Morgan.  
Yards gained: Wayne 180; Omaha 105.

## Early Auction Sales

The season for farm sales is at hand, and several are already advertised. F. A. Pingrey, who will move to Iowa will sell on the Pingrey farm on the 8th.

Mrs. Claud Forney (Millie Newman) is planning to move to Wayne, and will sell stock and machinery at auction on the Newman farm east of Wayne Wednesday, December 15th.

Charles W. White is going to quit farming and will make a sale on Tuesday the 14th, cleaning up his stock, machinery, etc., at the farm five miles north of Wayne.

Saturday of this week the first Wayne pavilion sale will be held, giving opportunity for many with small offerings to find buyers.

## Advertised Letter List

Letters—Miss Hazel Francis, Miss Gertrude Peterson, Bill Quashnefky, Wm. Quashnefky.  
C. A. BERRY, Postmaster.

The first car of new corn has been received at Emerson, and was bought at 28 cents. It graded well.

## Dr. J. T. House Pleases at Norfolk

Dr. House of the Normal faculty was invited to make the main talk before the Young Men's "Y" club banquet at Norfolk Monday evening, and he found an appreciative audience, to whom he gave some advanced views of social conditions that should be, and mentioned some conditions which now exist. From the News we learn that in discussing "Community Life," he declared that every community should have a survey showing its social and industrial needs and its provisions for meeting them, and he said this should be done by an expert. Opening his discussion with the statement that the war in Europe indicates that new evaluations must be made, he said we must acquire new ideals of life and went deeply into psychology to develop the methods of implanting these new ideals and rebuilding of our civilization.

Man is subject to social control through many factors, the primary ones being the family, the playgrounds and the neighborhood. It is through these factors, he declared, that society must be rebuilt. Health is to be an important factor in improving the ideals of men and any city that failed to make provision for the health of its residents was overlooking a vital factor for its own good. He recommended a board of sanitation to have general oversight of conditions. He commended the desire to make money but held that wealth should be used for the public benefit. He defended the private ownership of property and said he believed that public sentiment would eventually see to it that acquired wealth was properly used. He asserted that business men were now taking greater interest in their country and golf clubs, tennis and other healthful recreations and were spending more time in family life, indicating the growth of a more healthful view.

The desire for companionship which caused young boys to form their street gangs, he said was a healthful desire and should not be repressed but properly directed. He commended the Y. M. C. A. as an institution which made it possible to divert the energies of the boys into healthful and wholesome channels.

He criticized the curricula of high schools declaring that they did not give the young sufficient concrete knowledge of the community in which they lived. He urged vocational guidance. He also touched on the value of beauty and religion, the latter of which he declared to be of tremendous importance to the community.

## Teachers' Meeting Program

Following is the program of the Wayne County Teachers' Meeting, at county court room, Wayne, Nebraska, Saturday, December 11, 1915.  
Invocation: Rev. S. Xenophen Cross  
Music: . . . . . Fifth and Sixth Grades  
of Wayne public schools, conducted by Miss Eva Graves, supervisor of Music.

What I Did in the Way of Having Hot Lunches Last Year. . . . .

Miss Edith Dulin, Dist. No. 41  
An Exercise in Reading and Dramatization by the second grade pupils of the Wayne schools, Miss Florence Welch, teacher.  
Care of the Eyes of the Pupils. . . . .  
R. N. Donahey, Optometrist, Wayne.

1:30 P. M.

Music. . . . . High School Quartet  
Busy Work. Miss Josephine Carter.  
Primary teacher of Winside schools.

The Educational Side of My Visit to the Panama Exposition. . . . .  
Mrs. Maria Wolf, Dist. No. 81  
and Miss Nettie Sandahl, Dist. No. 47.

Address. . . . . C. H. Bright, Wayne State Normal.

Question box.  
Everybody invited.  
PEARL E. SEWELL,  
County Supt.

A ban is being put on punch boards in many places, and the attorney general of the state has given a decision that they come under the head of gambling. More business for the county attorney.

The work of remodeling and refurbishing the State Bank is now well toward completion, and when finished it will be hard to discover any banking house better or more conveniently equipped than this one.

## Social Notes

Tuesday was "Dick" Hansen's 70th birthday, and all of the members of his family except one daughter were present in honor of the event. In addition about thirty of his neighbors and friends gathered at their home to wish him many years of life yet. A social time was passed by all. His son, R. H. Hansen and wife from Holstein, Iowa, were here, accompanied by her two brothers, Elva and Harry Hansen. They returned this morning, and were accompanied a far as Sioux City by Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wallace, who spent the day with them there.

Saturday was Guy Auker's 21st birthday, and at the invitation of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Auker, a party of about 30 of his young friends assembled at the Auker home three miles east, that evening, much to his surprise and passed a few hours in games and sports. Miss Fern Oman won the prize for packing grand-dad's trunk the best of any. At a late hour a two-course luncheon was served, and the guests all wished the young voter many years of useful life as a citizen of this free country.

The Union Bible Study Circle met with Mrs. D. W. Noakes Tuesday afternoon and discussed the advance Sunday school lesson with Mrs. E. B. Young as leader. Mrs. Goldsmith, sister-in-law of Mrs. Wm. Goldsmith, visiting here with her husband from Michigan, was the guest and helper in the meeting. Mrs. A. A. Wollert will entertain the Circle next week when it is hoped the Winside Circle will be present to assist. All are cordially invited.

Royal Neighbors will hold regular meeting Tuesday evening, December 7, when a full attendance is desired. A drill team is to be organized, officers are to be elected for next term, and a school of instructions will be held also. Refreshments will be served at the close of the meeting.

The U. D. club met with Mrs. Harry Fisher on Monday afternoon. The members responded to roll call by naming a Russian city and some facts concerning it. Mrs. Jones read a paper on Glacier park. Mrs. Ringland will be hostess next Monday.

Miss Hattie Shulthies entertained a dozen of her friends in honor of Miss Elsie Pruitt of Omaha Saturday evening. The time was spent with cards and music. A two-course luncheon was served.

Early Hour club meets at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Harrington this evening. The evening will be spent in playing Five Hundred. Luncheon will be served.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church had a social afternoon with Mrs. Bressler, Wednesday afternoon.

The Young Ladies Bible Study will meet with Mrs. J. G. W. Lewis next Saturday evening and Mrs. Oren Bowen is leader.

The Minerva club will meet next Monday with Mrs. W. R. Ellis instead of Mrs. F. S. Berry.

The Acme club will meet with Mrs. S. R. Theobald Monday, December 6.

The Monday club meets with Mrs. Kiplinger next Monday afternoon.

P. E. O. meets with Mrs. Wm. Morris next Monday evening.

The ladies of Wayne are taking considerable interest in bowling, and to give them opportunity to get acquainted with the game, I will give free use of the alleys from 9 to 10 o'clock Wednesday mornings. L. Welbaum, under the Crystal—adv.

Henry Hansen went to Herrick, South Dakota, Wednesday to visit at the home of W. S. Slaughter and wife, his daughter, and see his granddaughter Grace, who is not very well. On the return trip next week he will stop at Pierce and visit his farm near that place.

You will have to hurry if you secure a supply of that pure strained honey at 10c per pound. Be sure and bring your own container. No more to be had at any such price when this lot is sold. Rundell's Grocery.—adv.

## Nebraska Drainage Law Upheld

The supreme court of the United States has handed down a verdict of more than usual interest to many Nebraska people, as numerous drainage projects have been waiting the result of the case which has been in the courts for a number of years, as are nearly all cases which go through the two supreme courts—one of this state and the one at Washington. The following dispatch tells the history briefly:  
Washington, D. C., Nov. 29.—The supreme court today upheld the constitutionality of the drainage laws of Nebraska of 1905 and 1909 and the validity of the creation of drainage district No. 2 in Dakota county.

This district was created to drain 7,000 acres of land near Jackson, and it was necessary to construct a ditch across the land of Henry W. O'Neill and Cornelius K. Hefternan to Jackson lake. They sought an injunction, assailing the constitutionality of the laws under which the project was undertaken. They alleged that the district was for private benefit and not public utility. The Nebraska supreme court asserted the public character of the project, and the supreme court today sustained this position, saying:

"States may take account of their exigencies, and when the extent of their arid or wet lands is such that a plan for irrigation or reclamation, according to districts, may fairly be regarded as one which promotes the public interests. There is nothing in the federal constitution, which denies to them the right to formulate this policy or to exercise the policy of eminent domain in carrying it into effect. With the local institution the state court is peculiarly familiar, and its judgment is entitled to the highest respect." Justice Hughes delivered the opinion.

## To Early Christmas Shoppers

Mr. Reader, or Mrs. Reader, do you know that the advertising columns of our paper are the most important ones to you of the entire publication. They certainly are. Week after week these business firms are buying space through which to talk with you—through which to tell you of the new stocks they have received, of the special inducement they have made arrangements to offer you.

The advertising columns of this paper comprises a catalogue of every necessity and many of the luxuries of life, and the salesmen are men of your personal acquaintance, honest, industrious men and women who make it their business to serve your needs well and at as little expense as is possible. To neglect reading their messages—every one of them—is to miss many an opportunity. Let us call your attention this week to the advertisements of:

Frank Gaertner, furniture.  
Mrs. Claude Forney, Farm Sale.  
Frank Pingrey, Farm Sale.  
Charles White, Farm Sale.  
Carhart Hardware Store.  
First National Bank.  
Wayne Sale Pavilion.  
Gamble and Senter, Clothiers.  
S. R. Theobald & Co., Dry Goods.  
Orr & Morris Co., Dry Goods and Groceries.  
R. N. Donahey, Optician.  
Frank Morgan's Toggery.  
Wayne Bakery.  
Central Meat Market.  
H. B. Craven, Hardware.  
Wayne County Bank, Shoes.  
J. G. Mines, Jeweler.  
Miss Grace, Millinery.  
G. A. Lamberson, Fuel and Grain.  
I. A. Fansie, Jeweler.  
Wayne Variety Store.  
J. H. Norrick, land advertising.  
Jones' Christmas Store.  
Ahern's, Dry Goods, Groceries and Shoes.  
State Bank of Wayne.  
Wayne Roller Mills.  
Gabe Wells, Upholstering.

## Tabernacle Meetings Suggested

A move is under way among the churches for a series of special meetings to be held at Wayne in January, and the question of erecting a tabernacle for the purpose is under consideration, making the effort a union one of all the churches. More will be known within a few days.

Mrs. Jake Welbaum and Mrs. Chas. Riese accompanied Mrs. Ott as far as Norfolk today on her return trip to Burkett.

## School Notes

Earline Cooper is a new pupil in the first grade.

Margaret Millikin is a newly enrolled student in high school.

Mrs. Lutgen and little Joe visited the kindergarten and first grade Monday.

The fifth grade recently enjoyed little Thanksgiving plays written and presented by the pupils of that class.

Geraldine Christensen and Thomas Runyon have left the third grade, the families moving from the city.

Der Deutsche Verien met Wednesday evening in the music room. German games were played and songs sung, after which the boys served the girls with a dainty luncheon. All had a fine time.

Mr. Leavitt addressed the high school Monday morning on the subject of "Crime and Its Prevention." He proposed the motto, "Others," and cautioned against idleness and the use of tobacco and intoxicants.

The high school will hold a bazaar and social at the high school building Saturday afternoon and evening, December 11. This will be held for the purpose of raising funds for the "Wayne Watchword," the high school paper, and for the athletic association.

A class of ten in debating has been organized to prepare for the preliminary contest to be held after the Christmas vacation for the purpose of selecting the team to enter the state league. The question this year is, Resolved: That Congress should substantially adopt the recommendations of the Secretaries of War and the Navy for increased armament.

The following visitors were present at the Thanksgiving program given by the third and fourth grades; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cherry, Mesdames E. E. Lackey, Kiplinger, Margaret Bush, A. R. Davis, H. J. Felber, Nichols, Chas. Reynolds, R. W. Ley, O. R. Bowen, John Larson, June Conger, M. Kroger, Arthur Norton, E. Rippon, W. O. Hanssen, Geo. Wadsworth, Erickson, Renicker, Lewis and Frank Whitney.

## Real Estate Transfers

Reported by Burret W. Wright, bonded abstractor, Wayne county, Nebraska.

F. M. McElrath to Stella C. McKeen, lots No. 29, 30 and 31, block 21, College hill addition to Wayne, Nebraska, \$500.

John T. Bressler et al to Edward Perry part of ne 1/4 of sw 1/4 18-26-4, \$5,600.

John T. Bressler to Robert H. Jones, lots 27 and 28, block 21, College hill addition to Wayne, Nebraska, \$100.

E. W. Cullen and wife to P. O. Kallstrom, lot 3, block 5, Winside, \$400.

T. J. Pryor et al to Curtis E. Benschopf, s 1/2 of nw 1/4, 35-27-2, \$14,750.

F. M. McElrath to Dierks Lumber and Coal Co., lots 32 and 33, block 21, College hill addition to Wayne, Nebraska, \$400.

Sarah A. Burhans to Wm. F. Assenheimer, s 1/2 30-27-3, \$1.

Edward Trautwein to Henry G. Trautwein, undivided 1/2 lots 11 and 12, block 8, Bressler and Patterson's addition, Winside, \$1.

Edward Trautwein to Henry G. Trautwein, lots 7 and 8, block 6, Bressler and Patterson's addition to Winside, \$1.

S. R. Theobald to J. C. Forbes, lots 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26, block 21, College hill addition to Wayne, Nebraska, \$540.

## Mrs. Carrie Price Dead

Hoskins, Nov. 30.—Mrs. Carrie Price died at the home of her son, John Rissell, the 26th, of pneumonia and bright's disease, at the age of 64 years, 2 months and 18 days. The funeral was from the home of her son Sunday, conducted by Rev. H. G. Langley of Stanton, and the burial was at Bega. Two sons and a daughter mourn her departure.

Installation services will be held morning and afternoon Sunday next. In the morning with the Frieden congregation, and in the afternoon with the Immanuel congregation. Rev. J. Bohler from Belden and Rev. Ifert from Yutan are expected to preach.

See the Democrat for wedding invitations.

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL.**

E. A. Johnson was a visitor at Lyons Friday.

Emil Hansen went to Sioux City Saturday for the day.

A. P. Gossard visited Omaha Friday on a business mission.

Mrs. W. O. Hanssen visited at Randolph Saturday and Sunday.

W. O. Hanssen was at Minnesota the first of the week on business.

A. E. Laase was looking after car business at Omaha last week.

Robert Perrin and wife returned Saturday afternoon from a visit at Winside.

Have that photo made now. Don't put it off any longer. Craven.—adv. 47tf.

Mrs. L. S. Winsor came Friday from their farm near Tilden to visit Wayne friends for a time.

James Pitzer from Plainview was here for Thanksgiving, visiting at the home of Ivan Frey.

Ed. Sellers was home from Beemer Thanksgiving for a piece of Thanksgiving pie. He returned Monday.

Mrs. Mae Bryan of Sioux City was here to spend Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neilen, returning home Friday.

M. T. Woodruff and wife of Laurel were guests at the home of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gildersleeve, last Friday.

Mrs. Geo. Heady returned Sunday evening from a visit with Sioux City relatives, where she had a jolly Thanksgiving.

A. C. Furchner and family, of Sioux City, arrived here Monday night for a visit at the L. A. Miller home.—Allen News.

You are not running the risk of duplicating some other gift when you send a "Craven Studio" Portrait for Christmas.—adv. 47tf.

S. H. Tussel from Ewing was a Thanksgiving visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McClure, his daughter. He returned home Friday.

Miss Gene Palmer returned to her teaching at Walthill, Monday, following the Thanksgiving vacation with some folks, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Palmer.

Mrs. D. C. Main and daughters were visitors at Sioux City the last of the week, and doubtless went to see that wonderful production of the moving picture machine, "The Birth of a Nation."

Speeding automobiles is not only unlawful, it is dangerous for both the public and the occupants of the car, and unless our eyes fail to properly gauge the speed of some passing cars there are plenty of fractures of the speed ordinance right here in Wayne.

Christmas will be here in just three weeks. We will be busy, and as an inducement for you to come in early, we will give a beautiful calendar with each order of \$5.00 per doz. photos, or over, that we make on or before Dec. 15. This calendar is a beauty and sells at \$1.00. C. M. Craven.—adv. 47tf.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mowder from Havana, Illinois, were visiting at the home of R. B. Leonard and wife south of Wakefield last week, and Friday drove to Wayne with Mr. Leonard and paid the Democrat a friendly call. Mr. Mowder said they had been all the way to the west coast to see America first, and had taken in the expositions and the country, and felt that he had escaped without being taken in. He could not help but like the climate out there, but as a place to live it did not appeal to him, especially if one should have to depend upon earning the living. Orange groves were pretty things, but valued at \$2,000 the acre and he said they were not paying 3 per cent on the investment. A number of years ago he had visited in Fremont county Iowa, and had since been telling his Illinois friends of that land as the embodiment of a good farming country, and it is. Since coming on to this county, he tells us that he will now have to amend his previous estimate and give the banner to Wayne county. This was not the expression of one who was trying to flatter, but the honest opinion of a man who grew up and spent his life farming, and who knows the ear marks of a good farm country. He said that the stock raising and diversified farming here would be the salvation of this farm land. Where he lives, in central Illinois, they are wearing their farms out with continuous crops of grain, one following another without rotating properly. He says that he can have nothing but good words for Wayne county when he returns. Even the weather was the equal of that of California while at Wayne.

# DISSOLUTION SALE

Gaertner & Beckenhauer having dissolved partnership, Mr. Gaertner will put on sale their Mammoth stocks of

**Furniture Rugs Pianos Draperies**

**Beginning Monday, Nov. 29**  
**And Continuing For Thirty Days**

Come in and look at the price tags and you will agree with us that this is your best opportunity to secure stupendous bargains. We have the goods—you have the money. You need the goods—**WE NEED THE MONEY.**

Never in the history of this country has all lines of goods advanced so rapidly. The German dyes are exhausted and, while we can make as good in this country, it costs us from 700 to 1000 per cent more to make them. The cotton heretofore almost exclusively used in upholstery and mattresses has advanced 200 to 400 per cent. Brass has advanced sharply, and many other articles in same proportion. In face of these enormous advances we will give you some **UNHEARD OF DISCOUNTS.** We have the goods on hand and need the money. **EVERY ARTICLE IN THE STORE SOLD AT A DISCOUNT**



**A Fine Rug is a Lifetime Investment—**

The purchase of a very large stock of rugs before their advance enables us to give you a Bissell's Sweeper FREE with every room sized rug 8' x 10' or over, Or a 27 x 60 in. rug of the same quality, Or 10 per cent Discount on any Rug.

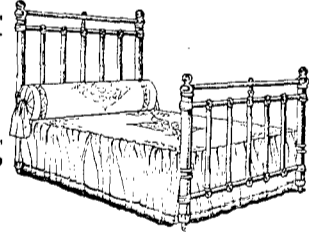


**...Carriages...**  
 We have the largest stock in this part of the state, and they go at 25% Disc.

**FRANK GAERTNER**  
 Wayne, Nebraska

**Mattresses**

In face of their very large advance, we are making the following reductions:  
**\$15.00 Mattress for . . . \$12.50**  
**\$12.50 Mattress for . . . \$10.00**  
 12½ Per Cent Off on all all other mattresses



**Guaranteed Iron Beds**  
 Our \$14.00 2-in. post, 10 1-in. fillers, 4-6 or 3-6, on sale at **\$9.35**  
 Our \$10.00 2-in. post, 10 5-8 in. fillers, 4-6 or 3-6, on sale at **\$6.90**  
 12½ Off on all other Brass and Iron Beds

**Curtains and Draperies**

Made up Lace Curtains—a large line—at . . . **1-3 Off**  
 Yard Goods, Laces and Draperies . . . **25% Disc.**  
 PICTURES, from 25 to 50 per cent discount

**Dining Chairs**

27.50 Oak Set, leather slip seat . . . 19.85  
 34.50 Oak Set, leather slip seat . . . 23.35  
 25.00 Oak Set, leather slip seat . . . 19.00  
 22.50 Oak Set Mission Chairs . . . 17.85  
 10 to 25 per cent discount on all chairs in stock.

Arrange to call at at early date and make your selection, and you can easily solve the problem of what to get for that Xmas Gift.



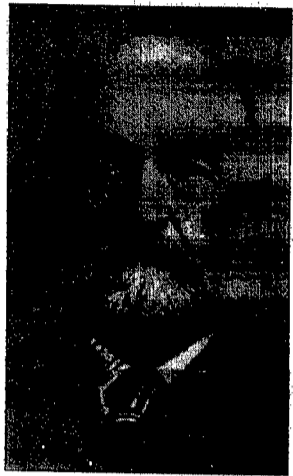
**10% Discount**  
 or more on all lines not bearing special price tags

**CENTERTABLES**  
 at a Discount of 25% to 50%



### Death of S. B. Scace

Stephen Birch Scace, was born at Charlton, Saratoga county, New York, November 6, 1838. He died at the home of his daughter in Wayne, November 25, 1915, at the age of 77 years and 19 days. When a small boy he moved with his parents to Warren, Illinois, where he grew to manhood. He was married on January 1, 1876, to Amelia Stcox. He moved with his bride to Chicago where his family of eight children were born, six daughters and two sons. They moved to Wayne, Nebraska, in the



S. B. SCACE

spring of 1889 and in December of that year one daughter died. Another daughter died last January.

Those who survive are Mrs. Amelia Scace, his wife; Mrs. Mary Scofield, Mrs. Theo. Corbit and Homer Scace of Wayne; Charley Scace and Mrs. Edna Petz of Lusk, Wyoming, and Mrs. Lucile Fegley of West Point, Nebraska.

In 1910 Mr. Scace sold out his land interests here and moved to Lusk, Wyoming, where he has made his home for the past five years.

Mr. and Mrs. Scace came here a few days ago to spend the Thanksgiving time with their daughter and family. He had not been feeling well before they started and soon after their arrival here pneumonia set in. He was conscious from the first that this was to be his last sickness. He attended to business matters and told the loved ones good-bye.

Mr. Scace was an industrious, generous hearted man, never speaking cross words, and happy in his home ties as father and husband.

The sympathy of a large group of friends and acquaintances goes out to the bereaved loved ones.

The funeral was held in the M. E. church Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. A. S. Buell conducting the service, assisted by Rev. S. X. Cross of the Presbyterian church. Interment was made in the Wayne cemetery.

### The Battle Against Tuberculosis

The little cut shown here is the emblem used by many thousand people in a crusade against the most persistent and deadly foe of the human family. It is a fight as old as civilization, and will be a battle royal for years yet to come. But by modern methods of living and treating this disease its victims are growing less as the years go past. Next week is to be known the country over as "Tuberculosis Week," and those who are volunteer soldiers in the battle line will make an extra effort at this time to inspire new recruits to join the army who are fighting to free the people from this disease. There will be medical examination days when free examinations will be made by those who are interested in the cause. Sunday the 12th is to be devoted to the cause by at least 100,000 churches and pastors in the land. 200,000,000 Red Cross Christmas Seals have been printed and are for sale everywhere, and when you purchase them for your Christmas package you give to aid this cause. Can you fail to aid that little?

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

**Wayne Snow Flake \$1.10 per sack, Wayne shorts \$1.30 per hundred, Wayne bran 90c per hundred, at the Wayne Roller Mill. adv.**

### Write Senators and Congressmen

From Blair Pilot

There is something more than our need of defense and fear of attack behind the tremendous campaign that is being carried on for "national defense." Someone is spending a mint of money sending out literature over the entire country, not once, but continuously. We have received loads of it to help form our editorial opinions for "preparedness," but they didn't form that way.

We are leary of the move for people don't usually get out and spend their own good money for such patriotic (?) purposes as the desire to see this country prepared against attack from a foreign foe when there is no foe in sight and when we are reasonably prepared now, according to General Weaver, chief of our coast artillery and by General Crozier, chief of ordinance, and Secretary of war Garrison.

We are just in receipt of a personal letter sent from 308 Fifth Avenue, New York City, by J. F. Hubbard, chairman committee on organization of The American Defense Society. Roosevelt is a member of the advisory board with four others of national prominence. There's a list of national committeemen and board of trustees that runs all the way down the side of the letterhead, so you see it is some organization.

The letter reads: "We are very anxious to form the American Defense Society of Blair and we take the liberty of asking you to be of active service to us, etc." They wanted the names of six prominent men to nominate members for the society. They are to send out 300 or 400 invitations to persons interested and have them meet and form the society.

You see it is quite an elaborate affair. We would think the very life of the republic was at stake if we didn't feel that there was something more behind the project than fear of attack. We are compelled to believe there are two other motives back of this campaign and they are purely selfish ones, not patriotic ones, the desire for personal gain, in other words pelf.

First there are the munition makers who are now so busy supplying the entente allies in the European war. They have greatly enlarged their plants and when that war is over they want something to do. Then there is the great steel trust that furnishes armor plate for the dreadnaughts at such prodigiously high prices.

There are the private ship builders, who just bid so high on two war ships that the government refused to let the contract to them and they may be forced to build them in the government yards, only the government isn't equipped to do all the building the program calls for. If we were there would be a lot less of this agitation. But the government has no steel mills and must buy armor plate of the trust at the prices they choose to ask.

We believe there is another strong element that enters into the preparedness propaganda, the beneficiaries of a high protective tariff. It will take so much money to put this preparedness program through that even the democrats must revise the tariff upwards "for revenue only."

Those who profit by a high tariff don't care whether it is lifted "for revenue only" by the democrats or for "protection" by the republicans, just so it is lifted. Then they get in behind the high tariff wall and boost the price of their products just as high as they can and still compete with the foreign manufacturer who has to pay the tariff on his goods and add it on to the selling price.

You know the real high tariff advocates haven't been faring very well lately, for "the Iowa idea" of having only high enough tariff "to equal the difference in the cost of labor at home and abroad," split the republican party into two camps, progressives and standpaters over the Payne-Aldrich bill in the time of Taft, which finally resulted in letting the democrats in. They reduced the tariff wall slightly and the European war came on and the folks across the water got so busy fighting each other they didn't have time to make any goods to send us, and there hasn't enough revenue been collected to pay Uncle Sam's expenses by some \$50,000,000.

The administration has already decided to retain the present tariff of one cent a pound on sugar, which was to go on the free list next May according to the Underwood bill. A special "war tax" measure was passed that raised \$100,000,000 and it is to be retained, but with these two we are still \$50,000,000 behind and the new congress must devise some method of raising more money.

A whole lot more will have to be raised if the preparedness program goes through as now planned, for it will add a burden of \$150,000,000 more than was spent last year.

If the democrats fail to raise the money by some hook or crook they will be put out of power as incompetent and good high tariff republicans put in who will promptly boost the tariff schedules and the beneficiaries will have won their point, not by the old cry of "protection to infant industries," or of prosperity, but by the patriotic (?) cry of national defense.

You see the point. Are you going to fall for their little game or can you see through a grindstone if it has a hole in it? Printed blanks were enclosed in the letter from the American Defense Society for us to write our senators and congressmen urging them, "to use their influence, in favor of adequate national defense." A plain letter to Senators Hitchcock and Norris and Congressman Lobeck will have a lot more weight with them than filling out printed forms. Write them if you see through this great national hoax and tell them where to "head in" if they want your support in the future. Congress meets Dec. 1st, so DO IT NOW.

### Some Late News Notes

The President's message has gone to the printer. Suppose the devil should get it?

Andrew, William and Matthew Kurth of Madison, Wisconsin, have received a check from the International Harvester Company for \$500,000 for an invention which they have patented for improving a grain or corn binder and shocker. Andrew was formerly a baseball pitcher with an Omaha team.

A wireless message seems to have gotten away from Nauen, Prussia, and was picked out of the air at Tuckertown, New Jersey, about 9,000 miles away. This breaks all records for distance, we believe. It was a war message, and was very plain.

British war losses in November totaled more than 46,000 men, bringing their total loss above the 600,000 mark.

New York City now claims a population of 5,253,888, according to a police census just completed.

New York merchants are expecting and beginning to receive what appears to be a record-breaking Christmas trade.

Senator Hitchcock is again at Washington, and will at once take up his favorite bill for the embargo on arms and ammunitions, to the warring clans of the old world.

Senator Kern of Indiana has again been selected as democratic leader in the Senate, a very wise choice, it appears.

### Elizabeth Spencer to be in Wayne

Miss Elizabeth Spencer, the well known soprano will be in Wayne to present a song hearing on the 16th or 17th of December, at the college auditorium. A number of prominent musicians and music-lovers will receive cards of introduction to this hearing and will consider themselves fortunate in having done so, as Miss Spencer is one of the most versatile artists before the American public today.

Originally a Denver girl, she has appeared for a number of years in Grand Opera and Oratorio as well as in the better grade of popular New York productions. Miss Spencer possesses a voice of remarkable range. She sings soprano roles, as well as mezzo-soprano and contralto selections, and the remarkable part of it all is that her voice is properly placed and effective in all registers. Miss Spencer's programs are thus of greater variety than those of any other living singer whose work is strictly legitimate.

Miss Spencer has the distinction of being the first star from Grand Opera to sing in Wayne.

### Do We Need More?

Wayne has a number of places of amusement run as commercial enterprises. Three pool halls, a bowling alley and shooting gallery where men may go and pass an hour or two testing their skill at the various games. The ladies have a half dozen clubs with social literary features predominating, and they are in no manner commercial enterprises. Then there are the different fraternal orders for both men and women, those with insurance and those without insurance features, but there still appears to be a gap, a large number of young people do not feel quite at home in any of these places, or cannot afford to patronize those for revenue only, hence there comes frequently the call for a sort of almost free play room. The Y. M. C. A. is of the type some think best, but that costs for building and equipment. Why not convert a church or part of a school building for such use if one cannot be built for the purpose?

See the Democrat for wedding invitations.

# Xmas Suggestions

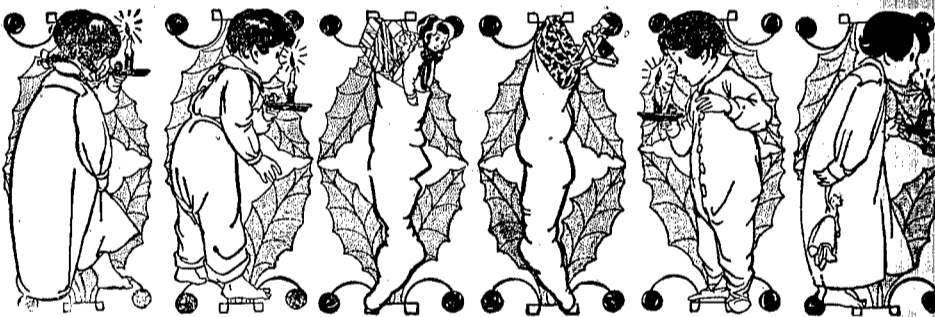
## Buy Sensible, Useful Xmas Presents Early

- Nifty Ties—We've the most beautiful line in the city.
- Big values at 50c - 75c, in beautiful Xmas boxes.
- House Coats 5.00 and 6.00 Bath Robes 5.00 and 6.00
- House Slippers 1.00 to 2.00 Pullman Slippers 1.50
- Silk and Madras Shirts 1.00 to 3.50 Ivory Garters
- Silk and Lisle Hose 25c - 35c - 50c
- Bradley Sweaters 1.50 to 7.00 Patrick Mackinaws
- Hart Schaffner & Marx Overcoats and Suits
- Styleplus \$17 Suits and Overcoats
- Fur Lined Coats and Fur Trimmed Coats
- Coon, Calf and Fur Coats 16.90 up
- Seal, Muskrat and Near-seal Caps 2.00 to 6.00
- Collar Bags, new shapes 1.50, and many other useful novelties. T'will be a pleasure to show you.

## at the Big Style Shop

# GAMBLE & SENTER

## GOOD SERVICE



# Holiday Hints

HANDKERCHIEFS make one of the most convenient gifts to mail. Can be enclosed in a letter, or we will pack them in a neat holiday box. We have just put on sale, direct from the importer, the finest line of all sheer linen handkerchiefs, hand embroidered in Ireland at 25c, 35c and 50c each, also beautiful line initial handkerchiefs at 15c and 25c. You will be pleased with the selection.

GENTS FIBRE SILK socks, all shades, best ever 2c per pair.

NEW LINE OF FURS, scarf and muff to match, or can sell separately. All the new shades, \$4.00 to \$15.00 each. Some new mellow shaped Muffs.

GOOD ASSORTMENT of coats, "liberal discount" on any coat, ladies, misses or childrens. Ask to see the "Winter Girl" serge dress, newest and best dress made at the price, \$12.50.

Silk waists, chiffon waists, crepe waists in holiday boxes, \$2.50 to \$5.00.

KID GLOVES, silk lined gloves, washable cape gloves, fabric gloves, golf gloves and mittens, 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

LADIES TIES, a new line just opened, including all the new ideas at 35c, 50c and 65c.

GENT'S NECKTIES in separate holiday boxes, specially made for us at 25c and 50c, beautiful patterns.

FIBRE SILK and all silk hosiery in black and all fancy shades, 50c and \$1.00 per pair.

## Dress Patterns, Silk Waist Patterns, all kinds Dry Goods

All Kinds of  
Fancy Goods and Notions.

# S. R. Theobald and Company



**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

Frank Helt went to visit at Fremont Monday.

A. P. Gossard was a Norfolk visitor Monday.

Mrs. Ada Rennick was a visitor at Sioux City Tuesday.

Frank Piklenk went to Omaha Tuesday for a short stay.

Mrs. A. B. Conyers of Carroll was a Wayne visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Clara Gustafson is visiting her sister at Wakefield Tuesday.

J. H. Foster was at Sioux City looking after supplies for some of his contracts, Tuesday.

The little folks who like candy and automobiles will be pleased with the bakery advertisement.

W. R. Ellis, wife and son Cooper and Hallie Lamberson cooped to Lincoln Friday, and returned Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Cobb from near Carroll, who was at a Sioux City hospital several weeks, returned home the first of the week.

With the mercury half way between the freezing point and zero, Monday morning was the coldest of the fall thus far.

Turkey was taken in several instances last Thursday, but there is yet plenty of Turkey to trouble the Allies over the water.

Judge A. A. Welch and Court Reporter W. R. Ellis went to Madison Monday where district court is in session this week.

The Presbyterian Missionary society will have a candy and provision sale, Saturday afternoon December 4, at Beaman's grocery, adv.

A programme and box social will be given December 17, at the Chichester school, 5 1/2 miles south and 3 miles east of town. Hazel Norton, Teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weber went to Randolph Saturday to spend a few days visiting at the home of the lady's brother, W. R. Morehouse near that place.

V. A. Senter and daughter Miss Fauniel were visitors at his old home at Bancroft last week Friday and Saturday. They returned Sunday and report a good visit.

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# ...Gift Suggestions...

## LET US HELP YOU WITH YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

Useful gifts are always sure to be appreciated and our store is brimming with suggestions of useful and practical gifts.

Every service and accommodation will be extended to Christmas shoppers.

An early visit will be to your advantage as well as ours.

<p><b>Handkerchiefs</b></p> <p>Did you ever hear any one say they had too many handkerchiefs?</p> <p>.....5c to \$1.00</p>	<p><b>Gloves</b></p> <p>One of the very best suggestions that we could possibly make.</p> <p>Kid gloves,.....\$1.25 and \$1.75</p>	<p><b>Neckwear</b></p> <p>Ladies' neckwear in the very newest ideas. A new lot just opened up.</p> <p>Collars and sets.....25c to \$1.00</p>	<p><b>Hand Bags</b></p> <p>Has she a nice bag? If not here is your chance to make a big hit .....</p> <p>.....50c to \$5.00</p>
<p><b>Dress Goods and Silks</b></p> <p>Don't be afraid you would not make the proper selection. Just tell us her age and the color of her hair and we can help you to get the right material.</p> <p>Per yard.....50c to \$1.75</p>	<p><b>Table Linen and Napkins</b></p> <p>This is always the right thing to give. Table linen and napkins as a gift will win as much appreciation as anything you could think of.</p> <p>Napkins.....\$1.00 to \$6.00 per doz.</p> <p>Linen.....\$1.00 to \$2.25 per yard</p>	<p><b>Blankets and Comforters</b></p> <p>Though absolutely necessary for comfort these make gifts that are appreciated just because they are practical.</p> <p>Blankets.....\$1.00 to \$7.50</p> <p>Comforters.....\$2.25 to \$4.50</p>	
<p><b>Hosiery</b></p> <p>Topsy fast color cotton and mercerized lisle hose.....25c to 50c</p> <p>McCallum silk hose.....\$1.00 and \$1.75</p>	<p><b>Ribbons</b></p> <p>A most wonderful bargain event in fancy ribbons. Don't wait too long to see these.....25c</p>	<p><b>Towels and Linen Pieces</b></p> <p>Fancy bath towels.....25c to 75c</p> <p>Stamped pieces, linen towels and linen toweling at most reasonable prices.</p>	<p><b>Men's Wear</b></p> <p>Shirts, Gloves, Hosiery, Ties, Hose Supporters, Mufflers</p>
<p><b>Women's, Misses' and Children's Coats</b></p> <p>A very complete line of the season's best coats. Every garment fully guaranteed to give two full season's satisfactory service.</p> <p>THE PRICES ARE VERY REASONABLE.</p>		<p><b>Furs for Christmas</b></p> <p>Watch for the announcement of our Christmas fur sale—You'll be able to get what you want at the very lowest prices. Arrangements have been made, with one of the Eastern Fur houses, for this sale.</p>	

Many Items of Interest Will Be On Display that we have not mentioned in this advertisement

<p>Get Our Prices on Christmas Candles and Nuts</p>	<p><b>ORR &amp; MORRIS CO.</b></p> <p>Phone 247</p>	<p>W A Y N E</p>	<p>Phone 247</p>	<p>All your produce taken at highest market price</p>
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Herbert Riggs from Ruthven, Iowa, was here a few days last week. He formerly worked for Fred R. Dean, and was a guest at their home.

There will be a food and candy sale at Paulsen and Fortners, Saturday afternoon, December 4. Cake a specialty. Charlotte M. White.—adv

Mrs. W. H. Capple from Bancroft returned home Saturday, having been here spending Thanksgiving at the home of Geo. McEachen and wife, her daughter.

The gifts that are wanted are the ones to give. Dozens of your friends and relatives want your portrait. Be photographed now and save dozens of worries. Craven Studio.—adv. 47f.

Leslie Serven from Villisca, Iowa, has been visiting at the home of his uncle, N. O. Serven between Wayne and Concord, and Monday entered the Normal at this place for the winter short course. He is a farmer lad.

G. W. Kingston, three miles north of Carroll, is just completing a very pretty and comfortable farm home on his farm. It is a real bungalow. Mel Norton is now there putting on the finishing touches with paint and brush.

Miss Lula Ross, who has been here visiting her mother for the past six or eight weeks, left Tuesday to return to Latham, Missouri, where she has been taking treatment for the past year, and will spend the winter there, where the weather is not as cold as here. She is considerably improved in health as the result of her sojourn there.

When the English government took all of the Canadian wheat under its control flour made a jump of 25 cents a barrel in this country. Well, we can eat more corn bread, and feel better for it.

This item is just about the weather, and is the prophecy of Will Weber, uttered Monday evening: "We will now have a week of fair weather, from Monday till Monday, after that look out." If that holds good it will help the corn shucker a good bit.

W. F. Richardson and family and Miss Agnes Richardson from New Castle and Miss Emma Richardson from Laurel were here to spend Thanksgiving at the home of their parents, A. R. Richardson and wife. They returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Lydia Dixon and daughter, Miss Lois from Lincoln, came last week to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Blair, daughter and sister, and to see that grandchild. The young lady returned home Saturday and the mother went Tuesday.

Leslie Welch came up from Kansas City Thursday to eat Thanksgiving dinner with home folks. His coming was a surprise to the family, as he was not sure that he could make his plans to be home carry, so sent no word. He returned Sunday.

Misses Ina and Ruby Hughes, who were home for their Thanksgiving vacation, returned to their work the first of the week. Miss Ina to Long Pine where she is teaching, and Miss Ruby to Grand Island, where she is attending Grand Island College.

Mrs. Marksen of Omaha was at Carroll last week visiting her husband, who has the contract for the building of the Paulsen home at that place. Mr. Paulsen is soon to have completed one of the neatest and best homes in the place.

Mrs. C. E. Long and children and her mother-in-law, Mrs. Jane Long from Merville, Iowa, came last Saturday to spend Sunday and Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Courtwright, parents of Mrs. C. E. Long. They left Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Dora Baker, who went to Benson several months ago, is here for a month visit at the home of Peter Baker and wife. She reports that the children, whom she placed in a children's home near where she has been at work, are doing nicely, and enjoying good health and school privileges.

Sixteen months of hell in Europe and the crowned heads are not yet ready to permit their subjects to stop slaughtering each other. The dead are numbered by millions already, and winter and starvation will claim millions more before spring.

Richard Closson and wife of the Sanborn, Iowa, Pioneer were at Sholes Thanksgiving attending a reunion of the Closson family, in accordance with a habit they have of getting together on that day. They returned to their Iowa home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Roush, who came from Burkett two weeks ago, came here from Sioux City the last of the week for a few more days visit, and Monday evening went to Winside to remain until today when they plan to return home. Mrs. Ott, who has been here for three weeks plans to go with them. Mr. Roush tells us that he is improved in health by treatment taken at Sioux City.

At the first election in Madison county, in 1867, according to a letter from a pioneer, 32 votes were cast, and the county seat site was named on the Pasewalk farm near Norfolk. But this site was never used for that purpose. The records were finally taken to Madison about 1874 or '75, and after several squabbles about the matter left there and the county capital established at that place.

Roy W. Klopping and wife arrived here from Twin Falls, Idaho, Thursday morning to visit relatives and friends for the next two months. Their coming was a surprise to relatives here. Saturday and Sunday they spent at Laurel with the lady's parents, W. H. McNeal and wife. They will visit many relatives and friends while here. Bryan Klopping is looking after their farm while they are away.

A Merville, Iowa, paper of last week tells of the accidental shooting of Ray VanNorman, a nephew of Chas. VanNorman of this place. The call was a close one, a charge of shot from a shot gun tearing away a large part of the right forearm and putting one eye out as well as injuring the other eye. Local physicians gave proper dressing for the injured arm and took the lad to Omaha for a specialist to treat the eye. It is supposed that the accident happened while getting from a wagon with the gun. He formerly lived here, and his older brothers were among the normal students here a few years ago.

**Christmas Suggestions**

A List of Appropriate Gifts for "HIM"

Raincoats	Suspenders
Shirts	Garters
Underwear	Belts
Hosiery	Jewelry
Gloves	Fur Caps
Bath Robes	Umbrellas
Pajamas	Collar Bags
House Coats	Travelling Bags
Sweaters	Suit Cases
Collars	Neckwear
Handkerchiefs	Mackinaws
Mufflers	Jerseys
Skating Caps	Hats
<b>Suits</b>	<b>Overcoats</b>
Laundry Bags	Tie Rings

Nearly all of the above named articles will be packed in Holiday Boxes. You'll find here, too, a good selection on every item above if you shop early.

If you will bring your personal cards and addresses of friends to whom you wish gifts delivered, I will send them as if direct from you with all price marks removed.

—See My Window—

**Morgan's Toggery**

Opposite Postoffice

**One Pair of Eyes**

—In A Lifetime—

Don't Neglect or Abuse Them.

Your eyes may need attention. If so, go to a competent optometrist and have them thoroughly examined and get glasses.

A good pair of glasses, properly fitted will relieve headaches and nerve strain, and when properly fitted will bring the desired relief and a smiling countenance.

The price of glasses varies according to the work it takes to grind or make them up, and Remember, a pair of glasses not fitted to the eyes will harm them no matter what the price may be. You will get the proper treatments if you come to Donahay's Exclusive Optical Store for your glasses.

Old Papers for Sale at the Democrat office



## Neighborhood News

Gleaned From Democrat's Exchanges

The Dixon Journal editor doesn't want some citizen there to beat the coal trust by taking the office coal all of the time.

Concord will vote on the question of bonding in the sum of \$2,500 for the purpose of installing electric lights, December 7th.

M. G. Doering of Battle Creek was named as the next postmaster of that place at a postoffice election last week. Mr. D. is the present county assessor, and will resign that office.

The city of Dixon by a vote of 33 to 8 decided to have electric lights in the near future. Their plan is to have a wire run over from Laurel, and it will not be completed until spring.

Wynot schools were closed last week on account of an epidemic of diphtheria. The move was to prevent the possible spread of this dread disease, rather than because the epidemic had become serious.

During the past 15 years about \$1,000 worth of warrants ordered by the county board of commissioners of Cedar County have been allowed to remain in the hands of the county clerk. One is said to be for \$215.

The Randolph Times-Enterprise is now an all-at-home paper, having just installed a type casting machine which enables the editor to do things right, or nearly so, and cut out the patent which is a good thing to do.

According to the school news in the Walthill Times, Prof. Ludwickson, who went from Wayne to take the superintendency of the schools at that place last fall, is making good and doing a fine work in organizing with the co-operation of the mothers of the pupils.

At Emerson the citizens are indignant, and apparently justly so, at the treatment of the railroad company in the matter of a toilet room for their patrons, many of whom are compelled to wait several hours at this junction. The Enterprise gives the matter a first page position last week, and from what they say that is not more conspicuous than the toilet set out by the track a half block from the station. Certainly the traveling public should have some consideration at such a place.



**"Just What I Want!"**

Give me cake made with Calumet—I know what I'm getting—I know it's pure, wholesome, nourishing, tempting and tasty.

It's all in Calumet's wonderful leavening and raising power—its absolute purity. Use Calumet for uniform results and economy.

Received Highest Awards  
New Cook Book Free  
See All in Pound Cans

Cheap and big can Baking Powders do not save you money. Calumet does—it's Pure and far superior to sour milk and soda.

Dr. Farmer is the new Presbyterian pastor of the church at Madison.

It is charged that a number of young girls at Battle Creek are guilty of writing obscene matter on the walks of that place. There is talk of prosecuting the guilty ones.

Over in Madison county they are lining up and being lined up for a county seat fight. Norfolk feels that she is of enough importance to be recognized as the hub of the county, which is now at Madison. The claim is made by Norfolk that a new court house is needed, and perhaps Norfolk is going to put up a fine \$200,000 building and invite the county to accept, and perhaps not. At any rate, such a fight is always a dirty fight, and it will take a new generation to forgive and forget the bitterness that will be stirred up.

James F. Coupe, who for the past 30 months has been engaged in Thurston county as farm demonstrator has resigned to take up field work for the Twentieth-Century Farmer. The county organization will continue, but what we read of the matter did not make plain who was to be the new man in charge, if one has yet been selected. Much good work is reported accomplished by Mr. Coupe and those co-operating with him. Not a little credit should be given to the newspapers of the county in giving publicity to the work. In our opinion that has been fully half of the benefit.

The Nels Anderson sale at Wynot Tuesday was attended by one of the largest crowds ever attending a sale in this section. The big attendance is attributed to large newspaper advertisements which attracted a large number from all over Cedar and Dixon counties. The home place of 420 acres, was purchased by Frank Leise, a prosperous farmer residing a short distance from Wynot. Leise bid \$150 an acre for this farm. About \$3,500 worth of live stock, farm machinery and personal property was also sold at higher prices than has been the average in this section.—Cedar County News.

Last week I wrote a paragraph about the engagement of State Auditor-Smith as a tooter of the big horn in the big band employed by the big interests to play dirges whenever the name of Bryan is mentioned. This morning I have a letter from the auditor. He says I should not hold him responsible for the war trust editorials in his own newspaper, the Seward Democrat. He says he has leased his newspaper to another fellow. All right, Smith, but I suggest that you make another lease, and do it quickly—that is, if you desire to look good to the eyes of any free democrat at the primary or afterward.—Columbus Telegram.

With 123 five-men teams entered in the Middle-West Bowling tournament being held at Omaha, the organization has the record attendance of its history. Nine more teams than competed at St. Louis three years ago lined up for the word here, setting a new record for teams in competition. Nebraska was strongly represented in the competition, many of the smaller cities sending one or two teams. Western Iowa is a strong with its bowlers who are topping the pins in great shape. A feature of the tournament was the competition among women bowlers. This week, for the first time the women have won a prize in play. The women bowled for money prizes, their entrance fees being placed to their credit. The bowling of the women caused a great deal of attention among the enthusiasts of the sport.

Saving \$10,000 from the amount estimated as the cost of a stretch of road paving past the state farm near Lincoln has been accomplished in the experiment of using state prisoners in doing the work. Commenting on the success of the experiment, an official of the state engineer, Mr. ... says: "This experiment is saving it more than the shadow of a cent. The state factory has the prisoners working on a scale of work that were able to keep of the thing left dependent on the state prison and a man could not see the stigma of prison life. It is not able to give a cent for the conduct of his public work, the effect upon the prison clientele would be still sufficient encouragement to guarantee a continuance of the system."

## Chris Gruenther Speaks Out

We deeply deplore and regret that President Wilson in his speech before the Manhattan club in New York, after a great deal of circumlocutory grandiloquence, declared in favor of a larger standing army of some 400,000 to 500,000 men for the United States. The president refers to this enormous increase in the army as part of the defense plan for our country, and as he is most enthusiastically backed in his plan by the large newspapers of the country, by every selfish plutocratic influence, and by the exponents of predatory wealth who believe in the doctrine that might is right, and who know full well that this nefarious and destructive doctrine to succeed must be backed by force, such as a large standing army provides. No man of normal mind will say that with a good navy and coast defense our country is in the remotest degree in danger from any foreign foe. The present European struggle was brought on by too much military preparation, and the argument that preparation prevents war is too silly for admission because the contrary is clearly true. Moreover, the European powers did not attempt to provoke war with us when they were in the pink of military condition and we were entirely unprepared. Why should we fear them after they are through with their gruesome task and they are so weak in men and treasure that they cannot afford to speak above a whisper in the next hundred years. The entire propaganda for a large standing army is the devilish design of plutocratic interests who will profit enormously by the scheme to furnish ammunition, equipment and armaments. They have fostered this plan by carefully spreading the all-consuming fire of hate and prejudice among the people, and in this they have been aided by the plutocratic press of the country, and unfortunately, the smaller newspapers have in many ways aided the metropolitan newspapers by spreading misinformation and prejudice. We to our country if once we begin on the western hemisphere to pattern after the European nations in preparing for war, and by nursing the doctrine which follows preparations as a natural and inevitable consequence. Billions of money will be spent if the president's program is carried into execution, and there will be no corresponding benefits. On the other hand, militarism will in the end destroy our liberty at home and our power abroad. Mr. Bryan has raised his voice and influence against this, the greatest danger since slavery times, and we hope and pray that the American people will heed his voice and not allow themselves to be trapped by the enemies of our republic.—Platte Center Signal.

**Farm Notes Picked Up**

As this country gradually turns to dairying more and more not only will the silo and silage become more in common use as feed, but the root crops will be grown. A half acre of mangels will almost keep a cow a year, and they add greatly to the milk flow.

At Hoskins the only cheese factory in this part of the state has opened for business, and if the farmers of the west part of the county will turn the milk of 1000 cows there, it will be a great thing for Hoskins.

Rotation of crops is a great aid to good farming and in proof of the statement we ask every farmer in the county to note that his best corn this fall is on land that has been given a chance to rally under a crop of clover or alfalfa. We would like reports on that subject, for a number in telling of their corn yield have voluntarily added the information that their corn following such crops is about double that of other fields where corn has followed corn or small grains. Suppose that the yield of corn in this county had been increased 50 per cent, would we not all have felt rich and proud?

Good roads are doing much to make good farms and better farmers. The automobile has cost a lot of money, but it has done a lot of good by creating a demand for road improvement among those who are able to have such work done. The farm owner was long indifferent to good roads, but not more so than the business man of the country town, now they both begin to see their value, and it is not confined to those who use an automobile.

Speaking of book farming and agricultural papers, but the other day a friend told the editor of reading when young an essay on growing flax which had won a prize of \$500 as the best essay on the subject. Our friend's father followed the directions of the letter and grew a crop of flax which returned him more than \$50 per acre and enabled him to clean up the mortgage on his farm and later he sold out and bought more land where it cost less per acre, but was really of greater value as farm land. He no doubt continued to read farm topics and profit by them.

**Packers' Bluff**

The bluff of the packers that the sharp decline in hog prices this fall was due to intererance with the freedom of the seas has been "called" from an unexpected source. Figures have been published by the Wall Street Journal to show that the proportion of the foreign trade in pork products which has been interrupted is too small to be the real cause of so great a break in hog prices.

In 1913, before anything had occurred to affect foreign trade, the total value of hog products exported from this country was, in round numbers, \$118,000,000. That was about 15 per cent of the total production of pork products in the United States that year. The amount of the total exports of pork products taken by England and the countries now allied with her was \$68,000,000, the amount taken by Germany was \$19,998,000, while the rest of Europe took \$8,791,000. Thus the proportion of our pork exports in 1913 taken by Germany and all of Europe outside of England and her present allies was only 24 per cent, or only about 3.8 per cent of the total pork production of the United States.

It is unreasonable to suppose that the retailing market for live hogs in a per cent of the pork production of this country would cause a decline in the price of hogs to 20 per cent. The Journal concludes by saying that the packers of control of prices.

Working up the statistics of the trade in pork products, we felt that the condition of the seas was seized upon by the packers merely as a bluff, just as other things have been given for price for years since time immemorial. The price of hogs dropped, but all so temporary conditions are sufficient to explain it. The real explanation lies in the control of the markets by the big packers.—Nebraska Farmer.

**A Curse to the Country**

The democratic party has always opposed a large standing army for the people to support in idleness. A large standing army is a curse and menace to any country, but more especially in a free country. Armies are organized to fight and the larger the army the more certain there will be trouble. The yeomanry are the "Walls of Sparta" and we must depend upon the volunteers to defend the country in time of need, and they will do it. I remember that during the civil war when the safety of the national capitol was threatened the regulars were comfortably quartered in the forts and defenses around the capitol, and never fired a gun, while we volunteers were called upon to drive back the invaders, which we did. If President Lincoln had depended upon the regular army Lee's ragged volunteers would have captured the defenses and marched into Washington.—Sutton Register.

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## Wayne Pavilion Sales

**Opening Saturday, Dec. 4**  
**Day---**

Beginning Saturday, December 4th, the Sales Pavilion Company will hold regular sales, affording opportunity for both buyer and seller to meet and do business. It is none too early to plan to attend this opening sale and NOW is the time for those who have stock or goods for sale to begin to get it in shape and to list it with

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WAYNE MARKET REPORT

Following are the market prices quoted us up to the time of going to press, Thursday:  
Oats 29c  
Corn new 58c  
Barley 40c  
Spring wheat 70c  
Wheat 83c  
Eggs 80c  
Butter 25c  
Hogs 6.00  
Fat Cattle \$6.50 @ \$8.75

Champ Clark is apparently hoping to get a good whack at Bryan this winter by opposing his peace program. Be careful of the rebound, Champ, or you may be in worse shape than you were at Baltimore when you were not very particular about the company you made up with. The sentiment in this country is not favorable to financing immense schemes to prepare to fight an imaginary foe, and you will hear from the people again.

Twenty million bushels of Canadian wheat has been taken over by the government and will probably be sent to Italy for use of the armies of the Allies. The government will fix the price later, but as there was an effort being made to corner the product for speculative purposes the crown just took it all to settle the matter. Say, how would you like to be a subject of any one of the warring nations? You raise the crop and the government take it, and then tax all of the people to pay for it and a lot of other war expenses.

Some late reports seem to indicate that the German submarine, which played such an important part in the earlier days of the war has been met by the British sub-sea craft and driven from the field. Not only that, but the report is that the English under-water attacks have given that nation power to fully enforce a blockade that was ineffectual for considerable time. And yet we have those here who claim to fear a foreign foe who would spend millions for big battleships, the kind which this war has proven dare not go from port in the face of the little diver.

H. C. Evans, editor of the Yeoman Shield, read a paper on the Fraternal Press before the Fraternal Congress of America on the "Improvement of Fraternal Journals." Brother Evans was amply qualified for the task, and in fact he not only tells them, but shows them as though they were from Missouri. Of all the fraternal society papers we receive or in any manner come in contact with there is not one which measures up to the high standard of the Shield. His paper too was as full of good points as is the Shield. He is doing a world of good among the 200,000 members of the Yeoman who get the Shield each month.

An exchange, speaking of the Turk murder of Christians, suggests that the Christian nations should quit fighting each other and unite and exterminate the Turk by force of arms, murder the last one of them if need be, and we wonder why the Christian religion has been near 2,000 years getting where it is. Had all been intent upon killing all of the time they should have had the surviving people civilized and Christianized by this time. Order a few more battleships, pledge the money of the people for guns, ammunition and hirelings to complete this work of Christianizing the world. It is small wonder that the world has not been easy to make accept such a religion as is practiced.

Our dry friends thought it rather small of us that we would not donate a few pages of space in this paper to plate matter which they would furnish gratis so as to save work for the compositor and editor. Now the other side, the publicity department of the Wholesale Liquor Dealers association, have come forward with an equally generous offer. In fact there are a dozen fellows with axes to grind who would edit the country papers for nothing if the publishers would only pay the bill for white paper and ink and help. We may not do a very good job at editing, but we hope we make the fellows with chestnuts to pull out of the fire, at least pay advertising rates before we burn our fingers.

NEWS OF NEBRASKA

Damage Law Is Upheld by U. S. Supreme Court. IN LINE WITH CONSTITUTION.

Superintendent of Tubercular Hospital at Kearney Is Discharged and His Accounts Are Found Mixed.  
Justice Hughes, in the decision of the United States supreme court, affirming the opinion of the supreme court of Nebraska in the case of H. W. O'Neill and C. K. Herffner, plaintiffs in error, against J. F. Leauer and others, supervisors of drainage district No. 2 in Dakota county, said that the provisions of the fourteenth amendment, "embodying fundamental conceptions of justice cannot be deemed to prevent a state from adopting a public policy for the irrigation of arid lands or for the reclamation of wet or overflowed lands."

NEBRASKA'S CREDIT IS GOOD

Eastern Financiers Want to Loan State Money at 3 3/4 Interest.  
According to information received by State Treasurer Hall, New York money lenders want to loan Nebraska several hundred thousand dollars and only charge 3 3/4 per cent interest. They have written State Treasurer Hall that "we would be glad to make a loan of \$300,000 to \$600,000 to the state of Nebraska at 3 3/4 per cent interest, with the understanding that it is to be renewed at maturity at the same rate as often as desired. This would not only put you in a position to take care of the excess demand on all loans in the various political subdivisions of your state, but, by taking these loans at 5 per cent you could make a profit of 1 1/4 per cent." The plan looks good to Treasurer Hall from a financial standpoint, but the state cannot borrow money without an act of the legislature and there is no law which will permit it to go into the brokerage business.

Vanderslice Is Ousted.

E. R. Vanderslice, superintendent of the state tubercular hospital at Kearney, has been dismissed by the state board of control. The charges made of misappropriation of funds from one fund to another without the consent of the board, and also of drawing warrants of employees and paying them smaller sums by personal check, satisfied the board that he is not the man wanted. The superintendent's reasons for his acts was given that it was necessary to take the warrants of the employees and pay them less in order to get money to run the institution. Bookkeeper Weidenfeld checked up the institution last week and discovered the books in such condition that it was necessary to go back to the beginning of the year in order to get at the accounts. The trouble over the matter has disclosed the fact that the board has required no bond of the superintendent, as the law calls for, and that other superintendents and employees in other institutions have been allowed to go without bond.

Keep Money From Lapsing.

In checking up warrants outstanding, which have not been presented for payment at the office of the state treasurer, Mr. Hall discovered that there was about \$40,000 issued in August which have not put in an appearance. On calling attention of the state auditor to the matter, it was discovered that these warrants were drawn for the purpose of using up the amount in the appropriation so that it would not lapse. Of the amount \$23,000 was drawn on the state aid bridge fund and \$17,000 on the tubercular hospital fund at Kearney.

Two Convicted of Stealing Cattle.

A verdict of guilty was brought in at North Platte in the cattle stealing case against Willie Beatty and Warren Soules. Beatty and Soules were charged with stealing two head of cattle from Alfred Bergman of Brady. The cattle with their brands on them were found in their possession. The verdict was brought in after the jury had been out seven hours. Willie Beatty is the son of Colonel William Beatty of Brady.

Tramp Shot by York Officer.

Night Watchman Springer and a tramp engaged in a revolver duel at York and as a result the tramp is in a hospital with a bullet in the abdomen and another one in the head. The tramp gave his name as Campbell. He will probably die.

Shallenberger Files.

Ashton C. Shallenberger, present congressman from the First district, has filed for a renomination on the Democratic ticket for the same office he is now holding, subject to the approval of the voters about a year hence.

Trestle at Lane Cut-Off Burned.

The big Union Pacific trestle on the Lane cut-off, between Summit and Sarry crossings, burned. Union Pacific trains are being routed over the old line through Papillion and Millard.

Farmers' Congress Meets in Omaha.

Delegates from seventy-five organizations out over the state are in Omaha attending the sixth annual convention of the Nebraska Farmers' congress.

OBREGON AIDS VILLÁ WOUNDED

Permitted by Funston to Transport Injured Foe to Hospital.  
General Funston, commanding the United States troops stationed at Nogales, Ariz., and stationed along the international line separating Nogales and the Mexican town in Sonora of the same name, conferred at length with General Obregon, on the Carranza commanders' request for the extradition of Carlos Randall, until last week acting governor of Sonora. After the conference General Funston said he would forward to Washington all the facts laid before him in the case of Randall, who crossed to the American side before the Carranza forces routed those of General Villa in Nogales, Sonora. He announced that a decision in the Randall case would have to come from Washington. Randall himself expressed the hope that he would not be turned over to General Obregon. General Obregon's request that he be allowed to transfer 110 wounded Villa soldiers to Nogales, Sonora, was promptly complied with by General Funston. Adequate hospital facilities had been provided, said Obregon. "This is the first act of really civilized warfare that has been brought to my attention on the Mexican side of the border, and I am especially pleased to acquiesce in the move," was General Funston's comment in granting General Obregon's request. General Obregon later left with all but a few of his troops to join General Martinez, who is in pursuit of the Villa troops, believed to be on their way to Hermosillo, which is reported to have been selected by Villa as his new base and capital. United States cavalrymen on guard duty on the border reported that they were fired upon by a small band of mounted men. Their shots went wild and the Americans did not return the fire.

AURORA PASTOR IS INSURGENT

Dr. Buckner Denounces Methods and Language of Evangelist.  
Dr. J. D. M. Buckner, pastor of the Methodist church of Aurora, gave out a signed statement relative to Rev. Sam Kirkland, the evangelist, who has been conducting meetings at Aurora, in which he protested against and denounced the words and methods of the latter. All of the churches of Aurora have been united in this meeting and Dr. Buckner now becomes an open insurgent. In his statement Dr. Buckner declares that the language of the evangelist is "profane, vulgar and coarse." He protests against the language and the spirit of the evangelist. The ruction started in church circles at Aurora when Miss Kathleen G. Hearn, principal of the high school, wrote a letter to the Ministerial association and asked the ministers to "send the man out of town." She declared that the influence of the words of Kirkland was bad in the high school among the students she was training. The ministers did nothing with this protest of the high school principal. In a number of meetings the evangelist made covert statements about Miss Hearn. These statements are referred to by Dr. Buckner and resented by him.

Roosevelt's Name to Stay on Ballot.

C. W. Pool, secretary of state, ruled, in a letter received by John O. Yelser, an Omaha attorney, that the name of Theodore Roosevelt would have to remain on the 1916 primary ballot. Yelser, who made the filing two years ago, said that a protest was made at that time. This protest was never heard, and according to Yelser, Colonel Roosevelt's name cannot legally appear on the ballot. Yelser said he would file an injunction suit to restrain Pool from placing Roosevelt's name on the primary ballot.

Rock Island Road Would Raise Fares.

That the Missouri Pacific will not be alone in its contention for a 3-cent passenger rate was evidenced when the Rock Island railroad intervened in federal court at Lincoln with the Missouri Pacific in asking for a suspension of the 2-cent fare law pending a hearing in the case. An attempt was made to serve papers on Attorney General Reed, but he refused to accept service for the state.

Sanitary Officers Travel.

J. H. Bulla, president of the state live stock sanitary board, and Dr. Anderson, state veterinarian, left Nebraska Sunday to attend a meeting of the National Live Stock Sanitary association in Chicago. They will also attend a meeting of the National Stallion Registration association, which meets at the same time in Chicago.

Farmer Dragged to Death in Runaway

Peter Stielman, a farmer living near Hartford, S. D., met death when his horses became frightened and ran away. He had the lines about his body and was pulled out of the buggy. Unable to extricate himself, he was dragged about a mile.

Negro Who Attacked Girl Is Lynched.

Ellis Buckner, a negro charged with having attacked a young girl, was taken from the county jail at Henderson, Ky., by a mob of about fifty masked men and hanged to a tree.

Chicago Bowlers Win Title.

The Bowlers Journal No. 1 team of Chicago won the five-man championship of the ninth annual Midwest Bowling tournament held at Omaha with a total of 2,812 pins.

Gustav Langenburg Is Dead.

Gustav C. Langenburg, widely known as a painter and traveler, died in New York City.

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Many ladies who took advantage of the millinery bargains on Saturday, the opening day of Closing Out Sale of Miss Jessie Grace have returned to get more of them since.  
Saturday, Dec. 4  
We will have some Extra Specials  
From 9 to 10 a. m. One lot of Velvet and Felt untrimmed hats, worth up to \$3.00 each. Choice for One Hour Only, at 25c  
From 2 to 3 p. m. One lot of trimmed hats, sold regularly as high as \$6.00. Choice for One Hour Only, at \$1.00  
Fancy Feathers, one lot, values up to \$1.50, now 25c. Fancy Wings, values up to \$1.50—sale price 25c. (Ladies, Don't Miss This Carnival of Millinery Bargains. Sale continues for short time only. Come Today.  
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LIVE STOCK MARKET AT SOUTH OMAHA  
Range Beeves Continue to Show Active Demand at Steady Prices  
HOGS STEADY TO 5C HIGHER  
Fat Lambs Sell Fully a Quarter Higher and Good Ewes Bring \$5.75, the Best Price Paid Since October—Feeders Are Slow Sellers.  
Union Stock Yards, South Omaha Neb., Dec. 1.—Cattle receipts amounting to about 7,500 head yesterday. Range beeves continue in active demand with prices fully steady. Corn feeds, on the other hand, are slow and weak, not only here but at every point as well. Cows and heifers were generally steady with Monday. There being little change in either direction. Stockers and feeders sold in very much the same notes as Monday, the demand being more urgent for the lighter cattle of good quality, other grades being a little slow.  
Cattle quotations: Prime beeves, \$9.00@10.00; good to choice beeves, \$8.00@8.75; fair to good beeves, \$7.00@7.75; common to fair beeves, \$6.00@6.75; good to choice yearlings, \$8.25@8.75; fair to good yearlings, \$7.25@8.25; common to fair yearlings, \$6.00@7.00; good to choice grass heifers, \$5.75@6.75; good to choice grass cows, \$5.50@6.35; fair to good cows, \$4.75@5.25; canners and cutters, \$3.50@4.50; veal calves, \$6.50@9.50; bulls, stags, etc., \$4.25@6.25; good to choice feeders, \$7.25@7.65; fair to good feeders, \$6.50@7.00; common to fair feeders, \$5.25@6.25; good to choice stockers, \$7.25@7.75; fair to good stockers, \$6.50@7.00; common to fair stockers, \$5.25@6.25; stock heifers, \$5.50@6.50; stock cows, \$4.50@5.50; stock calves, \$6.00@8.00; prime grass beeves, \$7.60@8.15; good to choice grass steers, \$7.00@7.50; fair to good grass steers, \$6.35@6.85; common to fair steers,

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### LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Attorney H. E. Simon was over from Winside Wednesday.

John R. Massie was a Winside visitor Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Beardsley of Sioux City spend Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clark.

Mrs. John Larison went to Winside Wednesday to visit at the Carter home a short time.

Girl wanted for dining room work. Apply or phone Hotel, Carroll, Nebr.—adv. 48-2.

A handsome embossed Christmas card free with every loaf of Holsum bread. Arrives every morning at Rundell's.—adv.

Mrs. Woodward came from Martinsburg Wednesday to visit at the home of C. J. Lund and wife, the ladies being sisters.

Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Blair accompanied Mrs. Peters to her home in Sioux City Tuesday to see the "Birth of a Nation."

Now is the time to use National Light kerosene if you want a better light. Get the genuine, only 16c per gallon at Rundell's.—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Massie and son, John R., motored to Norfolk Friday afternoon. They were accompanied by Mrs. M. A. Pryor.

Theo Larson, who has been suffering from pneumonia since being confined to the house by broken legs, is said to be improving slowly the last few days.

## For Sale—160 Acre

Farm in Suwannee County, in Northern Florida, 80 Miles West of Jacksonville.

All fenced and cross-fenced with hog tight fence, good house, 2 stables, good well; land level, and 135 acres in cultivation. But one mile from railway station, 4 miles from county seat of 5,000 population with four railroads. We raise from 40 to 60 bushels of corn per acre, now worth 90 cents. Oats and rye yield big crops, Irish and sweet potatoes yield 100 to 150 bushels per acre. We plant in January and market in May. Water melons ready for market May 20 to June 1st. After melons and potatoes are harvested can sow oats or velvet beans. The beans yield from 2 to 3 tons per acre and sell at \$22 to \$25 per ton baled for hay. One can make more money on 160 acre farm from December to June than can be made on an Iowa or Nebraska 160 in a whole year.

I have another farm of 500 acres which I want to improve, and that is why I will make a low price and good terms on this farm. Will show land and prove every statement I have made in regard to this land.

The climate is good here with breeze from Gulf and Ocean. Have traveled the state over several times and think this is the best location, also the highest point in the state. We can raise fine grape fruit, oranges, also Sea Island cotton which sells for three times the price the short fibre cotton brings. Now, if you want to live among flowers and green trees the year round, and have no coal to shovel, write to

**J. H. Norrick**  
Box 302 Omaha, Nebr.

Perry Benschopf is a Sioux City visitor today.

FOR RENT—Six room house. L. M. Owen.—adv. tf.

Ben McEachen went to Omaha Wednesday with a car of fine white face cattle.

Mrs. Ed. Ellis and daughter came from Pierce Wednesday to visit Wayne friends a short time.

Mrs. Chas. Meyer came over from Wakefield this morning to spend the day with her family here.

I. D. Henderson came from Ames Iowa, the last of the week to join his wife in a visit with his parents here.

Miss Dora Peacock of Lexington, Missouri, came Wednesday to visit her friend, Mrs. Frank Wilson of Winside.

Mrs. Madden is having rooms in the First National bank building fitted for her sewing school and is moving to them.

The Catholic ladies will hold a food exchange and bazaar at the Model Pharmacy Saturday afternoon, Dec. 4th.—adv.

Miss Dixon has moved her sewing school to rooms over the State Bank, thus giving her patrons a more comfortable place to work.

Ben Skiles was here from Crofton Wednesday visiting his father, Robert Skiles and his uncle, J. M. Skiles of Keokuk, who was here.

B. F. McDonald came from Thurston Wednesday morning to visit his daughter, Mrs. E. Lewis, who is ill. Mrs. McDonald came several days before.

Chas. Clossen and Pete Burress from Carroll were visitors at Sioux City Wednesday evening, and to see the "Birth of a Nation" was a part of their mission.

J. M. Skiles of Keokuk, who has been here for a time visiting at the home of his brother, Robt. Skiles, leaves today to visit at Denver and LaJunta, Colorado.

Wm. Hutching from Creighton stopped here Wednesday to visit his uncle and aunt, R. J. Dempsey and wife, just north of town. He left for home this morning.

Notice of Move:—I have moved my sewing school to rooms over the State Bank, and invite patrons and others to call and see the comfortable new rooms. Miss Dixon.—adv.

The "Best Yet" bread will be handled from this date by both Beaman and Rundell, and you can order it delivered with your grocery order from either of these places.—adv.

Mrs. L. M. Owen and Mrs. Harvey Miner were visitors at Sioux City Tuesday, going over to witness the "Birth of a Nation." It is said to be a most fascinating picture production.

There are many fine holiday displays now in, and more coming. W. E. Beaman has just started a panorama of the Wise men going to see the child in the manger which is worthy of going to see.

Its money almost thrown away to buy a poor sack of flour. Users of Splendid flour always find the quality the same. It costs a trifle more, but it's worth it. Sold and guaranteed by Ralph Rundell.—adv.

Miss Edna Delaney, who has been collector for the telephone people for several months past, resigned and retired from that post the last of November. She is yet at Wayne. Carrie Reeder has accepted the place made vacant.

Last week Monday Paul Lessman, who had gone to an Omaha hospital a few days before, underwent an operation for some abdominal trouble. He is getting along nicely, his father says, and he plans to go to the city Friday to come home with the lad.

L. M. Beeler of Norfolk was here Wednesday renewing acquaintance with the friends of other days. He was formerly in business here, and is an enthusiastic booster for good things for the city. He admired the new depot, praised the electrical system and said that we would never be happy until we paved the business section, and then it would spread as fast as the conditions would permit, for all will want it.

C. M. Christensen and family, who have been residents of Wayne for nearly five years past, moved this week to their former home at Harlan, Iowa, where they have a good residence property. Their plans to go to that place were hurried by the ill health of Mrs. Christensen's mother, that she might be there to assist in her care. Mr. Christensen was one of the live business wires while a resident here, and was active in real estate and life insurance, writing more insurance from here than any other district manager for the Northwestern in this state. He carries with him the best wishes of many friends and business associates.

### Presbyterian Church

(Rev. S. Xenophon Cross, Pastor)

Morning service at 10:30; subject, "The Old Paths." Evening service at 7:30 o'clock; sacred concert by the choir.

Sunday school at 11:30 o'clock.

Christian Endeavor at 6:30.

Junior Christian Endeavor at 4.

Members of the choir will give a musical service at the church on Sunday evening. The program follows:

Prelude (Edw. M. Read)—Mrs. Horace Theobald.

Hymn, "Crown Him King"—Choir.

Anthem, "Love Divine All Love Excelling"—Choir.

Solo, "Ave Maria"—Mrs. Davis.

Violin Obligato—Mr. Tweedy.

Duet, "Only Christ for Me"—Mrs. W. H. Morris and Miss Mullin.

Solo, "The Road to Light,"—Dr. Frank E. Gamble.

Anthem, "That Better Land"—Choir.

Solo, "I'm a Pilgrim,"—Herbert Johnson.

Postlude, "Onward Christian Soldiers"—Mrs. Horace Theobald.

The annual Every-Member financial canvass of the congregation will be made on Sunday afternoon.

Twenty-four canvassing teams have the matter in charge under the board of trustees and the United committee of the church. Every member of the congregation will be called upon for a personal subscription. The cards will be checked by a committee consisting of Wm. Orr, A. R. Davis and Harvey S. Ringland, and every member of the church is requested to sign a card. The budget to be raised for the ensuing year approximates \$4,000 and all friends and members are asked to make the contribution as liberal as possible.

The monthly stated meeting of the Session will be held in the church on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The regular business meeting of the C. E. will be held Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

Friendly words are often spoken when the feelings are unkind; take them for their real value, pass them by, and "never mind."

Order of Hearing and Notice on Petition for Settlement of Account

In the County Court of Wayne county, Nebraska, State of Nebraska, Wayne County, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of William Woehler, deceased:

On reading the petition of William Woehler and Frank Woehler, administrators, praying a final settlement and allowance of their account filed in this court on the 1st day of December, 1915, and for distribution of the residue of said estate in their hands.

It is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter may, and do, appear at the County Court to be held in and for said county, on the 24th day of December, A. D., 1915, at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioners should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Nebraska Democrat, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

JAMES BRITTON,

(Seal) 48-4. County Judge,

Henry Hollman and W. A. K. Neely were at Stanton last week to attend a sale of Berkshire boars, and each bought a young animal for their herds.

Miss Elizabeth Greer Hibben, daughter of President Hibben of Princeton university, was married to Professor Maxwell Scaon of the classical department.

A. J. Baird, former teller of the First National bank of Hugo, Okla., pleaded guilty to embezzlement of \$14,150 and was sentenced to five years' imprisonment.

The license of Dr. J. H. Haiselden, the Chicago surgeon, who allowed the Bollinger baby to die at birth because of supposed irremediable deformities, may be revoked by the Illinois board of health.

How the New Haven Railroad company dodged the law in retaining control of the Boston and Maine railroad figured in the testimony of Charles S. Mellen at the trial of the eleven former directors at New York.

The engine of a passenger train bound from St. Louis to St. Paul plunged through the open draw on a bridge at Quincy. Engineer C. S. Concanon and Fireman Herman Atkins, both of Hannibal, were killed.

Enormous quantities of mail moving throughout the country, which the postoffice department attributes to the progress of the business revival, as well as the approaching holiday season, have caused special notices to be sent to all postmasters.

Charges of conspiracy and rate reduction were made against the St. Louis and San Francisco and Union Pacific railroads and the Western Tie and Timber company of St. Louis in indictments returned by the federal grand jury at Kansas City.

# For Christmas Give Jewelry

The most pleasing and lasting gifts are of reliable jewelry. The FANSKE Store sells only reliable merchandise. Our stock this year includes the HALLMARK line. A line of goods controlled by stockholders of the HALLMARK Company and a trademark which means honest, economical service for you at the lowest cost of production. HALLMARK merchandise may be obtained only at HALLMARK stores. We have hundreds of articles that we can suggest as Christmas presents and we are sure we never had a stock more complete. Our showing of Dollar Gifts contains some of the biggest surprises you ever saw. Every article in Sterling silver, well made and of serviceable weight.

## Suggestions for Presents

A Watch, Ring, Lavallier, Waldemar Chain with Knife, Bracelet, Cuff Button Sets, Silver Toilet and Manicure Sets, Fountain Pen, Small Wood Clock, French Ivory, Cut Glass, Sterling Silver, Ever-Ready Flashlight, Souvenir Spoon, Brooch Pin, Hand Painted China, etc.



**My Specialty**  
**\$5 Watches**

Ladies and Gent's  
Gold Filled Watches  
from \$9.50 up

**Rings, the pride**  
**of our stock**



The famous WWW guaranteed rings \$2.00 up  
Guaranteed Knives and Forks . . . \$3.50 per set

We are prepared to do your Optical work and have a private test room for this dept.

The HALLMARK Store **L. A. Fanske** The HALLMARK Store  
Phone Red 111 Wayne, Nebraska

# Wayne Variety Store

## The Christmas Store of 1915

There is a multitude of reasons why it is better to do your Christmas shopping early, but the only one we will mention is the Larger and Better assortment you have to choose from. This reason, if no other, should prompt you to do your Christmas shopping early.

### A Great Variety in Dolls

Every little girl expects a doll at Christmas time, no matter how many she has already, she is always ready to mother and love another one. In addition to the usual line of dolls there are a great many novelty dolls. You can spend a small amount or a large one for a doll, as they cover a wide range of prices, but before you select, see ours. We were fortunate to get a good supply of kid body dolls, a very scarce article this year.

### Balls, Tops and Rattles

We have everything for the little tots, balls rattles, tops, rubber-toys, etc. They are shown on our counters and shelves in greatest profusion. Pick out the best ones now before they are picked over later.

### Interesting Games

A good lively and interesting game is always a source of great enjoyment and amusement for young and old. We have a large variety of them. They include the old and popular ones and the late games that are sure to be favorites. Make your selection early.

### Stuffed Animals

They always gladden the heart of little folks. We keep everything from the 10 cent cloth dog to the high grade Teddy Bears. Every one built to stand hard usage and to give lasting happiness to the little one.

### Perfumery

Every woman appreciates a bottle of her favorite perfume and Christmas is a good time to gratify her wish. We have a fine assortment of choice odors, plain boxes or fancy packed.

### Hand Bags

One of our big Christmas articles, as they make excellent Xmas presents. The new styles this year are very catchy and attractive. Perhaps a handbag would be just the article for one of your friends.

### Christmas Cards and Booklets

A Christmas or New Years card or booklet sent to a friend will serve the purpose in many cases where an expensive gift is unnecessary. They are appropriately worded with pretty verses and sentiments. The prices are extremely modest, one for a few cents.

### Smoker's Articles

For the man who smokes an ash tray, cigar jar, smokers set or humidor would prove a most welcome gift. For a small amount you can get an article that pleases. If undecided about a gift for father or brother who smokes, make him a present of one of the suggested articles.

### Big Values in Iron Toys

American made iron toys are very necessary at Christmas. Mostly because they are very substantial, withstanding attacks of the vigorous youngsters that would demolish other toys, secondly they are made in so many articles that are greatly prized by the American boy, such as trains, engines, fire departments, horses and wagons, etc. We know the great demand there is for American made iron-toys and are prepared to fill it.

### Fine Imported China

If undecided about a present for the wife, mother, sister or sweetheart, send her a gift of imported china. Every woman likes china and never has enough of it. There are many useful gifts, such as cups and saucers, salad sets, sugar and creamers, cake plates, etc. Our line is most complete, offering a wide range of selection in the most popular and useful articles. A little money spent in china will go a long way toward discharging your Christmas obligations.

### Fancy Boxed Writing Paper

A box of writing paper is a most practical and acceptable gift. They can be had in a wide range of prices and are always appreciated.

### Flashlights

The practical modern present for Christmas giving. Come in and let us show you these handy items. They are moderately priced.

### Candies for the Holidays

Candies are a necessary part of the Christmas spirit, equally enjoyed by young and old. Father will eat his share of the Christmas candy even if he shuns it for the balance of the year. Our candy is guaranteed pure and fresh and it is perfectly safe to let the children have their fill. We are prepared to serve you with candy at very low prices.

### What the State is Doing

Dr. J. D. Case, state health inspector, has just issued State Board of Health bulletin No. 4, which contains a large amount of interesting information that should be in the hands of every citizen who is interested in the health and progress of his state and the community in which he resides. Under the supervision of Dr. Case the state board of health is covering a broad field and accomplishing a great deal of good. This bulletin can be secured by writing Dr. Case, Lincoln.

That Governor Morehead's interest in good roads is bearing fruit is indicated not only in Lincoln, but in many parts of the state where his enthusiasm along this line has inspired the general public to increased activity in building more and better roads. Not only the cities and towns, but many of the rural communities of the state have taken hold of the work with a will, and as a result road improvement has received an added impetus not heretofore known. One of the most notable achievements in this respect was the paving of Holdredge street past the State Farm. This was Governor Morehead's plan and inmates of the penitentiary were used to construct the same. The road is practically completed and at a very small cost, comparatively, to the state. As a mark of appreciation of the Governor's interest in good roads, and especially to commemorate the completion of the Holdredge and state farm road, the Lincoln business men have arranged to tender him a banquet at the Lincoln hotel this evening.

Soon after taking his office, State Treasurer George E. Hall served notice on the various county treasurers that he would require monthly remittances of their collections of state funds. Most of the counties have complied with his ruling except those named below. During the 316 days of Mr. Hall's incumbency up to the 19th of November, he has written 744 receipts for county treasurers. This makes an average of 39.5 days between remittances or 8 per county in less than a year. This average of days would be considerably reduced if Douglas, Nemaha, Otoe, Richardson, Sarpy, Valley, Washington, Wayne and York counties had not been negligent about making remittance. If we take the years 1913 and 1914 under republican administration, we find that the present 98 counties made 845 remittances, an average of 80.3 days between remittances or a little better than 9 per county. In this two years of republican rule, six counties only have a credit of twenty-four remittances each, and 5 have a credit of 20 or more. Monthly remittances are by no means an innovation. Back in 1897, John E. Meserve, democrat-populist state treasurer, required monthly remittances of all the larger and richer counties and in the two years 24 remittances were made by each of 31 counties, 20 or more by 10 counties, and the total number made by the then 90 counties was 1699. This an average of 41.1 days between remittances, or over 17 per county.

We wish that the farmer who thinks it does not pay to advertise sales in the papers could see the people who call at a printing office in the course of a season and go over the exchanges to find the sale advertising. One bidder of the kind who is looking for a sale is worth more to the sale than all of the advertising costs, and it pays to see to it that at least a half dozen of those fellows have an opportunity to find out about your sale if you want a good one.

### It Is Our Purpose--

To handle any business entrusted to us in such a fair and liberal manner as to make the customer's relation with this bank satisfactory.

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.

Deposits in this bank are protected by the Depositors' Guarantee Fund of Nebraska.

**State Bank of Wayne**  
Henry C. President

### A Book on Wheat Growing

The following is from the Billings (Montana) Evening Journal-Tribune, and while of much general interest will be of particular interest to our readers, for the author is not only a Nebraska woman, but a Wayne resident before her marriage about two years ago. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Griffith of this city. The work has the endorsement of the leading agricultural instructors of the University at Lincoln. The Montana paper says:

"Billings may lay claim to one of the foremost wheat authorities of the United States as a permanent resident. Collaboration in a 340-page volume treating all phases of the wheat industry and regarded as a standard work for use in the schools is the means by which the Billings resident gains recognition as an authority. Moreover, as an extra claim to distinction, the author is a woman—Mrs. C. W. Demel, a teacher in the Billings high school.

When Mrs. Demel collaborated in the preparation of the volume, her name was Miss Donnee Griffith. At that time she was doing post-graduate work at the University of Nebraska, and occupied the chair of the department of geography and conservation. The book was written during her spare time. It has just been published by the MacMillan company of New York and the demand for it already has begun.

In writing the volume, the Billings woman collaborated with N. A. Bengson, A. M. Wheat is treated in a highly scientific manner, but at the same time in a manner understandable by the city-bred person, who at the beginning knows that wheat is something from which his breakfast cereal is made and vaguely recalled as an agricultural product by which means Montana will save the nation this year. But when the layman has completed a perusal of the book and has absorbed its contents, he might qualify as a wheat expert, for the treatise is thorough. The work is considered of exceptional value in that it takes the student into the fields of geography, agriculture, language, history, domestic science and collecting.

Mrs. Demel is the wife of a well known Billings attorney and has been a teacher in the high school here for some time.

### History You Ought to Know

The present form of the saloon business originated in this country during the Civil war period, 1862-65. In order to prosecute the war to free four million slaves, congress of the United States sitting in Washington, passed a bill putting a high tax on liquor. When the bill had passed both branches of congress, Salmon P. Chase, secretary of the treasury, who doubtless had sponsored the bill in order to finance the war and keep up national credit, brought the bill to President Lincoln for his signature. "I would rather have my right arm taken off, Chase, than to sign that bill, but I reckon I'll have to do it. You say it is necessary to carry on this war to free those human slaves. We have got to do it. But tell me, Chase, will you promise, and will congress promise, to repeal this bill when the war is over?" Chase promised.

But soon after the battle for human liberty had been won, President Lincoln was shot dead by a disgruntled maddened man. And Chase, no more secretary of the treasury, forgot, and the promise to the martyred president stands unredeemed to this day.

Had Lincoln lived, the American saloon as we know it, might have never existed. But it is not too late yet to overthrow this business, which is binding and ruining millions of men.—Ex.

### Crop Reports

The government corn crop reports are either misleading or vicious. Only those gambling in grain would be interested in misleading reports and it is to be hoped that the agricultural department is above influence of this kind.

Mr. Carlson of Norfolk has done some investigating for the department at Washington and when he saw the extraordinary reports that were going from some points in regard to the corn crop he wrote saying that there would be a great shrinking owing to the fact that the quality was so poor. Mr. Carlson was informed that Washington was not interested in the quality, what they wanted to know was the quantity.

If this is the kind of service that the farmers are getting for the expenditures which are charged up to the agricultural element it is quite time to find out who is really being benefitted by those reports. —Creighton Liberal.

Are you going to get a \$1.00 calendar free, at Craven's Studio? adv. 47f.

### Misuse of the Primary

We have always held that the direct primary will not bring the millennium. It won't do anything unless it is rightly used. The Nebraska presidential primaries show it.

Nobody has been bothering about presidential matters in Nebraska. Then, all of a sudden, primary day looms up.

What shall we do? Why, stick some names on the ballot.

But whose? Why, look around you. There must be some one you know.

Where? Anywhere—Kansas City, for instance, it's nearest.

Why, they're having a commercial club dinner there tonight for Mayor Thompson, of Chicago, and a man named Estabrook, that used to do something in our state university.

What are they? Republicans? I guess so.

Well, let's stick 'em down on the presidential primary ballot.

They do so without even bothering to get the consent of Mayor Thompson, who promptly repudiates them.

That's the way it's done. And in fact that way is a good device for strengthening popular control over government made a laughing stock for the reactionary. No democratic weapon is of avail against the enemies of democracy unless it is intelligently used.—Chicago Tribune.

There is one thing the primary does do, even if it is misused as many another good thing is, it makes such corporation controlled editors as the Tribune employ long for the political power once held, which is being taken from them by the primary.

### The Best Medicine

According to the state health department of North Carolina, printer's ink is the best medicine. "It prevents illness, builds hospitals, controls epidemics and reduces the death rate, corrects insanitary conditions and relieves the public of many ills."

And this particular health department knows what it is talking about, for it practices what it preaches. It has one of the most energetic and efficient publicity bureaus in the country. The bureau sends daily and weekly articles to all the newspapers in the state willing to print them. And a large and increasing number of editors do print them, because they know that anything dealing with questions of health clearly and intelligently is "good stuff," eagerly read and highly appreciated. Besides this newspaper publicity work, the bureau sends a monthly health bulletin to more than 50,000 families, and additional literature to anybody that wants it.

That the North Carolina health department knows how to impress the average man or woman may be seen in these hints on "How to Get Sick," which it has scattered over the state:

"Hurrying through meals, gulping down poorly cooked food, never smiling, over-eating and under exercising, hurrying, fretting, straining to keep up appearances, sleeping with closed windows, reading medical ads and diagnosing your own case, taking every old medicine recommended by your neighbors and enjoying poor health."

With such a liberal and medicinal use of printer's ink, it's no wonder that North Carolina's health average is rising and its mortality rate sinking.—Norfolk News.

### Notice

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the office of the county clerk of Wayne county, Nebraska, for county physician, from January 1, 1916, to January 1, 1917.

County physician to render all necessary attendance and furnish all medicine necessary for all persons who are or may become a county charge upon said Wayne county, and all those whose circumstances are such as to require the county to provide for them such attendance and medicine whether inmates of the county poor farm or not, and all prisoners who may be in the county jail during the year.

Said physician to furnish at his own expense, all medicines, for persons dependent upon the county for the same, and also perform all surgical work for such persons, including the prisoners aforesaid. Bids to be made for so much for the year.

The board of county commissioners have and reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Bids to be filed on or before January 1, 1916.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this 1st day of December, A. D. 1915.

Chas. W. Reynolds,  
(Seal) County Clerk.

# PUBLIC SALE

As I am going to move to Iowa, I will sell at public auction on the Pingrey farm, two miles west and three and one-half miles south of Wayne, and six miles straight east of Winside, on

## Wednesday, Dec. 8th, 1915

Commencing at 1 o'clock sharp, the following property: Free Lunch at 12 O'clock.

### 5 Horses and Mules

Span of mules, 8 and 9 years old, weight 2,500 pounds; team of mules, 7 years old, weight 2,400; sorrel horse, 8 years old, weight 1,800.

### 18 Head of Cattle

One milch cow; 8 Shorthorn cows and 5 heifers, all with calf; 3 yearling steers; one good Shorthorn bull.

### 84 Head of Hogs

Being 60 fall pigs, 9 old sows and 15 spring pigs.

### Farm Machinery

Deering binder, Great Western manure spreader, McCormick mower, Deering corn planter with 120 rods of wire, Dain hay stacker, 2 Dain push sweeps, wagon, top buggy, hay rack, gang plow, 2 sulky plows, walking plow, 2 New Century cultivators, John Deere walking cultivator, 2 drags, harrow cart, Imperial drill, 2 discs, weeder, New Superior fanning mill, garden plow, Gade gasoline engine, washing machine with shaft and pulleys, DeLaval separator, grind stone, 2 steel oil tanks, 5 feed bunks. Most of the machinery is practically new.

Single harness, double harness, heavy work harness. Two dozen chickens. Thirty tons of clover hay, 500 bushels of seed oats, 500 bushels of corn in crib. Other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS: Ten months' time will be given on approved notes drawing 10 per cent interest. Sums under \$10, cash. All property must be settled for before being removed from the place.

# F. A. Pingrey

E. & D. H. Cunningham, Auctioneers Paul Meyer, Clerk

# PUBLIC SALE

As I am going to quit farming, I will hold a closing out sale at my place 5 1/2 miles straight north of Wayne, on

## Tuesday, December 14, '15

Commencing at 1 o'clock Free Lunch at noon

### Three Head of Horses

Team of bay mares, 13 and 14 years old; one black gelding, 15 years old.

### Eighteen Head of Cattle

5 good milch cows, 4 of which were fresh this fall; 5 head of 2-year-old steers, 3 head of yearling steers, 4 fall calves, one 2-year-old heifer.

### Eighty Head of Shoats

About half of which are sows, balance barrows.

12 Doz. Plymouth Rock Chickens. Corn to be sold in crib. Several Tons of Good Alfalfa Hay to be sold in stack.

### Farm Machinery

With hay rack, double two-seated top buggy, single top buggy, 18-foot iron drag, John Deere No. 9 corn planter, 14-inch John Deere Stirring plow, riding cultivator, walking plow, set double buggy harness, set single buggy harness, some other articles.

Approved note drawing 10 per cent interest. \$10 and under cash.

# James W. White

E. & D. H. Cunningham, Auctioneers Harvey Ringland, Clerk.



## Wants, For Sale, Etc.

B. P. Rock roosters for sale. H. J. Luders, phone 157.—adv. 47tf

FOR SALE—Several Poland China male pigs. Geo. McEachen, adv. 46-4.

FOR SALE—A number of Poland China male pigs. Prices from \$15 to \$25. Chas. McConnell, one-half mile west of high school building. Phone No. 122-401.—adv. 43tf.

**Furnished Rooms For Rent**  
Apply block west of First National bank. O. S. Roberts, Phone Red 140.—adv. 48tf.

**For Sale**  
A 3x9ft. table in good condition. Will be sold cheap on account of lack of room. Can be seen at tailor shop. E. C. Tweed.—adv. 48-2.

**Young Cattle for Sale**  
10 head of yearlings. John Venneberg. Phone 21-424.—adv. 40tf

**For Sale at a Bargain Price**  
Two Harley-Davidson motorcycles, at Wayne Novelty Works.—adv. 36tf.

**Polled Durham For Sale**  
Have a few double Standard Polled Durham Bulls for sale. Am pricing them right for immediate sale. E. W. Splittgerber, route No. 3, Wayne Nebraska.—adv. 9tf

**Duroc Jersey Boars For Sale**  
I have a few first-class young boars for quick sale. Geo. Buskirk, Pender, Nebr.—48-8pd.

**Baled Wheat or Oat Straw**  
I have for sale a quantity of baled straw, and town orders will be delivered by J. L. Payne of Wayne Feed Mill, or you may order of M. T. Munsinger, Phone 427.—adv. 46tf.

**For Quick Sale**  
I will sell any one of my dwelling houses in Wayne at a very low price and on almost any kind of terms, as I am anxious to close them out. I also have some choice building lots near the high school that I will sell at right prices. Don't hesitate to ask me about them.  
Grant S. Mears, adv. 43tf.

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

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

## LISTEN!

**LAST CHANCE**  
I have a safe and honest business far, far beyond the ordinary; an old ad alone and have plenty already; want an honest partner with capital to back himself with little if I will back him with much, him take full charge of office in some suitable town, see to the filling of orders and shipping out the goods, three or four hours' time per day, act as banker and custodian of all monies, draw regular salary of \$150 per month and also one-half of all profits; no experience required, but must be honest; state capital and reference and get busy if you desire to make a change and better your financial condition, as this is positively a chance of a life-time.  
W. NOLES,  
Mitchell Hotel, Sioux City, Iowa

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## Among the Churches of Wayne

**Methodist Church**  
(Rev. A. S. Buell Pastor).  
The subject for next Sunday morning's sermon will be "The Love of Christ" in the series on the Christ. Following the sermon the sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered.

In the evening the subject will be another in the series on personal experience.

Rev. Emil Sywulka of the African Inland mission gave a very interesting message last Sunday evening on his personal experience as a missionary among the negroes, showing how the love of God works its miracles of grace in the colored man's heart. At the close of the message, Dr. Leavitt spoke for a few minutes in behalf of the friendless prisoner.

There will be a bazaar and tea at the home of Mrs. D. C. Main Thursday afternoon, all are invited.

Friday afternoon the W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. A. M. Helt.

Last Sunday afternoon an informal meeting of representatives of the various protestant churches of Wayne was held at the Methodist church to discuss a union tabernacle meeting. The proposition was submitted to have Dr. W. D. Hamilton of Sabetha, Kansas, who has had such splendid success at Hastings and Seward and many other places, to conduct a meeting in January. The Baptist people desired to wait until their pastor should arrive before taking any definite action. Others thought that we would not be able to get ready for a January meeting. The general feeling seemed to be that we must get together in an evangelistic program as soon as possible. At the present time a great revival wave is sweeping the state. The meeting adjourned to meet Sunday afternoon Dec. 12, at 3 o'clock.

**St. Paul's Lutheran Church**

Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.  
Morning worship at 11 o'clock.  
Luther League at 6:30 o'clock.

Sunday morning we will have with us Rev. C. H. Lewis of Emerson. Let everybody come out and give him a full house to deliver his message to. He has promised that he would sure be here so you come.

The Ladies Aid society meets this week at the home of Mrs. E. C. Tweed, Thursday, December 2. All members are requested to be present as it will be the last meeting to be held before the bazaar, which will be held Saturday, December 11, in the building, occupied by Miss Dixon. The ladies will also hold a food exchange that day.

The Christmas services have arrived and the choir will hold its rehearsal Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Julius Hurstad.

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

**German Lutheran Church**

Rev. Moehring, Pastor  
Remember the confirmation class which is to begin Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

The pastor will preach at Winside on Sunday, and there will be neither Sunday school or preaching at the Wayne church on that day.

**Baptist Church**

Professor Britell will speak next Sunday morning at the usual hour. There will be no preaching service in the evening.

Sunday school and young people's service will be held as usual.

**New Pastor To Arrive Next Week**



A card from Broken Bow tells that Rev. Gaston and family expect to reach Wayne December 8th, and that he will preach and conduct the Baptist services Sunday the 12th.

Wayne County Review: "We learn that the Sioux City, Columbus and Black Hills Railroad company will shortly submit a proposition to the board of commissioners of Wayne county asking aid to build their road through the county. Everyone that knows our situation is aware of the advantage that a road from Sioux City would be to us. If it pays now to draw lumber from Sioux City, how much better would it pay our farmers to have it laid down here at a price far below winter prices, which can certainly be done.—From Sioux City Journal items of 40 years ago.

## LOCAL NEWS

According to the figures, the Irish have furnished more soldiers in proportion to their population than any other part of the British domain. More than 81,000 have joined from Ireland besides the reservists and those already in the army at the first.

The ship famine is so great that many of the railroads to the seaboard have ceased to accept any freight for export, for once a car is loaded for foreign shipment it may not be able to approach a dock to be unloaded for three months. There is a blockade at all eastern ports.

Last week Frank Spahr finished gathering his corn, one of the first to finish. He said that corn on meadow sod had averaged 50 bushels to the acre. On old ground a scant 30, and of inferior quality. His case is the same as many others, the best corn follows grass of some kind.

Mary Edna, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Worley, died at their home nine miles southwest of Wayne Sunday night at the age of 9 months and 29 days, from a complication of measles and pneumonia. The father and one other child are reported ill at this time. The burial was from the home Tuesday.

T. J. Murrell, now at the home of his daughter at Council Bluffs, is daily improving in health, and is able to take walks of several blocks. If he goes back to Grand Island he should be careful to keep off the side walks, or he might be run over again by an automobile, and he can't stand a jar of that kind every day and keep in good condition.

W. H. Eastman, who lives in the north part of this county and does his business mostly at Randolph was in Sioux City the first of the week from that place with a bunch of cattle which he had been feeding for 75 days, and thought it was time to let them go to make room for others. He did not find the best of market, but his offering was good enough to sell toward the top, and give him some pay for the exercise he had been indulging in for the past two and a half months.

An organized effort is being made by those interested in the Omaha Indians or Indian lands to make a test case with the government to learn whether or not the government had authority to make an extension of the Omaha trust period. It was held that at the close of the 20-year period the Indians could rightfully be given patent to their land. From reading the account it is hard to tell whether it is the Indians who want the patent or those who want the lands from the Indians who are taking a lead in the matter. Probably the latter.

**Want Rural Credit Adopted**

At a meeting at Chicago this week which will represent more than a million farmers, speedy action on a rural credit law will be asked from congress. A news dispatch says:

At the third national conference on marketing and farm credits, which opens here tomorrow, representatives of farmers' organizations with a membership of more than 1,000,000 will take a shot at the high cost of living by drafting a bill for cheap rural credit which they will attempt to persuade congress to pass early in the session. Present banking laws, both state and national, it is explained, prevent the farmers from forming credit organizations which would enable them to get money cheap and thereby produce more, better and cheaper grain and other products.

The American farmer pays higher rates of interest than other borrowers, it is pointed out, considering the security he offers. A first mortgage on a good farm, the bankers admit to be the highest type of security for a loan. Yet, the farmers say, the co-operator has to pay more interest, higher commissions, go to more trouble and get less satisfactory accommodation than any other man who wants to do business on borrowed capital.

**For Sale or Rent**

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Christmas will be here in just three weeks. We will be busy, and as an inducement for you to come in early, we will give a beautiful calendar with each order of \$5.00 per doz. photos, or over, that we make on or before Dec. 15. This calendar is a beauty and sells at \$1.00. C. M. Craven.—adv. 47tf.

**Flags of France.**  
France had numerous national flags before it adopted the tricolor. Although its present banner is not particularly artistic, its predecessors ranked among the most beautiful flags in the world. The first French flag was extremely quaint. It consisted of a blue hood hung on a cross bar and represented the cloak of St. Martin, a saint greatly revered by the French, and years ago his helmet was carried in their wars to inspire the soldiers. The second French flag was a beautiful banner of red, with its loose end cut into three tongues resembling flames, between each of which was a green tassel. Some picturesque banners were at one time carried by the French warriors before the tricolor waved over the French battlefields. There was the sky blue cavalry standard with the golden sun of Louis XIV., the white and gold banner of Joan of Arc, magnificently embroidered with the Madonna, angels and lilies, and the famous old banner of the city of Paris, with its white ship on a blood red field.

**Watch Your Dishcloth.**  
Improperly cared for, what a happy hunting ground for germs and microbes the dishcloth may be, exclaims Eva J. de Marsh in Farm and Home. Just put one in a pan with a lot of dirty, greasy dishes, rinse it in lukewarm water or not at all, hang it in a warm, dark, shut in corner and leave it overnight. You will know it is there! Drink some milk, eat some butter, pudding or jelly that has stood where it absorbed all the dishcloth had to give, and if you suffer no ill effects you are germ proof.

The materials of your cloth may be anything, so long as it is absolutely clean and free from dyestuffs. Let your dishes be scraped clean before they go into the pan, use your cloth to wash them only and always rinse it well when you are through. If you can, frequently hang it in the sun, wash and boll often, and never leave a cloth so it will remain wet a long time and get sour.  
How's your dish rag?

**The Man-of-war Bird.**  
The frigate pelican, or man-of-war bird, is usually met with by travelers in the tropics. Although when stripped of its feathers it is hardly larger than a pigeon, yet no man can touch at the same time the tips of its extended wings. The long wing bones are exceedingly light, and the whole apparatus of air cells is extremely developed, so that its real weight is very trifling. It flies at a great height above the water and from that elevation pounces down on fish, especially preferring the poor, persecuted flying fish for its prey. According to some authors, the name of man-of-war bird was given to it because its appearance was said to foretell the coming of a ship, probably because the frigate pelican and real frigates are equally adverse to storms, and both like to come into harbor if the weather threatens.

**Our First Silk Factory.**  
Ohio was the first state in the Union to engage in the manufacture of silk, according to Dr. William C. Mills of Ohio State university.  
"The first silk factory was erected at Point Pleasant in 1841 by John W. Gill and Thomas White," said Dr. Mills. "These men planted twenty-five acres in mulberry trees and began the raising of silkworms the following year. Dress silks, ribbons, silk velvets and figured silks were manufactured. The buckeye hurr in light buff was the first pattern woven. A vast pattern from this piece was presented to Henry Clay, who also wore a suit of broad-cloth made in a Steubenville factory. Since 1877 not a yard of cloth of any kind has been made in Steubenville, although at one time there were twelve woolen, cotton and silk mills located there."—Baltimore American.

**The Sublime Porte.**  
The phrase "the sublime porte" arises from an aspect of the sultan's capital. The French words "sublime porte" are derived from "porta sublimis," meaning "the lofty gate." Constantinople city used to have twelve gates, and near one was a building with an imposing gateway called Bab-i-Humajun. In this building resided the grand vizier, and there also were the offices of the chief ministers, whence all the edicts of state were issued. The French phrase was adopted because at the time French was the language of European diplomacy.

**Restricted Freedom.**  
One of the funniest things in the world is the self-conscious look of embarrassment on the face of a distinguished visitor when he receives the freedom of a city and its key, which he knows won't even admit him to a five cent moving picture show.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

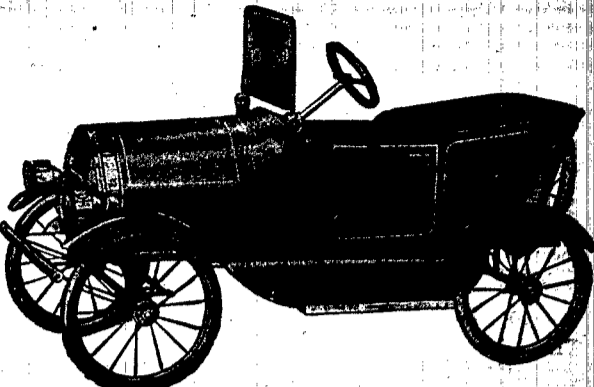
**A Facilitator.**  
Impatient Guest—Walter, I must catch a train, and I'm in a hurry. What are the chances of my getting served at once? Walter—About one to one, sir. Impatient Guest—I get you—\$1 to one waiter. Here you are! Now slide!—Exchange.

**The Other Side.**  
She—Why do you refuse Ethel's hand to Mr. Nocoyme? Don't you want your daughter married off? He—Yes; what I am trying to avoid is having a son-in-law married on.—Boston Transcript

**Useful and Ornamental.**  
"You certainly wear swell clothes, old man. How can you afford them?"  
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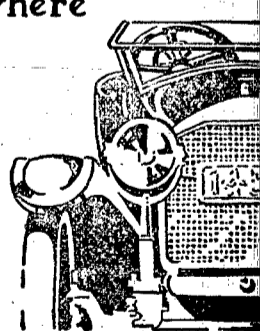
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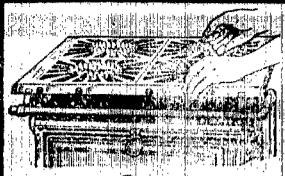


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## Premarital

### It Was Not a Settlement of Property, but of Principle

By EDITH V. ROSS

We cannot judge of the whole by a part. To say that because some people are not fitted to govern themselves no people are fitted to govern themselves is a non sequitur—that is, the conclusion does not follow the premise. Because some women are so interested in home, husband and children that they do not care to take part in politics we are not justified in assuming that women had much better let politics alone. Differences of opinion, of fitness, are the wheels of progress. A people of one mind on all subjects becomes stagnant.

Elsie Harbeson was an example of a girl who was tempted to enter the fray for the rights of women without fitness therefor. She was a lovable creature, very feminine and not especially gifted in a scholarly way. At any rate, while in college she had received the lowest possible rating, especially in logic. She was neither an officer of her class nor on any of the committees. Indeed, Miss Harbeson was not in any way fitted for a leader in the great and absorbing struggle for the political advancement of her sex.

When Elsie met "her fate" she found a man who was drawn to her on account of the feminine mold in which she was cast rather than her aspirations. The Scotch saying that we would be blessed, at being able to see ourselves as others see us pertained especially to her. To Herbert Winston, her lover, it was plain that the cause of women would lose nothing by the defection of the girl he loved. He had no preferences for or against the cause, but he was opposed to Elsie wasting her time in a matter which other women were far better fitted to push than she. But Herbert was given to diplomacy rather than to open opposition and had no mind to fly in the face of his fiancée's views. He made no comments whatever on these particular opinions. Elsie believed that a matter in which she was interested and upon which her fiancée seemed indifferent should be settled between them before marriage and, bracing herself for a struggle, opened the subject.

"Herbert," she said, "there is one matter for us to consider before our marriage, a matter on which my heart is set, upon which you seem to be indifferent, but which is liable to make trouble unless there is a distinct understanding while we are still free."

"There is nothing to settle before marriage, because I propose to give way to you in everything."

"That's very sweet of you. But you don't seem to realize as I do that there is a good deal that is practical in married life, that romance changes to companionship, which is far more enduring, and that companionship is dependent upon a husband and a wife having the same views."

"That doesn't cut any ice in our case, because, as I have told you, your views shall be my views."

There was rather too much subservience in this to suit her; but, since she could not find fault with it, she took refuge in a side issue.

"I am sorry to see that you are becoming slangy. It would have sounded better for you to say 'make any difference.' But, to take up a far more important matter, I am very much interested in the struggle for the emancipation of women that has been going on for many centuries. It is one of the elements that have entered into the civilization of Europe and America."

"How?"

"How? Why, Professor Howland mentioned it in his lecture on civilization."

"It seems to me we are getting away from the subject which you consider of so much importance. I don't think it would pay us to enter upon a discussion of what goes back several thousand years. We'd have to put off our marriage indefinitely in order to get down to modern times. How would it do for us to make a compromise on this matter of the emancipation of women—I to have no opinions concerning it, you to have whatever opinions you like?"

"And express them?"

"Certainly."

"And act upon them?"

"Of course."

"That's lovely of you. I didn't think you would be so liberal."

"I'll be more liberal yet. If you like I'll conch you on the arguments pertaining to the cause you are to advocate."

"Will you?"

"Certainly."

"When shall we begin?"

"Any time—now if you wish it."

"Very well; mention some of the main arguments."

This was very mean of him. He had no business to lead her into such a trap. Having embarked in a struggle to wrest from man the rights of woman, she now signified her reliance on man by accepting his services to instruct her as to how to go about her work.

"Man," he said, "when left to himself, without woman's influence, becomes brutal. Ergo, he has in him the nature of a brute, which can only be kept in subjection by his wife. 'See?'

The conclusion to this argument was somewhat startling. Elsie could not follow it all at once, so again she took refuge in a side issue.

"Please don't use that word 'See?' Why not say, 'Do you understand me?'"

"Just so. I think it will be admitted by any woman who is or has been married that keeping her husband in subjection requires a lot of time. Then there is the household to look after, and the children, and a lot of other things."

"I thought you were going to give me arguments in favor of the emancipation of women. You are proceeding to prove that a wife is too busy looking after her domestic affairs to— She hesitated."

"To keep her husband in subjection?"

"How absurd!"

"If you don't like that argument I'll give you another. I presume you studied political economy while in college."

"Yes, indeed, and it made me a free trader."

"It was now the man's turn to be startled. He had not been able to fathom the free trade-protection problem himself, and he was impressed that Elsie had succeeded in doing so."

"You know," he went on, "that the old political economy of a half a century ago has all been upset by modern big business."

"Has it?"

"Yes, but it still holds good in small circles—the family, for instance. You know that the theory of the free trader is that each community produces what it is best fitted to produce, the whole going into the general market and each community selling what it is fitted to produce and buying of the others what it doesn't itself produce."

"I see."

"I thought you didn't like that expression."

"They are not the same. You said 'See?' I say 'I see.' There is a great difference."

"My way is more phonetic."

"Go on."

"In the family, carrying out this same principle, the husband does the providing and the wife takes care of the household and the children. When the husband breaks in on his wife's prerogatives he's monkeying with the buzzsaw."

"Oh, heavens! What a horrid way of putting it!"

"Any way he's liable to get scratched."

"Worse and worse. But complete your argument."

"Per contra, if the wife breaks in upon the husband's prerogatives there is likely to be a monkey and parrot business in the family."

Seeing an opportunity to get in a blow for her sake without inveighing against slang, she said quickly, "I don't admit that politics is the exclusive right of the husband."

"In that case but one of two courses is open to us. Either I must give up attending to the duties of a citizen to you or we must both attend to them. The latter course would be a violation of the economic principle."

This argument resulted in silence between the couple for some minutes. Elsie saw that, pretending to give her an argument for her cause, he was arguing on the other side. She believed that there was a valid answer to his statement, but it did not occur to her.

"It seems to me," she said at last, "that we each have duties of citizenship to attend to in accordance with our consciences."

"The proof of the pudding is in the eating," was his rejoinder. "Since you prefer that course, so shall it be."

"But you would prefer that one or the other of us should attend to the duties of citizenship for the family."

"I believe in a division of labor or, if you like another way of putting it better, in certain things being attended to by the wife and certain other things being attended to by the husband, but if we both decide to go to the polls to register our votes I have no objection to our doing so. At any rate, we can try it. Nevertheless I see no use in trying to cross a bridge till we come to it. We are not married yet. When we are all such matters will regulate themselves. But I reiterate seriously that if there is anything objectionable or useless in our both going to the polls to vote, I will defer to you."

"What do you mean by useless?"

"Suppose we vote on different sides. We might, in that case, pair."

"Fair? What do you mean by pair?"

"We might do what we're going to do in marrying. If we intend to vote on different sides and neither of us votes at all the result is the same as if we voted. I, a man, and you, a woman, marry. There's one less bachelor and one less spinster. In other words, we are paired."

"I do think," she said, looking up at him with a pair of soft brown eyes, "that you use the funniest arguments I ever heard."

"They will be plenty good enough when we are married."

"How is that?"

"There are only two arguments which count for much between man and woman. Her best argument is tears; his is kisses."

With that he drew her toward him and kissed her.

There is no record as to Mrs. Winston's services in the cause of the emancipation of the condition of women. Winston is not reliable in his testimony, and what he says should be taken with a grain of salt. He declares that whenever there is an election he and his wife are on opposite sides and the result is a pair.

However this may be, the Winstons are a very happy couple, and a fine crop of children are growing up about them. Mr. Winston's statement that it is better not to try to cross a bridge before reaching it has turned out to be true. At any rate, the family differences are settled amicably from day to day.

## Scientific Farming

### WHEN TO SOW ALFALFA.

#### Some Farmers Prefer Spring and Others the Fall.

The soil for alfalfa should have plenty of humus. A deep, rich, sandy loam will grow alfalfa to perfection. The land should be well drained, for alfalfa will not be a success on swamp land, says a contributor to Farm Progress.

There is a difference of opinion as to when alfalfa should be sown. Some prefer the spring and others the fall. I think one should be governed by conditions of climate and soil. In those sections where there is little moisture in the fall and the winters are exceedingly cold spring seedling is preferable. Soil that tends to bake on account of



A FALL ALFALFA FIELD.

drought will give better results when seeded in the spring. When seeded in the fall the roots go into winter quarters very tender and are apt to be winter killed.

When there is plenty of moisture and soil is alluvial and sandy and winters light, fall seeding is recommended because the alfalfa can be sown after the season's crop is harvested. When planting in the early spring one should be certain to wait until all danger from frost has passed. The soil should be harrowed and disked until it is like an ash bank, then packed until it is firm below. Lack of thorough preparation of soil is the cause of more failures to get a stand of alfalfa than anything else.

When alfalfa is planted in the spring it should have a nurse crop. Oats are considered the best nurse crop in certain sections. They shade the ground and protect the young plants from the hot summer sun and at the same time give a profitable crop. The ground should be full of moisture when planting the seed so that it will come right up and start to growing.

#### Acres of Farm Lands.

The last federal census shows the total number of farms in the United States to be 6,361,502, containing 878,788,325 acres.

The land in farms represents 46.2 per cent, or less than one-half of the total land area of the country. Of the total acreage given only 478,451,750 acres are classed as "improved land." The balance comprises wood land and other unimproved land in farms. The improved land given above is only about 25.1 per cent of the total area of the country. The average size of farms, as shown by the last census, is 138.1 acres of which an average of 75.2 acres are improved, and 62.9 acres unimproved.

## BEEES IN SEPTEMBER.

September is a month that often brings hope to discouraged beekeepers who for one reason or another have failed to secure a crop of honey from the earlier sources, such as the clovers. Experience has proved that often the fall flow exceeds the earlier one.

This may be the result of two causes. It may be that the colonies were so weak from winter losses or spring dwindling that they were not strong enough in numbers to take advantage of even an abundant flow, or the lack of an early crop may have been the result of real lack of nectar secreted by the flowers.

There is an ever increasing number of progressive beekeepers who during September take from the hives every drop of honey, not only from the supers, but from the brood nest as well, and in its place they feed sugar syrup and make the bees depend exclusively upon it, and there is much to be said in favor of this plan.

The honey from the fall flowers is full of pollen grains, and too much of this eaten by the bees during the winter is liable to cause dysentery, especially if the bees are kept in winter repositories, and by giving the hives clear sugar syrup in place of the honey taken there is a decided gain, not only in the health of the colony so treated, but a gain in dollars, as the honey we take from them will sell for more than the sugar syrup will cost.

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**Piano Tuner Expert Repairing**  
**I. P. LOWPEU**  
At the G. & B. Store Phone 26  
See us for wedding invitations.

**Notice**  
Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the office of the county clerk of Wayne county, Nebraska, for the following supplies for the year 1916. Bids to be filed on or before January 1, 1916.

**BOOKS.**  
3-700 page loose-leaf McMillan record books, patent back, printed head with canvas jacket.  
1 Voucher record book.  
1 Probate record book No. 10.  
1 Fee book for county judge.  
5,000 tax receipts, printed and bound with duplicate same as now in use.  
2-4 quire tax lists, printed head, leather bound, with patent back.  
17 personal property assessment books, same as now in use.  
17 tabs for personal property assessment books.  
3,000 personal property schedules original and duplicate, punched to fit schedules.  
1 personal property recapitulation 34 envelopes for poll books.  
34 poll books for list of voters.  
34 poll books for election.  
17 covers for personal property schedules with precinct and year on back, same as now in use.  
17 index sets for personal property schedules.  
28 name tabs, 13 township tabs, all leather, for tax list.  
100 senate pads.

**STATIONERY.**  
Envelopes, 6 1/2 high cut, white wove XX quality, with return card, per 500; each additional 100.  
Envelopes No. 10, high cut, manilla, XXX best quality, with return card, per 500; each additional 100.  
Envelopes No. 10, high cut, manilla, XXX best quality, with return card, end opening, per 500, each additional 100.  
Statements per 500; each additional 100.  
Letterheads, per 500; each additional 100.  
Circulars, 8x10, print paper, per 100, each additional 100.  
Noteheads, per 100; each additional 100.  
Printed and stamped postal cards, per 100; each additional 100.  
25 cards showing non-partisan candidates for primary.  
5,000 official ballots for primary, bid per 1000.  
5,000 official ballots non-partisan judiciary, bid per 1000.  
8,000 official ballots for election, bid per 1000.  
8,000 official ballots for election, non-partisan, bid per 1000.

**OFFICE SUPPLIES.**  
One dozen quarts of Arnold's ink.  
Carter's red ink, per quart.  
Pens—Spencerian, Aaron's, Vanadium pens, per gross.  
Pencils—Dixon's, velvet, etc., bid per gross.  
Hardmuth copying pencils, No. 77, bid per gross.  
One dozen pint jars of Higgins' paste.  
Automatic Davis ink stands.  
Mixed rubber bands, bid per gross.  
1 dozen No. 104 typewriter erasers.  
5 dozen Tower's Bank patent pen holders.  
100 sheets of carbon paper.  
6 boxes typewriter paper, heavy, best grade.  
3 boxes onion skin typewriter paper, best grade.  
3 boxes typewriter paper, medium weight, best grade.  
Court reporter paper, bid by ream.

**BLANKS.**  
Full sheet blanks per 500; each additional 100.  
Full sheet blanks per 100; each additional 100 up to 500.  
Half sheet blanks, per 500; each additional 100.  
Half sheet blanks per 100; each additional 100 up to 500.  
Quarter sheet blanks per 500; each additional 100.  
Quarter sheet blanks per 100; each additional 100 up to 500.  
Eighth sheet blanks per 500; each additional 100.  
Eighth sheet blanks per 100; each additional 100 up to 500.  
All to be printed on both sides, tabbed, printed on paper equal to Dundee legal, and in such form as may be required by the different county officers.  
Separate bids must be made on each class of supplies mentioned in the estimate.  
All supplies to be furnished as ordered.  
The county commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.  
Bids must be addressed to "County Clerk" and marked proposal for either books, office supplies, blanks and stationery.  
All bidders must file good and sufficient bonds for the faithful performance of their contract.  
Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this 1st day of December, A. D. 1915.  
Chas. W. Reynolds,  
(Seal) County Clerk.  
adv. 48-1.

**Legal Notice**  
Notice of Sale of Real Estate by Referees.  
In the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska.  
William Woehler, Frank Woehler, Carl Woehler, Olga Woehler Willers, Herman Woehler, and Fritz Woehler, Plaintiffs.  
vs.  
Olga Woehler, a minor, and Dorias Woehler, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order made and entered by the District Court of Wayne county, Nebraska, on the 6th day of November, 1915, in an action pending in said District Court of Wayne county, Nebraska, for the partition of the real estate hereinafter described in which William Woehler, Frank Woehler, Carl Woehler, Olga Woehler Willers, Herman Woehler, and Fritz Woehler were plaintiffs and Olga Woehler, a minor, and Dorias Woehler were defendants. The undersigned referees were directed by said Court by said order to sell said premises, will on the 18th day of December, 1915, commencing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day at the front door, known as the east door, of the court house in said city of Wayne, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder the following described real estate to-wit:

The southwest quarter of section twenty-five (SW 1/4 25); the northwest quarter of section thirty-six (NW 1/4 36); the southwest quarter of section thirty-six (SW 1/4 36); the northeast quarter of section thirty-five (NE 1/4 35); the southeast quarter of section thirty-five (SE 1/4 35); the east half of the southwest quarter of section thirty-five (E 1/2 of SW 1/4 35); the northwest quarter of section thirty-five (NW 1/4 35); the north half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-six (N 1/2 of SW 1/4 26); the west half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-six (W 1/2 of NW 1/4 26); the north half of the northeast quarter of section thirty-four (N 1/2 of NE 1/4 34); the northwest quarter of section twenty-five (NW 1/4 25), all in township twenty-five (25) north of range three (3) east of the 6th P. M., Wayne county, Nebraska; also the northeast quarter of section six (NE 1/4 6); the west half of the southeast quarter of section six (W 1/2 of SE 1/4 6); the southwest quarter of section six (SW 1/4 6), all in township twenty-four (24) north of range three (3) east of the 6th P. M. in Stanton county, Nebraska; and the southeast quarter of section one (SE 1/4 1) township twenty-four (24) north of range two (2) east of the 6th P. M. in Stanton county, Nebraska.

Said sale will remain open at least one hour, the terms of said sale will be as follows: Bids will be received on any part of the above described real estate and will be offered for sale in tracts of any size the bidder may choose and will be sold in tracts of such size and location as, considering the bids received, will bring the largest price for the whole tract above described. The purchasers will be required to pay \$2,000 on the date of the sale for each quarter section of land purchased and at the same rate for any fraction of a quarter section of land purchased. The remainder of the purchase price to be paid March 1, 1916, without interest. Possession to be given March 1, 1916. Purchasers will be furnished abstracts of title showing merchantable titles free of charge to purchaser, taxes for 1915 and former years to be paid and said real estate to be free from incumbrance except a mortgage of \$4,600, due July 1st, 1917, bearing interest at 5 per cent, on the NW 1/4 of section 36, township 25, range 3 east of the 6th P. M., in Wayne county, Nebraska, and a mortgage of \$4,000, due January 1st, 1917, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent, on the NE 1/4 of section 6, township 24, range 3, east of the 6th P. M., in Stanton county, Nebraska, and each of said tracts will be sold subject to said mortgage thereon.  
Dated at Wayne, in Wayne county, Nebraska, this 10th day of November, 1915.  
J. M. Cherry,  
A. R. Davis,  
Martin Ringer,  
45-6. Referees.

Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior, is being asked to recommend in his coming report that congress give consideration to conserving the flood waters of the North Platte river. Senators and representatives from Nebraska are urged to renew their efforts in getting favorable action in congress. The movement, originated by Phelps, Gosper, and Kearney counties is to conserve and retain the flood waters of the North Platte and other streams in the semi-arid regions of western Nebraska by storing surplus waters in the sub-soil. Mr. Lane is commended for his activity by which material progress has been made.

**Notice**  
In the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska.  
John T. Bressler, Hazen L. Atkins, Delford L. Strickland, LeRoy D. Owen by Lou Owen his father and next friend, Plaintiffs.  
vs.  
Charles M. Haft, Mrs. Chas. M. Haft (real name unknown), Theodore Kadish and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, assignees and personal representatives of the said Charles M. Haft, Mrs. Chas. M. Haft and Theodore Kadish and the unknown owners and the unknown claimants of the following described real estate situated in Wayne county, Nebraska, to-wit: Lot 2, Block 1; Lot 2, Block 2; Lot 3, Block 4; Lots 1 and 4 in Block 2; the south one half of Lot 1 in Block 7; and Lot 3 in Block 11 all in the Britton and Bresslers addition to the city of Wayne, Defendants.

The defendants, Chas. M. Haft, Mrs. Chas. M. Haft (real name unknown), Theodore Kadish and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, assignees and personal representatives of the said Chas. M. Haft, Mrs. Chas. M. Haft and Theodore Kadish and the unknown owners and the unknown claimants of the following described real estate situated in Wayne county, Nebraska, to-wit: Lot 2, Block 2; Lot 3, Block 4; Lots 1 and 4 in Block 2; the south one half of Lot 1 in Block 7; and Lot 3 in Block 11, all in the Britton and Bresslers addition to the city of Wayne, will take notice that on the 30th day of October, 1915, the plaintiffs, John T. Bressler, Hazen L. Atkins, Delford L. Strickland, LeRoy D. Owen by Lou Owen, his father and next friend, filed their petition in the District Court of Wayne county, Nebraska, against said above named defendants, the object and prayer of which is to have cancelled a deed bearing date of July 15th, 1902, and recorded in book "T", page 460 of the deed records of Wayne county, Nebraska, executed by one Frank A. Dearborn and wife conveying to the defendant, Charles M. Haft the following described real estate situated in Wayne county, Nebraska, to-wit: Lot 2 in Block 1; Lots 1, 2, and 4 in Block 2; Lots 3, 4, 5 and 6 in Block 3; Lot 3 in Block 4; and the south half of Lot 1 in Block 7; and Lot 3 in Block 11, all in Britton and Bresslers addition to the city of Wayne, and to quiet the title of plaintiff John T. Bressler in and to the following described real estate: Lot 2 in Block 1; Lot 2 in Block 2; and Lot 3 in Block 4, all in Britton and Bresslers addition to the city of Wayne, in Wayne county, Nebraska, and to quiet the title of plaintiff, LeRoy D. Owen in and to the following described real estate: Lot 3 in Block 11 in Britton and Bresslers addition to the city of Wayne, in Wayne county, Nebraska, and to enjoy the above named defendants and any of them from ever asserting any claim of any kind or character in or to any of the above described real estate and for such other and further relief as may be just and equitable. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 3rd day of January, 1916.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this 3rd day of November, 1915.  
John T. Bressler, Hazen L. Atkins, Delford L. Strickland, LeRoy D. Owen by Lou Owen, his father and next friend, Plaintiffs.  
By L. A. Kiplinger, their attorney.  
46-5  
**Notice**  
Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the office of the county clerk of Wayne county, Nebraska, for the keeping, superintending, and board of the poor or paupers of Wayne county, Nebraska, for the year 1916. Bids to be made as follows:  
Rental of place for year.  
Superintending for year.  
Board per patient per week.  
Bids to be filed on or before January 1st, 1916.  
Bidders or bidder receiving the contract must file a good and sufficient bond for the faithful performance of the contract.  
County commissioners have and reserve the right to reject any and all bids.  
Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this 1st day of December, A. D. 1915.  
Chas. W. Reynolds,  
(Seal) County Clerk.  
adv. 48-3.

**Now is the Time**  
A Good, Hand-Made,  
Oak Tanned  
LEATHER HARNESS  
The Place is the Old Reliable  
Established 1884  
Wayne, Nebraska  
John S. Lewis, Jr.

## PUBLIC SALE

Having rented the farm, I will sell at public auction on the Newman farm, four miles east of Wayne and four miles west and two and one-half miles south of Wakefield, on

### Wed., Dec. 15, '15

Commencing at 11 o'clock. Lunch at Noon.  
The following described property:

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### 6 Head of Horses

Driving mare, 10 years old, weight 1300; gray mare, 4 years old, weight 1400; bay horse, 4 years old, weight 1250; two 2-year-old colts, weight 2500; one yearling colt, weight 950.

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### 18 Head of Cattle



4 good milch cows, 2 heifers to be fresh in spring, 4 yearling steers, 6 calves, one Pure Bred Shorthorn bull.

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### 20 Brood Sows 20 10 Dozen Pullets

### Farm Machinery

A new 7-foot Deering binder, 2 McCormick mowers, seeder, good as new; 2 walking cultivators, riding cultivator, good as new; 16-in. sulky plow, 16-in. walking plow, John Deere corn planter with 160 rods of wire, good as new; 2 discs, a disc cultivator, a weeder, hay rake, harrow cart, wagon, spring wagon, top buggy, harness.

MISCELLANEOUS: Grind stone, feed grinders, DeLaval cream separator, hand or power washing machine, hand corn sheller, some Household Goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS: \$10 and under, cash; on sums over \$10 ten months time will be given on approved note bearing ten per cent interest. All property must be settled for before removed.

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## Mrs. Claude Forney

D. H. Cunningham, Auctioneer Harry Jones, Clerk

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Have you paid your subscription? Old Papers for Sale at the Democrat office

# JONES' CHRISTMAS STORE

Never before in our history have we been able to offer as attractive and complete a line as we now offer. Positively there is no line in NORTHEAST NEBRASKA that can equal this display in points of attractiveness and completeness. We guarantee that you will be able to find a gift for everyone, whether young or old, and at the right price, if you will but give us an opportunity. Come, make this store your holiday headquarters. If you are looking, we can help you with suggestions. If you decide to do your shopping early, we can give you the advantage of the best and most complete line of holiday goods ever offered for your approval. Due to careful buying, we are able to offer rare values, such as are not seen outside the largest cities, in

China, Vases, Jardinares, Cut Glass, Fountain Pens, Pictures, Baskets, Dolls, Toilet Articles, Leather Goods, Ivory, Stationery, Kodaks, Athletic Goods, Books and thousands of other articles.

## Jones' Music Department

### New Edisons and Victrolas

Come in and hear them. Special Xmas concerts given. You will be under no obligations if you ask to have your favorite records played for you. If you prefer arrangements can be made for a demonstration in your own home, or write us for prices and catalogues of phonographs and talking machines.

### Pianos and Players

To the PIANO PROSPECT:  
In JONES' Music Department may be found just the instrument you want, and at positively the right price. Have no regrets—see us before buying.

## Jones' Basement Store---The Place of Ten Hundred Bargains

TOYS!

TOYS!

TOYS!

A fairyland for the little folks and positively the best place for them to receive suggestions to communicate to Santa. Don't neglect visiting this department. Jones' Basement Store presents ten hundred bargains. Goods at greatly reduced prices found here,

Everything for Xmas at **Jones' Christmas Store** "Know Your Dealer"

## County Correspondence

### Winside Notes

A seven pound girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Farran Friday. Wm. Kallstrom returned home Saturday morning from Rochester, Minn.

Misses Pearl Miller and Clara Jensen from near Hoskins were in Winside Saturday.

Miss Ruth Davis and cousin, Clifford Arthur, were Wayne visitors Friday afternoon.

Albert Press of Oakland spent Thanksgiving day with his parents and brothers in Winside.

Ever Anderson and Misses Mirnie Stamm and Gladys Mettlen autoed to Wayne Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brugger of Creighton arrived in Winside Saturday for a short visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carter returned home Saturday evening after spending a week with relatives in Iowa.

Miss Alice Colgan of Sioux City, Iowa, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Anderson near Winside.

Messrs. E. W. Darnell, J. B. Wylie, P. W. Oman and Henry Smith autoed to Wayne Saturday afternoon.

A fine new bridge is being constructed across Logan Creek, one mile west of town, and will soon be completed.

Miss Anna Eichstadt left last Wednesday for Nacora, Nebraska, where she expects to make her home for some time.

James Nielson, who lives a half mile south of town, will have a public sale Dec. 4, and intends to move into another state.

Clifford Arthur of Columbus Junction, Iowa, arrived last Wednesday and is making an extended visit with his uncle, John S. Davis, and family.

Mrs. George Meade, Mrs. Harry Hornby, Miss Bessie Parker and Miss Bessie Leary were among the Wayne visitors from Winside and vicinity Saturday.

Misses Abbie Lound, Virginia Chapin and A. T. Cavanaugh, who are taking work in the state university at Lincoln, spent Thanksgiving day at their respective homes in Winside.

**We pay a Premium for Good Dry Milling Wheat, at the the Wayne Roller Mills. adv.**

Miss Eunice Phillips, who stays with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Darnell, and attends the Winside high school, spent the Thanksgiving vacation at her home near Randolph.

The Farmers Union Co-operative association have completed the foundation for a 16-foot addition to their office building, the erection of which will commence the latter part of this week.

J. S. Davis and family, Clifford Arthur, H. H. Jones and family and S. C. Kopp and family of Wayne spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lonz and son, Ed, Long and wife.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Horton, who has been troubled for some time past with obstruction of the stomach, is lying in a critical condition as we go to press, (Wednesday evening) with little hopes of recovery.

Wm. Kallstrom expects to return from Omaha in a few days, where he has been receiving treatment for necrosis of the jaw bone. A part of the jaw was removed and a silver plate placed therein. This is thought to be the seat of his stomach trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hof of Bostobel, Wisconsin, arrived in Winside Thursday morning and spent Thanksgiving day with G. A. Mittlestadt and family. They went to Laurel Friday to visit other relatives and returned to Winside Monday morning.

Willie Hadan, who has been at Bennington and Omaha for several months, came home Saturday afternoon. His mother, Mrs. Carl Hadan, will have a public sale on her farm three and one half miles northwest of Winside on Dec. 15, and expects to move to Bennington.

Mrs. Geo. Gabler entertained nineteen members of the Home Department Tuesday afternoon. Five autos took the ladies to the pleasant, new country home and after a profitable study of the lesson the hostess served a dainty lunch. A most enjoyable time was the voice of all present.

Miss Neva Benshoof, teacher in district No. 28 south, had a box social Wednesday. The proceeds amounted to about \$20, which will be used for purchasing numerous articles for her school room. The attendance was small on account of the masquerade ball in the Winside opera house the same evening.

### Carroll Items

(From the Index)

Mrs. Fred Schrader returned from Omaha Saturday evening where she had been taking medical treatment.

James Stephens returned Thursday from Excelsior Springs, Missouri, where he had taken his daughter for treatment.

J. W. Marshall departed Monday morning for an extended visit with his daughter, Mrs. Frank Ladd of Kansas City, Missouri.

Word has been received from Miss Cora Peterson, a former member of the senior class who is spending the winter in Colorado, and says the climate doesn't seem to be much of an improvement over that of Nebraska.

Mrs. L. B. Cobb went to Sloux City Wednesday of last week and underwent an operation at the Samaritan hospital. She was given a Thanksgiving card shower by the W. C. T. U.

J. A. Jones and son Gomer autoed to Lincoln Friday evening to visit Elmer and attend the Nebraska-Iowa football game. They returned by rail Sunday, leaving the car for Elmer to drive home Wednesday of this week.

Rebecca lodge held an interesting meeting last Friday night. Mrs. Elva James read a splendid report of the grand lodge at Omaha. Two membership cards were read, after which the following officers were elected: Noble grand, Elva James; vice g., Gertrude Hancock; treasurer, Elsie Larson.

Mrs. Joel Hancock was pleasantly surprised last Saturday afternoon when sixteen of her many friends walked in to help her celebrate her 73d birthday anniversary. The afternoon was spent in a social way and looking over old rejects, of which Mrs. Hancock, has a goodly number. She received many nice presents. A dainty lunch was served and all present enjoyed a pleasant afternoon.

### Northwest of Town

The H. H. S. will meet one week from today with Mrs. Roy Pierson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Buetow visited Sunday afternoon at the O. G. Randol home.

The Misses Emma Abbott and Gertrude Buetow spent the weekend with friends at Carroll.

Rev. S. K. Cross will preach in the Stamm schoolhouse Sunday at 3 p. m. There will be special music.

Misses Esther Nordgren and Mabel Jonson returned Sunday from Newman Grove, where they visited at the former's home.

After spending several weeks at the Dean Hanson home in Concord, Mrs. Hoskins returned to her home in Wayne Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Watson of Pierce, Miss Florence Hoy of Bloomfield, and Wm. Watson and family were Thanksgiving guests at the Chas. White home. Mr. and Mrs. Watson returned to Pierce Thursday evening. Miss Hoy remained until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Buetow were at home to the members of the H.

H. S. and their families on Thanksgiving evening. A six-thirty dinner was served in buffet style to about seventy guests. The table was appropriately decorated with Thanksgiving favors and with ferns and carnations which were presented to the hostess by the club ladies. Mrs. Buetow was assisted in serving the guests by the Misses Elsie and Eugenia Anderson, Emma Abbott and Gertrude Buetow. The evening was spent with music and sociability. Miss Emma Abbott favored the company with several vocal selections. They departed at a late hour and pronounced their hostess a delightful entertainer.

### Wakefield News

Wm. Drehsen departed Sunday for Los Angeles and San Pedro to spend the winter.

E. E. Lindquist and family of Laurel spent Thanksgiving at the L. Hoogner home.

Louis Ring and Mrs. Andrew Ring went to Stanton, Iowa, Friday to attend the funeral of their sister-in-law.

The second number of the lecture course will be given by the Meistersingers at the Auditorium, Friday evening, December 2.

Mrs. Orin Story and daughter Eula were the guests of Mrs. Robert Hanson between trains Friday, enroute from Coleridge to Norfolk.

Miss Olive Coram arrived from Wessington Springs, South Dakota, Monday evening for a two weeks visit with her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ogden Milligan autoed up from Scribner Sunday bringing Mrs. J. O. Milligan and J. L. home. Mrs. Milligan has been spending the past month in Scribner.

John Holtorf and Miss Vergie Holtorf returned Saturday from a brief visit with the former's brother at Malmo. While away they attended the wedding of the formers' nephew at Yutan.

The football team was defeated by the Neligh team at Neligh Thanksgiving day by a score of 30-6. This was the second game our boys lost this season, the other being to Bancroft.

Herbert Lessman has rented the McDonald farm northwest of Wayne about five miles and is to take possession in the early spring. Mr. Roy Redman, who has been on the farm for several years past, will move to one of the Dakotas, where he will take charge of a farm for some of his relatives.

Sanitary shelled pop corn, the clean kind and the kind that pops. This store buys its pop corn of an Iowa farmer who makes a business of raising nothing but pop corn, which he properly cures in mice and rat proof cribs. Rundel's Grocery.—adv.

## Monday is the Last Day of Our Piano Contest!

### To Help Your Booster Win Get These EXTRA VOTES

#### 20,000 Votes with Every Coupon Book

These books contain 100 5c coupons which are as good as cash in payment for our merchandise or book accounts. They are good anytime within a year. Buy these books of your booster or of our cashier and get 20,000 Piano votes with every book.

#### 5,000 Votes with Shoes, Blankets and Sweaters and 30 Extra Cash Discount Stamps

If you buy a pair of shoes, a blanket or a sweater before Monday night you will get 5,000 extra votes for your Booster and a nice discount for yourself through the 30 extra cash discount stamps.

#### 100,000 Votes with New Home Sewing Machine. A Special price of \$32.50 for the \$35.00 style

A New Home would make a splendid Christmas gift for mother or the newly married daughter. Get one this week—save \$2.50 on the price and get 100,000 votes for your Booster.

#### 2,000 Votes with Every \$1.00 Purchase

Why not do some of your Christmas buying now? We have a great many of the new goods bought for Christmas on display and if you buy now you will get first choice as well as 2,000 extra votes with every dollar's worth

### The Votes Will Be Counted Monday Night

Three well known men will open the ballot box at the store Monday night and you are invited to be present during the final count. The best booster will get the Piano—the second, third, fourth and fifth best Boosters will all get valuable prizes. While they do not expect these additional prizes, nor were they promised, we are glad to give them in appreciation of our Booster's splendid work in advertising our store. Be on hand Saturday and Monday, the Closing days.

# Ahern's