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PARTIAL PRIMARY RETURNS

Things Turned Every Way. Ford Leads Republican Presidential Candidates. Hitchcock and Kennedy Lead Senatorial Race.

Returns from over the state are yet far from complete. Less than 400 precincts outside of Douglas county were given in the Omaha papers this morning. Returns thus far indicate some change from the states figured out. Neville for governor leads Bryan more than 8,000 votes, one having 23,201, the other 14,757.

On the republican side Sutton is ahead with 16,063, Miles next with 14,119, McKelvie 11,307, George 4,284, Madgett 2,884.

For the national committeeman Mullen leads Dahlman a few votes on the democratic side and Howells is 5,000 ahead of McGrew, republicans.

For delegates at large to the democratic convention Bryan is in the 5th place, being about 2,000 less than the next low man, Thompson is first. Baldrige, Gurney, Dodge and Carrie are ahead for the republican delegates.

For senator, Kennedy is nearly 6,000 ahead of Aldrich on the republican side and on the other side Hitchcock has 10,000 lead over Dunn.

In the republican presidential preferential vote Ford leads all thus far, showing the sentiment for peace, for he has no other claim for the honor. Cummins is second with 8,761 votes. Hughes next with 5,680. Estabrook has 3,141.

The Bee picks Wilson, Ford, Howell, Dahlman, Kennedy and Hitchcock as the probable winners for the places to which they aspire.

The primary election in Wayne county passed quietly, with more than 1,000 voters exercising their right to vote. Only unofficial votes can be obtained at this writing.

Starting with a democratic vote at the head of the ticket the returns in show that Wilson was the choice of 304 democrats for president, while 69 are credited with casting a vote for one Ross. Governor Morehead was the choice for vice-president, receiving 354 votes.

For delegates at large the vote was reported as follows: Bryan 201, Thompson 278, Piatti 166, Thomas 221, Price 189, Oldham 210, and Cones 161. For delegates from this 3d district Morrow received 261, Green 263 and Bryan 133.

For Senate, Hitchcock 272, Dunn 110.

For national Committeeman, Dahlman received 224 votes to Mullen's 142.

For Governor Bryan received 168 and Neville 224.

For Lieutenant Governor, Pearson 74, Howard 218, Banning 76. For Secretary of State, Reed had 229, Berge 140.

Pool for secretary of state, Smith for auditor, Clemmons for superintendent had no opposition.

Hall for treasurer, 247; Adams, 118. Stephens, 364 for congress, and Kohl, 348 for the state senate had no opposition. C. J. Rundell was given 38 votes by his name being written in for representative.

In the contest for sheriff, Martin received 127 votes and Bartels 245. Reynolds for clerk had no opposition in either party and received 373. W. O. Hanssen for treasurer, 348. Massie for assessor, 253.

On the republican side there was more contest and more voters came out.

For president Estabrook was given 33 votes, Cummins 289, Ross 115, Ford 131, Wilson 2, Roosevelt 13, and Hughes 94, the last named being written in.

In vice-presidential race Burkett received 451 and Webster 184 votes.

There was no contest for electors nor for electors from this district.

For national committeeman Howells had 417 and McGrew 188.

For Senate, Aldrich carried the county with 366 votes to Kennedy's 269.

For Governor McKelvie had 313, Sutton 142, Miles 139, Madgett 22 and George 54.

For lieutenant governor, Shumway received 356, Kiechel 129, Nordgren 138.

Secretary of State, Addison Wait 227, Hensel 100, Wilbur S. Waite 155, Smith 157.

For Congress, Warner 457, Zieglow 144.

For representative, Mears received 524 votes; for treasurer, French 496. In the race for sheriff Benschopf was given 211 and Porter 463. Clerk of Court Hughes and Superintendent Sewell had no opposition.

Berry received 540 for county attorney and Hendrickson 144.

For county assessor Alter had a vote of 325 and Witter of 292.

For commissioner of 2d district, Rethwisch received 172 votes to McDonald's 94.

For Chief Justice, Fawcett 359; Morrissey 400.

For Judges of Supreme Court, Goss 253, Falloon 75, Dean 265, Barnes 362, Martin 276, Cornish 197, Hunt 242, Palmer 202, Sedgwick 291, Hastings 190.

For Judges of District Court, William V. Allen 439, Andrew R. Oleson 431, Anson A. Welch 730.

For County Judge, James Britton 766.

Of socialist and prohibition votes a few were cast, and perhaps some progressive votes. These and some of the names written in were not always given very fully in the returns.

School Notes

President U. S. Conn of the State Normal addressed the high school yesterday on the subject, "Why I Am Proud to Be an American." He placed foremost among reasons, the opportunities offered in America for education and political freedom. In discussing the immigrant, he mentioned the opportunities offered them not offered in their own country, among them the right of franchise and the chance to own property and acquire wealth. He touched upon the question of preparedness by saying that the best preparedness is the idea that all Americans shall stand for America first, last, and always.

Last Thursday, through the courtesy of Frances Jones, the schools were permitted to enjoy victrola concerts given in the high school and throughout the grades by a representative of the victrola company. Many of the selections were very beautiful and were much enjoyed by teachers and students.

Geraldine Truman is a new pupil in the first grade and Pauline Judson in the fourth grade.

Faye Beckenbauer of the first grade celebrated her sixth birthday anniversary last Friday with a party for her class.

The children of the second grade are interested in making paper dolls and designing clothes for them as a part of their work in drawing.

Mrs. Anna Gamble Johnson was a recent visitor in the kindergarten and fifth grade.

The sixth grade children have been writing a history of Wayne, for their language work. In geography they have been making review outlines of South America and of state groups.

The seventh grade pupils have been writing spring poems. One of the best was written by Lynett Rennick.

Dr. J. T. House addressed the eighth grade Monday afternoon on "The Purposes of School Life." He emphasized the obligation each child should feel toward contributing his rightful share in all the activities of his school, and later to those of his community.

Death Claims Hughes Baby

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest L. Hughes, born Thursday, April 13th, 1916, passed away early Sunday morning. Monday a brief funeral service was held from the home at which Rev. A. S. Buell officiated, and at which a number of near friends and relatives were in attendance, and the little body was buried in the Wayne cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughes have the sympathy of their many friends in this sad affliction, and they desire us to express their appreciation of the many acts of sympathy and kindness extended to them in their sorrow. They are also very thankful for the beautiful floral offering at that time.

Local Weather Forecast

W. H. Weber predicts that from April 18 to 24 the weather clerk will furnish plenty of local showers. From April 24 to May 2 fair weather will be the rule.

Almost an inch of rainfall Tuesday night—87 of an inch.

Social Notes

Mrs. Hamer Wilson was hostess to the Acme club at an elaborate three course luncheon served at one o'clock Monday afternoon, after which a social hour was spent before a business meeting was held. The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. Bressler; vice-president, Mrs. Weber; secretary, Mrs. Blair; treasurer, Mrs. Ellis. On next Monday evening the ladies with their husbands will gather at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs for their annual picnic. This is the last meeting of the year.

The P. E. O. met with Mrs. Rollie Ley on Monday evening. The members responded to roll call by telling of women who are doing things. The entire evening was given to these interesting talks. The sisterhood will meet Monday afternoon, May 1, with Mrs. James Miller and will observe "Mother's Day." Committee, Mrs. Ringland, Mrs. Davies and Mrs. Theobald.

Degree of Honor holds regular meeting next Thursday evening, April 27th. A membership campaign is being waged throughout the state, lasting until June 15. Members of the Degree should be present as it will be much to their interest to secure members for this order, and especially so at this time. Make an effort to be there and learn about this offer to members.

The U. D. club met with Mrs. Hufford on Monday afternoon. Roll call, "A Belgium City and Some Facts Concerning It." Mrs. Kinne read a paper on the Belgium Royal Family. Mrs. Hufford read a paper on, "Present and Future of Belgium." Mrs. Harry Craven and Mrs. Harry Fisher will be hostesses at luncheon next Monday afternoon.

Monday club met with Mrs. Hahn last Monday. Roll call answered by giving some current event. The lesson was on, "Recent Finds in Archeology," by Mrs. Hahn. A club letter was read from Mrs. Chace, who is in California. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Heckert.

Shakespeare club met with Miss Mabel Dayton, Tuesday evening. The time was spent in reading the book entitled, "Hugh Glaff," by John Neihardt. The next meeting will be April 25 with Miss Mary Mason.

The Union Bible Study Circle met with Mrs. Goldsmith last Tuesday afternoon. There was a good attendance and an interesting meeting. Next meeting with Mrs. Hickman, Tuesday afternoon.

The meeting of the Minerva club which was to have been with Mrs. Rennick tomorrow, has been postponed one week, and will be at her home Friday evening the 28th.

The Pleasant Valley club will hold their next meeting Wednesday April 26th, with Mrs. C. Liveringhouse.

Death of Mrs. Amanda Lawrence

Dr. T. B. Heckert was called to his old home at Red Oak, Iowa, Sunday by word of the serious illness of his mother, and reached her bedside a few hours before the end came, and she recognized him. Mrs. Lawrence had frequently visited her son at Wayne, and formed quite a circle of friends, especially among those who attended the Methodist church where she always went when possible. She had been in failing health since suffering a stroke of paralysis about two years ago, and death came as a gradual breaking down due to old age. She was 76 years of age and two sons and a daughter survive her, T. B. Heckert of this place, H. C. Heckert of Lexington, and Miss Clara Heckert of Red Oak, who made her home with her mother. A funeral service was held Tuesday, at which Miss Margaret Heckert, who is attending the university at Lincoln, joined her father. A loving mother and devout Christian woman has gone to her reward.

St. Mary's Church

Rev. Father Kearns, Pastor
On Easter Sunday, morning the first mass will be at 8:30, and the second, a high mass, at 10:30. In the evening benediction at 7:30. Services on Good Friday evening at 7:30.

Junior Class Play Well Presented

The Junior play given at the normal chapel last Thursday night is deserving of much more than passing mention. A true appreciation of such a performance calls for an understanding of the material and technic of the play. The essence of every drama is struggle. The more complex and genuine the problem, the better is the material, from the stand-point of the play-maker. It must be realized that the hero of a drama is not perfect. In fact he is very human, and it is his human mistakes that produce the struggle in which he is reconstructed in all his being. Two opposing points of view must appear in the parties to the play and a reconciliation of these must come if the play is to have a happy ending.

In "Don", the hero, an erratic genius, makes a terrible error, that of coming between a husband and wife in such a way as to endanger the reputation of the woman and himself. He does this with the highest of motives. His error is one of judgment. The outcome of the play is to win an understanding of his motives in the minds of his father and mother, his bride-to-be, her family and the husband. He must win this comprehension by the sheer sincerity of his character. Such a situation is full of dramatic possibilities of which the author makes the most.

It is easy to perceive that the task of choosing the various actors for such a variety of parts, ranging from the Church of England minister, the society wife of the old general, who is the father of the fiance of the hero, the poetic hero himself, to the Salvation Army husband of the woman in the case, called for much skill and insight on the part of the teacher who made the selection. It was a piece in which no character could stand out above the others. Each niche must be filled exactly.

The sincerity of the hero and the sincerity of the husband meet in the final scene and the dramatic intensity is tremendous. The breaking down of the almost insurmountable obstacle by the forces of the spiritual life of these two men marks the play as a masterpiece, and, in the judgment of the writer, all things in the presentation of the whole drama led up to this final struggle in a way far beyond the usual work of amateurs. The mother of the hero comes at once to the rescue, the old general is eliminated by his wife's power over him, the minister becomes an ally of his son against the dictates of his own conscience, the prospective bride, seeing the clear soul of the hero and the sacrificial spirit of the woman he has befriended, also stands loyally by him. But all along each has seen, and the audience has perceived that the crux of the matter is the way in which the husband will act. The writer confesses to a considerable thrill when these two, the hero from the higher, thinking classes and the humble, religious enthusiast grapple, each with the soul of the other and strove to understand. To say that in all the parts of the unfolding of the story leading to such a climax, there was just the right amount of subordination and of self-assertion on the part of each actor, is no mean praise and is the simple truth.

A little fun here and there relieved the tension. The amusing and irascible old general, controlled by no one save his wife, to whom he revealed abject subjection, the dignified and earnest preacher, who carried a sense of responsibility for the enforcement of the law of God, the adoring mother of the hero, the forlorn and suffering woman, concerning whom the trouble had arisen, the tortured husband, whose only mistake was his fanaticism and whose sorrow is due to his marriage to a woman who did not love him and whom he could not understand, though he loved her with all the ardor of his being, the hero unconscious of his splendid courage and incomprehending of his egregious error in judgment, and last the maid, typical, English, funny, all deserve the highest praise.

It is natural that, as the normal grows in numbers and the range of selection of characters for such a performance widens, the public appearances of the students should improve. In this case the expected has certainly happened. The bal-

ance of parts, subordination of each to the whole, the filling of each place by one who seemed welded to it, shows this as a supremely successful performance, a new mark for the development of the drama in the normal. Miss Josephine Mack, head of the department of expression, drilled the young people and to her generalship, teaching ability and untiring effort the result is due.

The following is the cast:

Canon Bonnington, Maurice Philleo
Mrs. Bonnington, Hallie Lamberson
General Sinclair, Clarence Sabin
Mrs. Sinclair, Elizabeth Schrad
Stephen Bonnington (Don), Myrl Hyatt
Mr. Thompson, Lewis Leuck
Mrs. Thompson, Elizabeth Buell
Ann Sinclair, Louise Wendt
Fannie, Elsie Beale

State Normal Notes

Mrs. E. L. May, nee Miss Mabel Banks, now resides at St. Joseph, Missouri.

President Conn addressed the students of the high school Wednesday morning.

Miss Helen Reppert will teach Latin and German in the Scribner high school next year.

Fifty applicants were registered in the teachers' examinations held at the Normal Saturday.

Miss Nettie Jaques and Miss Hilda Aron, teachers in the Sioux City schools, were recent visitors.

Miss Alwine W. Luers, Miss Edith Stocking and Miss Lillian M. Jewell have been granted a leave of absence during the summer session.

The class in primary games and manual activities held an exhibit of industrial work in the kindergarten rooms from April 14 to 17 inclusive. The articles placed on exhibition consisted of projects worked out in the kindergarten and the first six grades of the training school, and represented the life interests of the children in the elementary grades. In addition to the exhibit, typewritten copies were prepared, suggesting industrial projects for the elementary grades in both rural and city schools.

The following members of the Senior class have recently been elected to positions in school work: V. F. Wilson, superintendent, Winslow; J. E. Blievernicht, superintendent, Wynot; Helen B. Erloch, Latin and English, Lynch; Olive Griffith, departmental work, Blair; Hayes Main, mathematics and athletics, St. Edwards; Earl Schroer, science and mathematics, Hooper; Ray A. Emerson, superintendent, Belden; C. E. Mason, superintendent, Carroll; Gordon B. Saunders, superintendent, Rosalie; Elsie A. Meyer, science and mathematics, Laurel.

Advertised Letter List

Letters—Albert Dew, Miss Anna Fox, J. H. Hammond, Mrs. John Myers, Geo. F. Miller, Mrs. Katherine Peterson.

C. A. BERRY, Postmaster.

Read the advertisements.

School Men's Round Table

The second meeting of the School Men's Round Table of Northeast Nebraska was held at the Wayne State Normal, Saturday, April 15. Three topics were discussed: Athletics in High School, led by Supt. O. R. Bowen; What Should Science do for the Average High School Pupil, led by Principal A. B. C. Jacobs of Tekamah; What Should We Expect of our Teachers Outside of the School Room, led by Supt. F. H. Price of Neligh.

The association was fortunate in choosing the leaders for these discussions. The writer never heard better papers for the purpose of presenting topics and provoking discussion than those given by Supt. Bowen, Principal Jacobson and Supt. Price. After each had finished, a lively discussion was assured, and the prospects were realized in each instance. There was no time wasted and no one went to sleep for lack of interest and enthusiasm.

In connection with the first topic the schoolmen seemed to think that athletics in high schools are for all the pupils and not for the few who least need the training; secondly the prevailing idea to win at any cost must be eliminated from games, and the idea of "eat sport" must be substituted.

As to the second topic, all present seemed to agree with Principal Jacobs that science should assist high school students to solve their problems in the home community; that it should not be a study of science for the sake of science, but rather an application of science in practical living. In other words, science should be humanized for boys and girls.

There was no agreement as to what the teacher should or should not do outside of the school room. Many different notions were advanced. The fact that no agreement could be reached marks this subject as a timely one for the consideration of teachers. Perhaps the answer would be different for different communities. At any rate each teacher must make, at least in part, an individual adjustment; but this does not lessen the importance of his decision. In most cases it involves either success or failure. All in all, the meeting was the best of its kind the writer ever attended, and he believes this is the opinion of each one present.

Late News From Dailies

Villa is reported dead again, but no one knows that it is true.

We may stop talking to Germany and that may lead to war. The President's latest note is said to be substantially an ultimatum without any time set for it to become operative, and the President laid his views of the affair before Congress Wednesday, and it is hard to tell what they will do with it. They should read the Ford note in this state and Michigan before they do anything rash. The people are for peace.

In South Dakota the dry people gained control of fourteen towns and none changed the other way.

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Pieper-Kohlmeier

The following is taken from the Journal of Caledonia, Minn., March 29, 1916. The bride is a sister of the Kohlmeier boys of this place, says the Wakefield Republican:

"Mr. George E. Pieper and Miss Louise Kohlmeier were married on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock at the N. E. L. parsonage in this city. Rev. J. H. Wein performed the marriage ceremony. The young couple were attended by Miss Victoria Pieper and Mr. Louis Diersen. The young couple boarded the 9 o'clock passenger for a trip to points in Wisconsin.

"The bride's home is at Wakefield, Nebr. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kohlmeier, now deceased, will be remembered by old settlers, having lived in this county before moving to the state of Missouri many years ago. The young lady is said to be attractive and is possessed of a pleasing personality. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Pieper, well-known rural residents of this community. He is a well-behaved and popular young man and his large number of friends extend their best wishes for a most happy and successful journey on the sea of matrimony. The newlyweds will reside on a farm adjoining the Pieper place, north of town."

Other People's Property

It is past understanding how a man who has the ability to have himself elected to Congress can be conscious of the country's immediate past, and yet support such a measure as the pending water power bills. With mineral lands monopolized by one set of men, and timber lands held by another, while vast areas of idle agricultural lands are held by still others, men elected to serve the people are trying to give away the water power of the country. At a time when they are trying to mitigate the evils that have come from past action, by enacting income tax laws to curb the beneficiaries, and minimum wage and child labor laws to aid the victims, they deliberately set out to create another set of beneficiaries and victims.

The men who gave away the public patrimony in earlier days might be excused on the score of ignorance. But ignorance is no excuse when Congressmen are squarely confronted with the fact. No man would grant any such privilege for the use of his own property. Nor would he have any trouble in drawing up a contract that would protect his rights. But when it comes to public property and the people's rights he becomes helpless in trying to perform his duty, and permits the Privilege-seekers to take what they want. Either the members of the House and Senate are unaccountably stupid, or they are unduly influenced by the immediate presence of the Privilege-seekers and the remoteness of their constituents. Congressmen and all who have to do with the people's service should bear in mind the fact that whenever the terms of a contract between the Government and private interests are found to be too hard on the latter it is a simple matter to relieve the burden; but when the terms favor private interests it is practically impossible to secure any relief for the people.

There is nothing in this whole question so complicated or so uncertain that it need trouble anyone of average understanding. All of the Privilege-seekers understand it; there is no excuse for Congressmen. We start with valuable assets belonging to the people. It is thought better at present to have them developed by private rather than public agencies. No one can tell today what the value of any one of these assets will be in the future. Hence, whatever agreement is entered into between the public and private interests should be flexible and adjustable to new conditions. If present terms be made to cover the highest possible value of the future, capital will not invest; if the terms be low enough to induce capital to invest, they may be entirely inadequate to protect the public in the future. Both of these conditions may be met with a lease requiring frequent revaluations of the water power and the right of the public to take over the plant at its physical value. To bind the public to take public utility concerns at a "fair value" and to assume "all contracts entered into by the grantee," as the Shields bill provides, is to render the Government helpless. There must be no vague, uncertain and undefined terms in the water power bill. The Congressman or Senator who fall short of this betrays his trust.—The Public

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Under Other Flags

From the Coleridge Blade we clip two items of local interest there, but of general interest because they tell of conditions of people under other flags than the stars and stripes:

"Mrs. A. B. Davis, of Hartington, and her sister, Mrs. Jas. Pool, of Brock, Canada, were visitors at the W. C. Mitchell home Friday and Saturday. Among some of the things in which Canada differs from this country is in its Sunday laws. Up there no one is permitted to work on Sunday unless by a special permit from the government, which permits are granted only in most necessary cases such as cutting wheat when dead ripe or some similar matter of semi-public importance. No one may hunt on Sunday and Mrs. Pool relates an instance where a farmer who had left some things in town Saturday and went back after them Sunday but was not permitted to haul them home. Nor are any sports allowed on Sunday. People are supposed to put in the day going to church and likely a good many of them sit around home all day hating themselves and spitting with one another until the Sunday penalty is passed."

"John Koester recently heard from a sister in Germany. The letter had evidently not been censored and was about three weeks on the road over. She writes that the war is making an awful bad condition there and states that there is criticism of the Germans constantly trying to take Verdun as the loss of lives is so great. And provisions are very high. She tells of a steer that sold for \$1100 simply to be butchered. Little six weeks old pigs sell for about \$12. Pork is worth 25c a pound. In the country conditions are not so bad but in the cities the poor people are having a hard time of it and even the rich people cannot get many of the common necessities. However, the government has a strong hand on all provisions and also on the prices and everything is portioned out and priced as low as possible and there is no sign of starvation anywhere, simply that the conservation of food supplies limits the amounts to each a much smaller quantity than is usual in normal conditions."

Do Flies Dislike Blue?

The following from an exchange indicates that they are not color blind:

Farmers, whose barns and out-houses are infested by flies in the summer season may be interested in learning how to banish the pests.

According to the Bloemfontein Friend, a farmer who had many cows housed in different sheds saw, without being able to prevent it, the annoyance to which the animals were subjected. He happened, however, to observe that one shed, the walls of which were of a somewhat bluish tint, was free from flies and the cows were unworried by their attacks. Thereupon, he added a bit of blue color to the lime with which he covered the walls of his sheds, and from that moment the flies deserted the premises.

The following is the formula he used in providing this effective specific against flies: To twenty gallons of water add ten pounds of slacked lime and one pound of ultramarine. The wash should be applied twice during the summer.

It is certainly worth while for farmers to try the experiment on both cattle and horse barns.

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Death of Wm. H. Butterfield

Wm. H. Butterfield, for almost thirty years one of the leading business men and land owners in north Nebraska, died at his home on West Norfolk avenue, Saturday night. His death followed an illness of six years, which, while it partially incapacitated him physically, did not impair his mental faculties which remained clear almost to his last hour.

For several weeks Mr. Butterfield had been confined to his bed and he had realized that his death was only a matter of days. At his bedside when the end came were Mrs. Butterfield and his four children.

The funeral services were held at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the home and burial was at Prospect Hill cemetery, says the News.

Wm. H. Butterfield was born in Washington county, New York, April 9, 1839, and moved with his parents to Wisconsin in 1849. It was not until 1889 that he came to see Nebraska, accompanied by his son, George. He brought several shipments of horses to Knox county, and recognizing the value of the land there he purchased 1,600 acres, which was the beginning of the 10,000 acres which are owned by the Butterfield company around Wausa and Osmond.

On June 12, 1867, Mr. Butterfield was married to Mrs. Josephine Dayton. Six children were born, two of whom died when quite young. The four living are: George D., Mrs. P. H. Salter of Norfolk; Spencer and Mrs. J. C. S. Weills, jr., of Osmond.

At the age of 16 years he was the owner of a gold watch, a steer and a shot gun. He closed his life with the estate of a millionaire and was, perhaps, the wealthiest individual in north Nebraska. His first business transaction was to trade his watch and shot gun as the first payment on a quarter section of Wisconsin land. With the steer and a horse which he had accumulated, he worked out enough to pay for the land. Then began a life of real interest in which trading was the predominating feature in the accumulation of more land and horses. He was the biggest shipper the Milwaukee railroad had in the early days. He was soon the owner of the lumber yards at Columbus, Wisconsin, and a saw mill not far distant. He had many unique plans in his trading. As an inducement to bring out a trade he used to accept one horse as a payment on a bill of lumber. When the horse market in Wisconsin collapsed, it did not tend to check Mr. Butterfield's aggressive spirit. He decided to take a few weeks recreation and as a side issue he brought a few car-loads of horses to Nebraska. At Creighton he met friends who had known him and his honest dealings in Wisconsin. He became acquainted quickly, and he found a big demand for his horses in north Nebraska. The new land looked very good to him and he adopted it as his future home. John R. Hays was then responsible in interesting Mr. Butterfield in Norfolk and he decided to live there. He purchased his beautiful home at 1205 Norfolk avenue and established an office in the city.

From the time Mr. Butterfield stepped across the borders into Nebraska he started to accumulate land and his interest remained with Nebraska to the end. His Wisconsin holdings were disposed of gradually and with his sons' aid he put all of his ambitions into the development of his land in north Nebraska. The mammoth 10,000 acre Butterfield ranch at Wausa and Osmond has since been cut up into smaller farms, but the most modern farming had been done on this ranch.

When Sherman told what war is, he did not know all about it as it is waged today or he would have made it stronger. As hell is said to be everlasting, so the results of the present war are apt to be. The common people do the fighting and the men get killed and maimed. The aristocrats—the crowned heads other leeches of the people furnish the money—on time at a good rate of interest—a burden upon the backs of the widows and orphans and maimed, who are so unfortunate as to survive. It is said that the interest on the German war debt already contracted is \$580,000,000 annually. Repudiation is the just way to settle such a debt piled up in such a cause—not only in Germany but in all the warring nations. First they take the flower of the land to slaughter and then expect the widows and orphans to pay the high cost of killing.

The county commissioners of Dixon county, at their last meeting, rejected all bids for bridges. They accepted the bid of the New-Castle Times to do the county printing for the lump sum of \$200. This did not include the job printing. The Ponca Journal-Leader bid the publishing at one-third the legal rate.

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SHINING TRESSES.

A Doctor's Suggestions About Shampoo and Daily Care of Your Hair.
Although it may not be possible or indeed desirable for every woman to have tresses of Godiva-like abundance, it is within the power of almost every body to have a fine head of hair or to possess what looks like one, whether her locks are long or short, thick or thin, dry or oily, dark, fair or just mid-brown. The whole secret lies in the state of the health and the daily care of the hair.

If the hair is in an impoverished condition, abnormally greasy or abnormally dry, showing a tendency to become brittle and break off short; if it loses its color and bulk, then it is no good in beginning any hair treatment without first attending to the general state of the health.

One should take sufficient exercise and rest and correct any indiscretions in diet. Where an anaemic condition exists a tonic often does wonders, so will a course of cod liver oil, while raw eggs and unboiled milk are articles of diet which directly beautify the hair.

As to the general care of the hair, it should be washed as often as it requires cleaning. Once a week is not too often for a very oily type of hair, and about once in three weeks is a good average for ordinary hair.

If it is washed at home liquid soap is the best thing to use. The hair should be thoroughly wetted with warm water, then a handful of the liquid rubbed in. If it does not lather at once use a little more water and a little more liquid till the whole head is in a perfect foam; rinse out the lather very thoroughly, take the worst of the moisture off with hot towels and dry by brushing and fanning. Do not on any account seek to dry it by the fire.

The daily care of the hair is most important. It should be well brushed every night, the scalp being first of all treated with a rather hard brush to stimulate the circulation and the long hair afterward brushed with long, sweeping strokes, two brushes with rather long, stiff bristles being used. This is to keep the hair clean and give it a natural gloss.

Some Tasty Sandwiches.

The Midnight.—One cream cheese, twelve olives stoned and chopped fine, moisten and spread between thin buttered slices of white or entire wheat bread.

The Boston.—Mash cold baked beans, add two tablespoonfuls horseradish to each cupful of beans, spread between thin slices of brown bread, buttered. Tomato catsup or prepared mustard may be used to season beans instead of horseradish if preferred, seasoning to suit the taste.

The Walnut.—Butter the bread, spread over each slice a layer of cheese, then a layer of chopped nuts. Sprinkle with salt and cover with another slice. Serve with olives.

The Onion.—Soak finely cut Bermuda onions in ice water for an hour, the water being previously sweetened and salted. Drain and mix with mayonnaise and place between slices of white bread.

Smurche.—Two packages of cheese, one hard boiled egg, a ten cent bottle stuffed olives, salt and cayenne to taste, one tablespoonful melted butter and a little chopped onion. Chop and mix all together and spread between slices of bread.

Homemade Tea Wagon.

A discarded gocart may be used for the purpose. Remove the seat part from the gocart, leaving the wheels and handle. Then saw the legs off from an old wicker table about five inches from the ground. Fasten the table to the gocart and paint all a dark green. Place on top of the table first a piece of cretonne, then a piece of glass over that. Hold both in place with four strips of molding nailed on firmly and painted the same dark green.



About Wedded Bliss

The old fashioned diagnosis of rheumatism is coming into disfavor. Too many distinctly different types of ailments have been classed under rheumatism.

The old fashioned verdict of incompatibility is bound, too, in time, to come into disfavor. Too much of marital infelicity that is caused by selfishness or unrest or unpreparedness for marriage or unpropitious circumstances in marriage is laid at the door of incompatibility.

Of course incompatibility exists. It is present in every marriage in a greater, or lesser degree. It is an inevitable concomitant of every marriage. But unless it is pronounced, as in some cases where a man and woman marry in haste, without any community of thought and interest, it does not cause serious trouble.

The average couple are attracted before marriage not only by the call of sex, but by many attributes of mental and spiritual affinity. After marriage it is apparent that they are not as completely in unison as they were before marriage. Traits that were hidden by the glamour of courtship come into the foreground. For husband and wife are each the product of dissimilar environment and heredity, and, being so, many of their ideas, tastes and habits are bound to clash. Then, too, as they are man and woman, their inclinations and emotional natures are fundamentally different. Thus it is to be expected that at times the unlike natures of man and wife should cause discord.

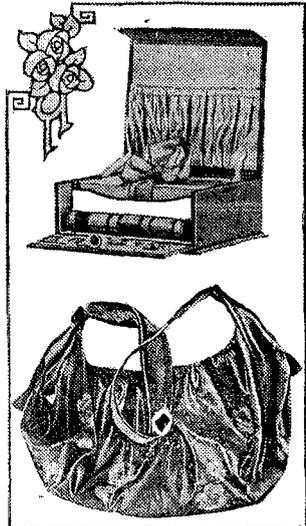
The couple who are idlers or one of whom is an idler find incompatibility a bugbear in their lives. With real work—with something serious to think about and something worth while to do—they would find little time to worry about their discrepancies in opinion and taste.

To those who are unready for marriage, who are bad tempered, eccentric and shiftless in habit and management—to this type of people incompatibility is a scapegoat for all their misdemeanors.

FOR TRAVELERS.

Two Articles That the Girl Going South Will Like.

This workbag is made of Dresden ribbon, the strap of which is re-enforced with silk braid and tassels. It is equipped with stocking darners. The



USEFUL FAVORITES.

box combines writing paper with all the necessary sewing utensils, thread, thimble, needles and scissors, with a pocket on the lid for odds and ends. It is compact, pretty, covered with leather and therefore durable.

Conventionality.

Woman is much less conventional than man. She does all the conventional things and attacks other women savagely for breaches of convention. But you will generally find that where a man may with impunity break a convention he will not do so, while if secrecy is guaranteed a woman will please herself first and repent only if necessary. It follows that a man is conventional because he respects convention, women conventional because she is afraid of what may happen if she does not obey convention. The typical Englishman of the world wrecked upon a desert island would get into his evening clothes as long as his shirts lasted; his wife alone in such circumstances would wear a low cut dress to take her meal of coconuts, even if her frock did up in front.—Atlantic.

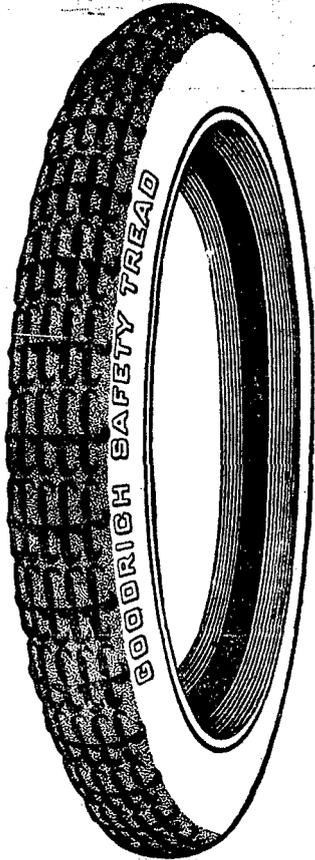
Oysters Roasted In the Shells.

Wash and scrub the shells. Cook in a hot oven or on top of stove over red-hot coals or in a steamer until the shells open. Always place them round shell down to retain the juice. Serve melted butter and vinegar or lemons with them.

Cornmeal Fish Balls.

Take two cupfuls of cold white cornmeal mush, combine it with one cupful of shredded codfish, one beaten egg and one tablespoonful of butter. If the fish is too salty it should be soaked first. Drop by spoonfuls into hot fat.

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WAYNE MARKET REPORT

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

Oats	35c
Corn new	60c
Barley	40c
Spring wheat	94
Wheat	90
Eggs	17c
Butter	25c
Hogs	9.00
Fat Cattle	\$6.50 @ \$8.50

The primary is over and our exchanges as they come in this week begin to look less like a detective sheet or a rogue's gallery.

Yes, Wayne looks better after a cleanup week, and yet there is room for another week or two of it about some parts of the berg.

Another strenuous time is at hand—commencement, when the kids become men and women overnight, as it were. It is indeed an important event in the lives of the graduates, but it is of far greater importance to have the foundation work leading up to this time well and carefully completed.

The fool who killed the goose that laid the golden egg was in the same class as the greedy owners of the armor plate factories. They made such tremendously high charges that it has driven the government to arrange to make its own plate. Now the steel combine are promising everything reasonable and unreasonable in an effort to keep the government from building a plant. Too much money has been asked for armor which would not test up to the requirements—hence the name, "steal" trust.

The Cradle
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Woman's World

A Prima Donna Gives Her Home For War Sufferers.



MME. MELBA.

After sixteen months of personal service to war victims Mme. Melba recently gave the use of her apartment in Paris for an army hospital. Dr. Jane Wells Craven of Pittsburgh is superintendent in charge. The apartment will be known as the Melba Home hospital and will be used for the benefit of all soldiers of whatever nationality.

The gift of the hospital came as a surprise, topping the singer's systematic economies in dress, food and personal comforts.

"See my tight skirt," she said, pointing to a much worn serge. "I have bought neither gowns, hats nor blouses since the war began. I can't afford new garments until every suffering man, woman and child has food and shelter.

"This war was declared without consulting women, but our jobs as women seem to be well laid out for us, and where there is a will there's a way. I have lost all my men folk in this war, either by shot or insanity."

Mme. Melba said her apartment at 81 Avenue Henri Martin has large, airy rooms, with solarium and roof garden, and will accommodate 200 beds. Equipment for each bed will cost \$25.

Mme. Melba has pledged even the maintenance of the majority of these, in memory of Arnold Quilter of the Grenadier guards, who fell at the Dardanelles.

TRAYS FOR EVERY USE.

A Variety of These Useful Articles For Every Household.

One of the most interesting details of the modern china closet is the tray. Trays for muffins, for sweets and services for tea and after dinner coffee are as popular as the breakfast tray. Whether or not the present status of breakfast as a movable feast is the result of the hectic existence mankind leads today it is hard to say.

If this meal is to be served in bed a delightful individual tray would be one with folding legs. Such a tray naturally contains only service for one. A variety of designs, however, may be found in this style of tray with individual sets of china suited to every purse.

For the member of the family who wishes only a cup of black coffee or tea with a dash of cream perhaps a small tray containing three pieces of silver to which is added the cup is a convenient service.

The after dinner coffee set has its own tray and is easily carried into the drawing room or library. The country house, where all sorts of impromptu meals are served in the garden, the pantry must be supplied with trays of every description—black or white painted ones to accord with old furniture and quaint cottages, glass covered chintz ones set in wicker; even perfectly plain white enameled trays may be used. The housekeeper's soul will delight in the variety and beauty of this practical adjunct to housekeeping, and her only difficulty will be in selecting.

Eggplant Straws.

Cut into one-fourth inch slices an unpeeled eggplant. Salt each slice and press them for an hour or so under a heavy weight. Now cut the slices into equal lengths, about a fourth of an inch wide, discarding the skin; dry in a cloth and roll them in a mixture of equal parts of fine cornmeal and flour; season with pepper, salt and a slight dash of nutmeg. Drop a few at a time into salad oil (hot) and fry them until they are a delicate brown. Dry on a soft paper as you would French fried potatoes and serve at once while they are crisp and tender.

Attractive Blotters.

Guest room blotters are covered with stiff chintz covers, the blotter leaves inside being held in place by narrow satin ribbons. The chintz is the same as that used in the hangings of the room. On the outside cover of the blotter a picture, clipped from a magazine or Sunday paper, is pasted, and then the entire cover is shellacked. These blotters are very handy for guest room use and may be renewed cheaply and often enough to keep them fresh and inviting in appearance.

THE GAY STATESMAN.

A Tribute to the Versatile Genius of Alexander Hamilton.

Because no man can live exclusively to himself either for good or evil, with every mention of Burr's name the figure of Hamilton rises, an avenging ghost. Even before that precocious young native of the West Indies walked into our military history at Princeton, a lad only nineteen, lost in thought, a cocked hat pulled down over his eyes while his hand rested upon a cannon that he patted absentmindedly as if it were a favorite horse, he had done valiant work for American liberty with his pen. From the time he touched our shores to the July morning more than thirty years later when Burr's bullet laid him low he was a force to be reckoned with.

And his was one of those natures, keenly alive on many sides, whose astonishing maturity of intellect did not snuff out the zest of life. He became "my boy" to Washington very early in his service, worked willingly at headquarters day in and day out with a sober application equal to Washington's own, yet contrived to snatch from such never ending drudgery youth's dear and fleeting joys. He brought gaiety even to Washington's mess table, courted black eyed Elizabeth Schuyler under the muzzles of British guns and in the years of their married life together managed with all his prodigious labors to bend social graces as well as the solid qualities of his mind to enriching their days and nights.

Besides being a great statesman, he was "an enjoying gentleman," to use the quaint old phrase. Talleyrand, corrupt and appreciative, looked upon him with amazement. "Il avait divine l'Europe," he said, which, from a European of that day, about an American was near the highest praise. Hamilton's management of the treasury, without breath of scandal or self seeking, filled the Frenchman with even greater astonishment. "I have beheld one of the wonders of the world," he exclaimed—"a man who has made a nation rich laboring all night to provide his family with bread."—Helen Nicolay in Century.

THIS PLANT IS A THIEF.

Dodder Steals All the Digested Food of Its Clover Neighbors.

Possibly he's too lazy to feed himself, or it may be that he came from a family of criminals and can't overcome his heredity. At any rate, he's a robber, a thief and a plunderer. None of these names is too severe, and if you doubt it ask the farmer, who knows him for the damage he does every year to the clover and alfalfa crops. The plant is the dodder.

Perhaps we can forgive the dodder for not preparing his own food, for he has nothing to prepare it with. Nearly all plants have chlorophyll, the substance which makes plants green and digests the food which they take from the ground and the air. The dodder has no chlorophyll.

So it has to turn robber to live. After the seed springs from the ground the dodder vine reaches out until it touches some other plant, clover, for example. It attaches itself to the clover stem by its tiny rootlets and begins to eat the food which the clover has taken and digested. After awhile the root withers and dies, and the vine keeps reaching out for more victims, binding them together with its tiny threads. You probably have seen the small, pale, bell shaped flowers climbing over a field of clover. Once dodder gets a hold in a clover field the farmer's only escape is to cut clover and dodder alike and burn the crop. And the farmer believes this death none too horrible for the little robber vine.—Philadelphia North American.

The White of an Egg.

The white of an egg is made up of little cells filled with albumen. By beating the white these cells are ruptured and oxygen from the air is inhaled, which gives the white and light appearance to beaten eggs. The white of a stale egg will not inclose as much oxygen, will not be as light and as easily digested as that of the fresh egg and, of course, less valuable. The importance of beating the egg in cold, pure air is readily seen.

A Mystery.

How is it that a manacled convict can escape unhurt by leaping from a train running at the rate of thirty miles an hour when every time the average citizen slips in alighting from a car he injures himself so severely that the railway company must pay him big damages?—Louisville News.

Mixed the Streets.

The dovetailing of the new city plan of 1807-11 on the old line of New York streets resulted in a curious complication whereby Fourth street crossed both Tenth and Eleventh streets, a fourth dimensional achievement warranted to stagger the brainiest of mathematicians.—Exchange.

The Criterion.

"I dined at my fiancée's home yesterday." "I doubt they regard you as one of the family by now, don't they?" "Not yet. They haven't quite reached the point where they bowl me out if I make a spot on the tablecloth."—Puck.

Why He Knew.

"Are you sure that your wife is coming in on this train?" "No-doubt about it. They just told me it was three-quarters of an hour behind time."—Puck.

For the Children

Two Playmates Out Having Fun on Roller Skates.



Photo by American Press Association.

Children who live in the city often miss much of the fun that country youngsters enjoy. Soon as snow falls in big towns hundreds of men are sent out to shovel it into piles quite inconvenient for sliding downhill and snow men. So city children have to plan a bit, and one of the best loved sports is roller skating in the parks, where asphalt walks are good and smooth. The picture shows Helen Maxwell, daughter of Mr. Howard Maxwell, and her playmate, Virginia Smathers, roller skating in Central park, New York, just after the last snowstorm.

The Daisy.

Did you ever hear the story of the daisy which looks like a star? Once upon a time there was a little star up in the sky that belonged in no group of stars at all, but just had to wander around by itself all the time. Every evening it watched the evening star tow the new moon over the edge of the dark and envied it. It heard much talk among the other stars, some of them of less magnitude envying those of greater magnitude, and the little lone star thought to itself that no one saw it even to envy it. Down on the earth it looked so much easier to get into a group and have companions, so one day when the earth was swinging over from dark to daylight the little star did not try to preserve its equilibrium, but just dropped down, down, until it came to earth. It fell so far that it fell deep down into the earth, but some star seeds at its heart shot up from the earth, changed through the influence of the soil, and there stood a beautiful star flower, and never is it lacking for companions of its own kind.

About Matches.

Every boy and girl in the west knows who Lewis and Clark were and what great work they accomplished for the country, but they may not know that when they were starting on their great journey of discovery Dr. Saugrain of St. Louis made them what was called at that time chemical matches. He showed them how they could make phosphorus for themselves, and you no doubt know the story of how these matches affected the Indians, who would not sell the "wapato" until they saw the miracle of the matches, and then they gladly gave it.

Before these chemical matches were made it was necessary to draw fire by means of flint and steel, and it was often a very hard task to do it, so fires seldom went out, but were fed constantly or covered so that they could blaze up in a short time.

Pencil and Notebook.

There is a satisfaction and a very certain educational value as well in being able to record one's impressions by rough notes and sketches and to show others one's ideas in the same manner. Every boy, even though he possesses no talent whatever for drawing, may learn to roughly sketch an outline if he properly develops a simple sense of proportions. The noting of interesting facts, read over often more than once later, fixes them in the memory and is good practice in expression if one tries constantly to set forth these notes clearly and correctly. Try it.

Frost Cracking Trees.

The traveler in the winter woods during extreme cold and especially after nightfall is sometimes startled by sounds like pistol shots and as loud, near and far away. It is not difficult to locate these sounds as coming from the larger trees around, the frost so shrinking the wood as to cause the fibers to separate in the weakest places, and they do this in such a hurry as to resemble an explosion.

Poverty of Language.

Travelers tell us that there is a very wild tribe near the upper Amazon that possesses a language singularly devoid of needed words. For instance, they have nothing to express a number greater than three, but this word is one of nine syllables.

Cheerful Molly.

Oh, Molly put her bonnet on And started up the street, And who but Crippled Charlie was The first one she did meet. And Molly passed the time of day, And Charlie said "We gaitis," And never was more joyful pair In these United States. —St. Louis-Globe Democrat.

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Easter Jewelry

The beauty and freshness of Springtime is in the New Jewelry and Silver.

For the Easter Gift you will find here many desirable articles at modest prices. I can only hint at a few of the new things. Bracelet Watches, Lavalliers, Rings, Brooches, Necklaces and Bracelets are in vogue and keeping up with the latest styles in dress.

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Sheep and Lambs Just About Steady at the Recent Decline.—Demand is Not So keen Even for the Best Grades and the Undertone to the Market is Rather Weak Than Otherwise.

Union Stock Yards, South Omaha, April 19, 1916.—Receipts of cattle were only moderate in volume today, 5,000 head, but the quality was very good as a rule and the market fairly active at steady to stronger prices, the improvement being mostly on the more desirable offerings. Best beaves sold around \$9.30@9.35 and the bulk of the fair to good kinds went at \$8.70@9.00. Cows and heifers were in active request at strong prices and the trade in stock cattle and feeding steers was just about steady all around.

Quotations on cattle: Prime beaves, \$9.20@9.40; good to choice beaves, \$8.90@9.10; fair to good beaves, \$8.65@8.85; common to fair beaves, \$7.75@8.60; good to choice heifers, \$7.50@8.35; good to choice cows, \$7.25@8.00; fair to good cows, \$6.25@7.25; canners and cutters, \$4.00@6.00; veal calves, \$7.50@10.50; bulls, stags, etc., \$8.00@8.00; good to choice feeders, \$8.00@8.00; good to choice stockers, \$7.75@8.25; fair to good feeders, \$7.50@8.00; common to fair feeders, \$6.50@7.50; stock heifers, \$6.75@8.00; stock cows, \$6.25@7.25; stock calves, \$7.00@8.50.

Hogs Just a Shade Lower. There was a pretty good run of hogs, 12,500 head, and a broad demand for them, especially from the local packers. Opening bids were fully a nickel lower than Monday, but some of the more desirable butcher weight and heavy loads sold at fully steady prices and a clearance was made in pretty good season. Tops were at \$9.50, as against \$9.55 Monday, and the bulk of the trading was around \$9.25@9.45, as compared with \$9.30@9.50 Monday.

Trade in Lambs Rather Dull. Receipts of sheep let up a bit and only 6,700 head put in an appearance. The smaller receipts did not stimulate trade any, however, and prices were for the most part just about steady at the recent sharp decline. Local demand was slack and feeders and shearers were inclined to take a bearish view of the situation.

Quotations on sheep and lambs: Lambs, good to choice, handy, \$11.25@11.50; lambs, fair to good, handy, \$11.00@11.25; lambs, fair to choice, heavy, \$10.50@11.10; lambs, clipped, \$8.25@9.00; yearlings, fair to choice, light, \$9.25@10.25; yearlings, fair to choice, heavy, \$8.50@9.25; wethers, fair to choice, \$8.00@9.00; ewes, good to choice, \$8.35@8.75; ewes, fair to good, \$7.75@8.35.

A Complete Job.
"Do you love me with all your soul?" breathed the temperamental maiden as she peered through the orchids with which the table was dotted at the lucky fellow whose joys and sorrows she had agreed to share.

"The l. f. paused for a moment while he inspected the supper check, just handed him by an obsequious mental. "Yes, and with all my roll," he said fervently.—Richmond Times-Dispatch

Painfully Frank.
Wedderly—They say that a man and his wife grow to look alike after they have been married a few years. Now, my wife and I have been married ten years. Do you think we look alike? Singleton—Yes, indeed. You both seem to have the same sad expression.

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CONDENSED NEWS

Many persons in northern Mexico are facing starvation.

Forest fires have done heavy damage in North Carolina.

Ship owners are facing trouble as a result of the seamen's demands.

Albany detectives are searching for the slayer of Billy Clark, aged eight.

A million Armenians. It is claimed, have been put to death by the Turks.

Five Mexicans, reported as having murdered Americans at Rocario, have been executed.

Two more provisions were added to the senate's army bill designed to federalize the national guard.

George W. Peck, former governor of Wisconsin and humorous writer, died in Milwaukee after a short illness.

The Standard Oil company has given a voluntary wage increase of 10 per cent to 3,500 employees at Whiting, Ind.

George H. Phillips, who for a brief period enjoyed the title of "corn king" in the grain trade, died at his home in Chicago.

The United States is drafting a conciliatory reply to the Carranza request that American troops be withdrawn from Mexico.

Attorney General Gregory held that the federal reserve board has no authority to change the location of a federal reserve bank.

Shirley Phillips, aged sixteen, was instantly killed when struck by a baseball pitched by J. E. Slaughter in a game at Harding, W. Va.

Lieutenant V. D. Herbster, assistant naval attaché at the American embassy at Berlin, has been ordered home for duty in the intelligence bureau.

The first official report of the clash at Parral, reaching the war department from General Funston, said two American troopers and forty Mexicans were killed.

At the presidential primary in Illinois, Senator Sherman, Republican, and President Wilson had it all their own way, as all other names had to be written in.

The ashes of Richard Harding Davis, who died at his home in Mount Kisco, N. Y., last week, were buried in a cemetery at Philadelphia beside the graves of his parents.

President Yuan Shi Kai expressed confidence that the difficulties presented by the revolutionary movement in China would be overcome and harmony would be restored.

The grand jury at Deming, N. M., which has been investigating the Columbus raid, has returned an indictment against Villa charging him with murder in the first degree.

The adjudication of water rights along the South Platte river in Colorado and Nebraska is sought in a case filed in the United States district court for Colorado at Denver.

The Panama canal was reopened to traffic with the passage of sixteen ships, seven northbound and nine southbound. The channel through the cut was in excellent condition.

William G. McAdoo, secretary of the treasury of the United States, and the other members of the delegation to the International High commission, arrived at Santiago, Chili, from Buenos Aires.

W. D. Garranilo, former president, and R. D. Duncan, former vice president and cashier of the State National bank of Little Rock, were found guilty on six counts of violating national banking laws.

American women soldiers will wear trousers as part of their uniform if they follow the example set by the 200 members of the American women's league for self-defense, who have been drilling in New York.

Dr. Joseph Shimon, former student of Carroll college, Waukesha, Wis., was burned at the stake and beheaded at Urumiah, Persia, for refusing to acknowledge Islam, according to advices received at Waukesha.

Americans in southern Sinaloa, alarmed at conditions in the surrounding country, are taking refuge in Mazatlan and about two scores of them will return to the United States on the United States steamer Glacier.

War supplies valued at \$60,000,000 were thrown overboard from the Japanese steamer Ide Maru, which arrived at Honolulu with an injured rudder. The cargo was jettisoned to lighten the disabled craft forward during a gale.

By a vote of forty-two to twenty-nine the Cincinnati presbytery adopted a resolution petitioning the general assembly of the church to cut off the presbytery of New York from membership "because of long continued disloyalty."

A house committee submitted a report pronouncing United States Attorney Marshall of New York guilty of contempt for criticising a house subcommittee investigating impeachment charges brought by Representative Buchanan of Illinois.

An Amsterdam dispatch says that travelers arriving from Berlin report that a woman fired two shots from a revolver at Dr. Carl Liebknecht, while the socialist member of the reichstag was walking on the street. Both shots missed. She was arrested.

The names of 250 prominent engineers who are to organize state boards throughout the country to make a survey of American manufacturing and producing resources as a first step toward industrial preparedness were announced by the committee on industrial preparedness of the naval consulting board.

NEWS OF NEBRASKA

Interesting Happenings Printed in Condensed Form.

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News of All Kinds Gathered From Points in the State and So Reduced in Size That It Will Appeal to All Classes of Readers.

Omaha's Ak-Sar-Ben membership is now 1,073.

A price is put on the heads of rodents in Lincoln this week.

The federal grand jury met in Omaha to consider fifty cases.

Burlington officials report freight business exceedingly heavy.

The automobile bridge at Louisville has been opened for traffic.

The Fort Crook prohibition law was upheld by the supreme court.

Train service on the Union Pacific will not be changed this summer.

Governor Morehead issued his annual proclamation designating April 22 as Arbor day.

The York County Agricultural society has elected a board of directors and adapted by-laws.

The Tecumseh fire department will undertake to secure funds for the purchase of a motor fire truck.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin S. Towle celebrated their golden wedding at the home of their son in Falls City.

A dollar-a-head cat tax will be asked by the Omaha Audubon society at the next city council meeting.

Homer high school debaters won a unanimous decision over Dakota high school on the question of armament.

After twelve years' service as postmaster of Aurora, J. G. Alden checked out and J. H. Grosvenor took control.

Peter F. O'Sullivan, veteran editor and newspaper man of pioneer days, died at West Point just two days after the burial of his wife.

Reports of flagrant violations of the safety law in Omaha factories were made to the board of public welfare by special investigators.

On objection of Nebraska senators, the senate rejected the nomination of Ross G. Moore to be register of the land office at Broken Bow.

There were ninety-five applicants in the Omaha district for enlistment in the regular army last week. Two were accepted as recruits.

Hubert Deardorff, aged thirty-nine, shot and instantly killed his young brother, Jeremiah, on the farm owned by their mother near Lincoln.

Robert Young, a convict at the state penitentiary, has just completed a pen drawing of Governor Morehead, which will be framed by the governor.

Irvin Hohlfeld, aged twenty-three, was found dead at the home of his parents at Ravenna, the surroundings pointing to suicide by shooting.

The Omaha Grain exchange is planning to increase the total of its members from 200 to 225 and to sell the new memberships at \$2,500 each.

Charles Salisbury, livery stable employee at Blair, shot and killed his invalid wife, then committed suicide by sending a bullet through his head.

John O. Moran, formerly in the legal department of the Union Pacific in Omaha, has been appointed assistant attorney of the Oregon Short line.

Trial of Charles L. McClure's \$75,000 personal injury damage suit against the Rock Island railroad has commenced in federal court at Omaha.

As the result of a drunken quarrel in a bunk car on the Rock Island track at Beatrice, Tony Garcia, a Mexican, shot and fatally wounded John Mesa, another Mexican.

Hazel Parks of Hastings college, the only girl entered, won the state prohibition contest at Bellevue college by presenting a more thoughtful oration than any of the five men.

The body of Mrs. Joseph E. Howard, wife of the stage star, who committed suicide in Omaha, was taken back to her home in Chicago by Michael Killgallen, father of the dead woman.

The university board of regents is facing a crisis in building plans, due to unprecedented advance in structural steel prices in the last twelve months, as a result of the European war.

Funeral services for W. H. Butterfield were held at Norfolk. Mr. Butterfield died following an illness of six years. He had been for over thirty years a leading business man and land owner of north Nebraska.

About thirty-five citizens who be lieve in trying to keep Falls City dry notwithstanding that twenty-two wet majority registered at the spring election met and raised a fund of \$1,500 with which to start the fight.

Gage county farmers held gopher meetings at the Glenwood and Banner school houses near Odell which were addressed by Farm Demonstrator Liebers. A large quantity of poison was ordered, which will be used in exterminating the gophers.

In a revolver battle at Beatrice between Policemen Trude and Wheeler on one side and Nels Smith and Alvin Smith, father and son, on the other, the older Smith was shot and killed. Nels Smith provoked the fight after being arrested for drunkenness, and shot four times at the officers before they returned the fire. Alvin Smith was arrested.

Alton Ball, a youth of eighteen, residing near Berwyn, is under arrest charged with attempted criminal assault upon fourteen-year-old Alberta Martin of the same neighborhood.

Rev. V. Pokorny of Prague came to Omaha and recovered \$1,900 in certificates of deposit which were in a pocketbook stolen from him a week ago in an Omaha cafeteria. The pocketbook, with \$45 in cash, was found in a mail box.

Joseph F. Wilson of Hall county has appealed to the supreme court from a judgment secured in the district court in favor of Michael Sullivan for \$5,000. Sullivan was shot while at work in his corn field by Wilson, who fired at a rabbit.

The pure water supplied by the city water works plant and the excellent drainage system in Hastings are given credit by D. W. J. Fox of the United States health bureau for Hastings having the lowest death rate in Nebraska.

Nelson Steele and Gerald Howard of Fremont were seriously injured and Mr. Cheney, an auctioneer of North Bend, was badly bruised when the steering gear broke on an automobile Howard was driving between Dodge and Snyder.

Samuel Lee, the city electrician at Wymore, who was discharged by Adam McMullen, who was then mayor, but who refused to turn over the keys to his office, has had all his warrants signed by M. L. Rawlings, the new mayor.

Howard Kidney, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kidney of University Place, winner of the grand prize in the 1914 state fair better babies contest, was instantly killed when a cellar door fell, striking him on the head.

Mary Brummond of Norfolk has begun action in the district court for divorce from her husband, Paul Brummond, alleging extreme cruelty and lack of support. They were married in 1894 and had nine children, eight of whom are living.

Peter Fetzer, a farmer living north of Bonnet, had an iron rod two and a half inches thick run into his brain and is still alive with chances for recovery bright. A rod, supporting the automobile top, pierced Fetzer's brain when his machine turned over.

Part of the land needed for a state rifle range for the national guard has been purchased by Adjutant General Hall from Alex Laverty, E. J. Rose and C. J. Parmenter, subject to the approval of the war department. There are 900 acres in the range.

G. Hruska, portrait painter of Chadron, who made such a success of his painting of the late Booker T. Washington, which now hangs in Tuskegee institute, has received orders to paint four other portraits for this same school for colored people.

A compilation in the state veterinarian's office shows that in the first three months of the year, 481 herds of cattle, comprising 132,111 animals were inspected for scabies in Nebraska. Infection was found in fifty-eight herds, but only a small percentage had the disease.

Mrs. Helen Morton Bayly, grand daughter of the late J. Sterling Morton of Nebraska City, founder of Arbor day, and well known in Nebraska, will be defendant in divorce proceedings to be started soon by Roger Bayly, owner of the Ashley stock farms at Delaplave, Va.

The Nebraska Prosperity league has been organized at Omaha with L. F. Crofoot as president. Resolutions were adopted opposing prohibition and favoring the high license policy. The league is extending its membership throughout the state.

Rev. F. M. Sturdevant of Chadron performed the ceremony for a double wedding at the residence of Henry Miller on his ranch near Chadron. The couples were Nels Olson and Isadora Golsh and Adolph Hegg and Alma Johnson. Each of the four have homesteaded as neighbors.

An attorney is making out contracts whereby Dr. Harold Gifford of Omaha will purchase the Child's point land, nearly 500 acres, southeast of South Omaha, for the Fontenelle Forest association. Dr. Gifford will pay \$55,000 for the tract and hold it until the Fontenelle Forest association can raise money to buy it.

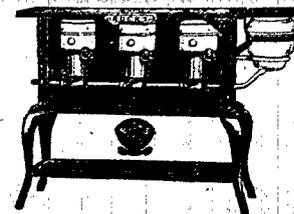
Attention was directed again to the disappearance of Michael J. Curtain of Aurora when suit was filed against him by the Bank of Bromfield for \$1,200 and some of his property was attached. The papers filed allege that Curtain has disposed of most of his property. It is reported that Curtain is now at Dodge City, Kan.

The committee having in charge the state-wide celebration of the semi-centennial celebration of the admission of Nebraska into the union of states is authorized to announce that John D. Haskell of Wakefield has offered a prize of \$100 for the best music composition suited to the Nebraska poem recently selected.

Paul Holder pleaded guilty before Police Magistrate Behtol of Hastings to a charge of smoking a pipe on the streets contrary to the ordinance forbidding such conduct for boys under eighteen years and was fined \$1 and costs, but the fine was suspended. The scare thrown into high school boys has shelved some favorite pipes.

Demonstrations will be made by the Union Pacific by special train run from Kimball to North Platte and then up the branch of that road to Halg. The train will start May 1 and will be in service five days. The demonstrations will be in connection with three sets of meetings given at each town, one to farmers, one to women and the third to the schools.

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LOCAL NEWS

Miss Frances Cherry is on the sick list.

A. R. Davis went to Fremont Tuesday.

Ponca is putting up electroliers on their main street.

F. S. Berry was a Norfolk visitor the first of the week.

Phil H. Kohl left Tuesday for Pawnee on a business mission.

Mrs. Emma Liveringhouse has gone to Meadow Grove for a week's visit with her son.

Fine, large red apples at Beaman's Friday and Saturday, at \$1.45 per box.—adv.

Judge and Mrs. A. A. Welch returned the first of the week from a visit with their son at Kansas City.

Chester Foster returned the first of the week from Sioux City where he has been taking hospital treatment for a time.

Mesdames Wm. Brummond and Geo. Effline were visitors at Sioux City Wednesday, going in to spend the day there.

Donald Porter and family of Carroll spent Sunday at the Lon Barber home, his brother-in-law.

James Harmon went to Laurel Wednesday morning to be absent several weeks with relatives at that place.

Mrs. Francis Davey of Sioux City came Monday evening to spend a week with her daughters, Mrs. F. S. Berry and Miss Madeline Davey, who is attending the normal school here.

Rev. S. X. Cross and J. H. Kemp went to Niobrara Tuesday morning as delegates from the Wayne Presbyterian church to the annual sessions of the North Nebraska Synod, which meets there this week.

Chas. Ash joined a party of land lookers Tuesday, going from Sioux City to see what the great Judith Basin in Montana looks like. Mr. Ash has no idea of purchasing there just at present, but wants to see if he thinks it a good place to invest in later. He thinks some parts of Canada about the best country he has seen, but not any Canada for him until time of peace again prevail. Then the taxes to pay the war debt are apt to be pretty high for a couple of generations.

How About Your Hogs this Spring?

The sale of Columbia Stock Powder has greatly increased the past year because it has given such good satisfaction, as has been proven by my many patrons. It will both kill and expell the worms and thereby end all digestive troubles, and keep the animal in good healthy condition the year round.

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The Price of this Oiler is only \$10.00 and two gallons of hog louse oil with it FREE

When you see it work you will surely say that you have found the oiler you have been looking for.

Any one wishing to buy any of the above goods may call by telephone on Wisner line No. 1708. Home place one mile south west of Altona.

W. E. Roggenbach

Local Representative.

Among the Churches of Wayne

Methodist Church
(Rev. A. S. Buell Pastor).
A sacred cantata, entitled, "The Lord of the Easter Tide," by John D. Grewell, will be rendered by the Methodist choir next Sunday evening. On Sunday morning the pastor will preach an Easter sermon from the text, "Why Seek Ye the Living Among the Dead?" Revival meetings in the Methodist church beginning the first of May, in which the pastor will be assisted by Mrs. Mabel Stevens, of St. Petersburg, Florida, with a very capable singer, who has been with her for six years. People are asking about these meetings. Who is Mrs. Stevens? Who is her singer, what about them? What kind of a revival meeting do you expect to hold the first of May? Do you expect everybody to come and can you hope to accomplish a great deal in two weeks time? Is this meeting just kind of a fellowship meeting for the church members? Every individual within ten miles of Wayne is invited to come if they wish to do so, and every one who comes once will be back every night as long as Mrs. Stevens stays in town, even though they may be getting ready for commencement or planting corn. Mrs. Stevens is a college trained woman, a cultured southern lady, who is thoroughly consecrated to her Master and His work. The ladies may just as well get their housecleaning through before the first of May, for after Mrs. Stevens begins there will be no more housecleaning until she is gone and the men will come whether the house is cleaned or not.
Remember the prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Beginning with Easter Sunday all evening programs will begin at 8 o'clock.

Presbyterian Church
(Rev. S. Xenophon Cross, Pastor).
The following is the Easter music program that will be given under the directorship of Mrs. W. E. Johnson at the Presbyterian church on next Sunday morning, beginning at 10:30 sharp:
"For God so Loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth on Him should not perish but have everlasting life."
Organ solo, "Easter Morn."—Mrs. Jas. G. Miller.
Anthem, "The Palms"—The Choir.
Hymn, "Angels Roll the Rock Away."—The Congregation.
Solo, "I Know that My Redeemer Liveth," from "Messiah"—Mrs. W. E. Johnson.
Solo, "A Lesson from the Violets"—Mrs. W. E. Watkins.
Solo and obligato, "The Resurrection"—Mrs. A. R. Davis.
Violin solo, "The Angels Serenade"—Joe Ringland.
Hymn, "Jesus Christ is Risen Today! Alleluia!"—The congregation.
Solo, "Eye Hath Not Seen" from "The Holy City"—Mrs. W. E. Baskerville.
Anthem, "They that Sow in Tears Shall Reap in Joy," from "The Holy City"—The choir.
Hymn, "O Mother Dear Jerusalem."—The congregation.
Organ Solo, "Hallelujah Chorus" from "Messiah"—Mrs. James G. Miller.
Everybody is invited to attend this Easter Service. May all the gladness of the season be yours. Come to the Father's house with the Easter joy in your heart, and you will go forth better able to bear that joy to others.

Baptist Church
(Publicity Committee).
Next Sunday will be Easter and in common with the other churches the Baptist people are arranging to celebrate in an appropriate manner and accordingly you can count on them to be on hand with two live and interesting services.
In the morning Rev. W. L. Gaston will deliver an Easter sermon and will discourse on, "The Unsealed Rock Tomb a Prophecy of Other Tombs." Do not fail to hear this Easter sermon.
At the 10 o'clock service in the evening the Baptist Sunday school will give a sacred concert at the Baptist church in which the Presbyterians unite. This will be a genuine entertainment in which songs, recitations and drills will be prominent.
You will have to come early if you get a seat. Remember the evening concert is at the Baptist church.
See the Democrat for wedding invitations.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
(Rev. J. H. Fetterolf, Pastor).
Bible school every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.
Luther League at 7 p. m.
On Easter morning at 11 o'clock there will be worship with sermon, subject: "The Message of Easter." This will be followed by the reception of members and the celebration of the Lord's supper.
At the morning service a special offering will be taken for the missionary and benevolent operations of the church. Envelopes have been sent out for this purpose and it is hoped that every envelope will be returned with a liberal offering.
In the evening the service will be in charge of the Sunday school. An Easter program of music and speaking has been prepared in which the children will have the principal parts.
The Ladies Aid will be entertained Thursday afternoon, April 27, at the home of Mrs. Albert Bastian.

German Lutheran Church
Rev. Moehring, Pastor
On Good Friday morning, the pastor will preach and administer the sacrament of the altar at Winside. In the afternoon at 3 o'clock, services will be held at Wayne.
On Easter Sunday, services will begin at 10:30. The Holy Communion will be administered. On Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the pastor will preach at Winside.

Pioneer Editor Dies
Peter F. O'Sullivan, veteran editor and newspaper man of pioneer days, died late Saturday afternoon at his home at West Point. The press reports say his death occurred just two days after the burial of his wife, who died last Monday. His health had been failing for some time and the shock of his wife's death broke his heart. He was born in Toronto, Canada, seventy-three years ago, of Irish parentage and learned the printer's trade at an early age. He was a soldier of the civil war and a member of the D. S. Crawford post of the Grand Army of the Republic. He came west after the war and started the old Sioux City Times, and worked for the Sioux City Journal as reporter and compositor for some time and was well known to old Sioux Cityans and among the printing fraternity in all the river towns. In 1873 he removed to Omaha and from thence, in 1874 he came to West Point. No democratic paper existed here at that time, the only paper in the county being the West Point Republican, founded by Judge Sweet in 1870. Mr. O'Sullivan at once started in to fill the want and established the West Point Progress, a valuable and fearless exponent of pure, Jeffersonian democracy. The paper was successful from the start. He continued its publication until March 10, 1902, when he retired from the harness. He was a valued member of the county board at his death, being repeatedly re-elected to office, and has held, during his long life here, many positions of honor and trust. He is survived by five children, Mrs. John Morris, New Prague, Minn.; Miss Eva of Omaha high school faculty; Clemon of Lincoln; Malachi of Fresno, Calif., and Vincent of New Prague, Minn. He left besides, hosts of friends and admirers, his absolute honesty and unflinching flow of good humor endearing him to everyone with whom he came in contact. For many years he was a strong and recognized power in politics, to a remarkable degree, the faculty of gaining his point and everlastingly bombasted his political enemies, while at the same time retaining their respect and friendship. His death is a great loss to this city, county and state. His tomb should be inscribed, "Here lies an honest man."

Scenic Artist Arrives
Walter Savidge has secured the services of the well known scenic artist, L. R. McNeal, who arrived in this city on Tuesday from Chicago. Shortly after his arrival Mr. McNeal started painting the scenery for the production of Graustark and before leaving Wayne will complete the entire scenic equipment for each of the six plays that will be presented by the Savidge Dramatic Players during the coming season. Mr. Savidge has been fortunate in securing Mr. McNeal who has been connected with some of the largest scenic studios in this country, including The Lee Lash Studio of New York and The Sosman & Landis Studio, Chicago.

Saturday is Arbor Day, Observe It
The setting apart of a day each year for the planting of trees was a happy thought in this great prairie state, but it has not been properly observed. If it had been one would not now see three school houses out of every four without a tree or shrub of any kind to indicate that Nebraska makes one day in the year a holiday for the purpose of beautifying public grounds. The Democrat is a bit late waking up to the situation and the fact that the day is already upon us, but we do hope that some one or more who reads these lines will be moved to plant a tree or trees in some public ground.
It is 44 years since J. Sterling Morton, a citizen of this state first inaugurated a move for the planting of trees on a certain day, and to him belongs the credit of setting in motion an idea which has been accepted in many states of the Union, and also in many foreign lands. England, France, Spain, Japan and New Zealand have taken up the idea—and we should not fail to observe it—but there is ample evidence that we have neglected it. Let these verses inspire you:

HE WHO PLANTS A TREE.
He who plants a tree
Plants a hope;
Rootlets up through fibers blindly grope;
Leaves unfold into horizon free;
So man's life must climb
From the clods of time
Unto heaven sublime.
Canst thou prophesy, thou little tree,
What the glory of thy boughs shall be?
He who plants a tree
Plants a joy;
Plants a comfort that will never cloy;
Every day a fresh reality,
Beautiful and strong.
To whose shelter throng
Creatures blythe with song.
If thou couldst but know, thou happy tree,
Of the bliss that shall inhabit thee!
He who plants a tree
He plants peace.
Under its green curtains jargons cease;
Leaf and zephyr murmur soothingly;
Shadows soft with sleep
Down tired eyelids creep,
Balm of slumber deep.
Never hast thou dreamed, thou blessed tree,
Of the benediction thou shalt be.
He who plants a tree
He plants youth;
Vigor won for centuries, in sooth;
Life of time, that hinds eternity.
Boughs their strength uprear,
New shoots every year
On old growths appear.
Thou shalt teach the ages, sturdy tree,
Youth of soul is immortality.
He who plants a tree,
He plants love,
Tents of coolness spreading out above
Wayfarers he may not live to see
Gifts that grow are best,
Hands that bless are blest
Plant! Life does the rest!
Heaven and earth help him who plants a tree,
And his work its own reward shall be.
—LUCY LARCOM.

New Stock Yard Scales
Secretary Gaston of the Commercial club informs us that arrangements are well under way for a set of scales at the stockyards, for the benefit of any or all who desire to weigh. In the past there has been some difficulty between rival dealers about the matter of weighing, and buyers and sellers have been inconvenienced. This will soon be remedied, we are told by Cecil C. Watt of Clear Lake, Iowa, who is a traveling live stock agent of the Chicago Junction Railway Co., who was sent here to investigate the situation and report.
Another matter is being taken up with prospect of early action. That is the Sunday train service between this place and Omaha. At present the Sunday Omaha mail must come by the way of Norfolk, if the connection is made so that we get it at all, the Sunday morning Sioux City passenger train having a schedule about two hours behind that of the week day service. The Democrat hopes to see this matter remedied, and we have wondered that the daily papers at Omaha had not long ago taken up the matter and secured an adjustment.

Miss Frances Bartels, who has been visiting for some time at the home of her parents, H. C. Bartels and wife near Carroll, left Tuesday for her home near Merriman, where she has a 640-acre claim, ready to prove up on. Mr. Bartels came as far as Wayne with her.
Mrs. A. D. Lewis and Mrs. Paul Meyer were visitors at Omaha last Saturday.

FRESH VEGETABLES
FOR
Easter Sunday

It has been the aim of this store to always have in stock the season's good things to eat. We have made arrangements to receive spring vegetables and fruits fresh from the market three times a week. For your dinner Easter Sunday we will have

Fresh Lettuce, radishes, Parsley, Carrots, Turnips, Onions, Beets and Asparagus, Big Luscious Strawberries and all kinds of Fresh Fruits.

To make everything complete, if you need any coffee, don't fail to get a can of our "Seal Brand"—the most delicious coffee you ever tasted.

Best Service--Prompt Delivery

Don't hesitate to order from us by phone. You can depend on it that your order will be given careful attention and that you will receive just as good service as if you bought in person. We pride ourselves on our service and it, together with high quality groceries and moderate price is increasing our business every day. Let us have your order as early as possible.

Two Phones **Beaman's Grocery** Both No. 3

A Most Serious Question

It so happened that as the writer went to vote he found the polling place well filled with ladies, and the first thought was that some one had been indulging in a sort of Rip Van Winkle nap, and that the suffragettes had won during the time. Later it was evident that Prof. Lewis and the class in civics from the college (mostly young ladies) were visiting the voting place to receive a practical lesson in the science of voting, for use when the time shall come that they need it.

Having fixed it up all right for Bryan and some of the other fellows the editor called at the office of County Clerk Hughes on a matter of business, but finding the class there in full force learning of the process of naturalization, business was deferred and we listened and watched.

A look of deep concern spread over the faces of several of the young ladies when informed, in the course of the talk, that should they marry a foreign born person who had not been naturalized, they immediately would become a subject of the country of which the husband was a citizen—and we wondered why they seemed to take it so seriously. Another fact was stated—there are no provisions now for a woman who is married, to change her allegiance from any foreign country to this—nor can any of the Asiatic citizens become citizens of the United States. The class were receiving a valuable lesson in civics.

It would have been proper for Clerk Hughes to have told a story at this time, and perhaps he did, for the editor could not tarry longer. The Ladies Home Journal a few years ago told of a scene in a court of naturalization. An Irishman was the one who desired to become a citizen.

"Patrick, have you read the Declaration of Independence?" asked the Judge.

"I have not, sor," said the son of Erin.

"Have you read the Constitution of the United States?"
"I have not, sor," came the ready answer. "Well, Pat; what have you read?" asked the official.
"I have red hairs on me neck, sor," said Pat proudly.

Wealth Rolling Up

The latest report of the comptroller of the treasury throws in the shade all previous estimates of the financial strength of the United States. Evidence of the growth of our wealth during the past year is almost incredible. The resources of the national banks have increased 20 percent. Still more impressive is the fact that the bank deposits have increased 25 percent reaching a total of \$10,790,000,000. The reserves on March 7, the date for which the report was compiled, were nearly twice as great as the legal requirement, and sufficient, the comptroller announces, to justify additional loans of \$3,000,000,000 to \$4,000,000,000. That is to say, the banks could lend three or four times the amount of our national debt without hurting the country's credit.

The aggregate resources of the banks are three billion greater than the combined resources of the Bank of England, the Bank of France, the Bank of Russia, the Reichsbank of Germany, the Bank of the Netherlands, the Swiss National bank and the Bank of Japan. And these figures, it must be remembered, include the national banks only. If the other banks and trust companies were included, the resources would total billions more.

It is gratifying to know that we have ample funds to meet any demands that may be made for war loans, national defense expenses or the development of American industries and resources. This last object, by the way, is the most important of the three, and might well absorb some of those surplus billions.

The above taken from the Norfolk News editorial column should convince the most skeptical republican that real prosperity has had to wait for a democratic administration to come to the people. With all this wealth at the command of American enterprise prosperity should reach down from its high perch and filter out among the common folks in increasing streams. With it better roads should be built, more railroads, better railroad equipment provided. Our streams should be harnessed to provide power for the people, navigation of our great rivers should be increased and many good things

done. Not on dollar of it should be wasted in war, for that might quickly put us in a condition like that which prevails in the old world.

Real Estate Transfers

Reported by Burret W. Wright, Bonded Abstractor.
John T. Bressler to Hazen L. Atkins, s½ lot 3, block 4, Britton and Bressler's addition to Wayne, \$500.
Hazen L. Atkins to William E. Jenkins, s½ lot 1, block 2, Britton and Bressler's addition to Wayne, \$500.
Hazen L. Atkins to William J. Rennie, lot 4, block 2, Britton and Bressler's addition to Wayne, \$1,350.

Wayne Property For Sale

A 13-room house with lot 114x158 close in, suitable for rooming or boarding house, must go to close estate. Price made reasonable. For particulars call on Sam Barnes, Wayne, Nebraska.—adv. 16-ff.

O. C. Lewis received a message Monday evening bringing the sad news of the death of his little grandson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Leebrik, at the age of six months. The little fellow came here with his mother at the time of Mrs. Lewis' sudden death, contracted scarlet fever on the way, then had a siege of pneumonia which left him quite weak. Two weeks ago he was thought to be able to make the trip home. Somewhere he was exposed to measles, and died Monday as the result. The afflicted family have the sympathy of all who know them. Mr. Lewis went to Kansas Tuesday afternoon to bring the little body here for burial.

The Savidge Players are beginning to assemble here for the coming carnival season. Jas. McGlue, the advance and advertising man came first, last week. Then Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Wilson and son. They were soon followed by Miss Katherine Dale, who will have a leading part. Plans have been changed a bit and the opening week is fixed earlier than first figured. Practice will begin May 1st and the season will open here the 16th of May.

Dodge Bros. MOTOR CARS....
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PUFFETT GARAGE
G. R. Strickland, Agent
Wayne, Nebraska

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Sunday is Easter.

F. S. Berry is attending court at Fremont this week.

Ice Cream in any quantity at the WAYNE BAKERY.—adv.

C. H. Hendrickson went to Omaha Wednesday on legal business.

Herman Lundberg and wife were Sioux City visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. F. S. Berry went to Sioux City Wednesday for a short stay.

Genuine Red river Early Ohio potatoes at Rundell's grocery.—adv.

Get your Easter cake at Poulson's on Saturday, home made.—adv.

Mesdames Peterson and Zimmer of Carroll were Wayne visitors Tuesday.

Double cash discount checks on box apples next Wednesday. Rundell.—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Moran were at Sioux City Sunday spending the day with friends.

Miss Marion Gaffney was a guest of Miss Marguerite Pryor the first of the week.

Fine, large red apples at Beaman's, Friday and Saturday, at \$1.45 per box.—adv.

Hot Cross Buns at the WAYNE BAKERY Friday and Saturday. Leave your order.—adv.

White Rose gasoline at the pump, 25c per gallon. A pure unmixed gasoline. Rundell.—adv.

Miss Loretto Cullen of Winside is a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Massie, in Wayne.

Mrs. Murphy of Bloomfield was a guest at the Melnerney homes in this city last week for a short visit.

Miss Ethel Fox went to Wakefield this morning to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cooley.

Why pay \$1.75 to \$2.00 per sack FOR OTHER FLOUR when you can buy Wayne Superlative in 5 sack lots for \$1.50 per sack, at the Wayne Roller Mill. adv.

The Baptist ladies will hold a food exchange at Beaman's grocery Saturday afternoon, April 22.—adv.

Tomorrow is Good Friday—the time the moon is just right to plant potatoes, if you plant them in the moon.

Arkansas Gano's, finest apple that has been in Wayne this winter. See them at Beaman's, \$1.45 per box.—adv.

W. J. Melnerney and family are home from a visit at Leigh, where they spent several days with relatives and friends.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church are holding a bazaar and candy sale this afternoon and evening and will serve supper.

Miss Edna Baluse was a Sunday guest of her friend, Mrs. J. H. Massie, in Wayne. She is primary teacher in the Hoskins schools.

Nels Orcutt, who was called to Chicago several weeks ago by the final sickness of Mrs. Slater, who died later, returned home this week.

Friday, Mrs. Main and Mrs. Philleo went to Sioux City, and Saturday they were joined by Mr. Philleo, all returning the next evening.

Supt. H. M. Eaton of the Emerson schools has resigned, to take effect at the close of the school year. He was under contract for two years more at that place.

Will Cunningham and wife and her sister Miss Marguerite Forbes were at Sioux City last week, going over to attend the opera and visit friends as well as see the sights.

Aug. Hohneke of Hoskins was a caller while at Wayne this week, and left on the editor's desk several copies of The Jeffersonian, a publication from Thompson, Georgia, which is intensely anti-Catholic.

Buy your Easter Suit of Gamble & Senter, adv.

Mrs. H. B. Jones was a passenger to Sioux City this morning.

The WAYNE BAKERY makes the California raisin bread.—adv.

Fancy red box apples, \$1.45 per box. A snap as long as they last. Ralph Rundell.—adv.

The WAYNE BAKERY will have the Hot Cross Buns for Easter. Phone your order.—adv.

The best and most complete line of Baked Goods ever in Wayne at the WAYNE BAKERY.—adv.

Mrs. E. B. Young went to Chicago last Thursday for a visit of a week or two with friends in the city.

Miss Edna Balus, one of the teachers at Hoskins, was a guest at the J. H. Massie home last week.

Don't fail to see Clara Kimball Young in "Camille" Saturday, April 22, afternoon and evening.—adv.

Arkansas Gano's, finest apple that has been in Wayne this winter. See them at Beaman's, \$1.45 per box.—adv.

Mrs. Stanley Huffman returned to her home at Elgin Wednesday evening after a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. K. Mellor.

Mrs. M. A. Pryor went to David City Wednesday to spend Easter with her son, Leo, at that place, where he is engaged in the practice of law.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Erskine of Tilden have been here visiting at the home of their son, Dr. E. B. Erskine, returning home Wednesday evening.

J. P. Baroch and wife went to Hoskins Saturday for a short visit with their son, Will, at that place, where he has been conducting a piano contest sale.

LAWN MOWERS SHARPENED—and sharpened right, and umbrellas repaired and recovered at the Wayne Novelty Works, Wm. Broscheit, proprietor.—adv. 16tf.

S. E. Auker has been having trouble with one of his arms, and Wednesday went to Omaha to see if some of the wise medical men could find the cause and bring relief.

J. Ludwickson was here Saturday for a time greeting friends. He came over from Walthill where he is superintendent of schools. He reports that school work is going nicely there.

Cypher's chick food, the balanced ration, costs no more than imitations. Don't make a mistake, make good, get results, feed Cypher's. Sold and guaranteed by Ralph Rundell.—adv.

Mrs. H. E. Harris from El Paso, Texas, came Tuesday evening to visit her mother, Mrs. Davies and her sister, Mrs. Welch and brothers M. S. and Sam Davies. She was expected a week earlier.

Mrs. Bertha Carpenter and daughter Lucile went to Omaha Wednesday to take her little 7-month old boy to a physician there, the little one being ill and not improving under home treatment.

R. B. Judson and family from Norfolk have moved to Wayne, and occupy the Sid Swanson house on 4th street. Mr. Judson is one of the proprietors and manager of the new furniture house to be opened here next month.

Mrs. Chris Thompson went to Sioux City this morning expecting to return this evening accompanied by her daughter, Miss Anna, who has been at a hospital at that place for more than two weeks past, and underwent an operation while there.

Reports from Omaha are to the effect that Wm. Weiland, who went there for an operation ten days ago, has but slight chance of recovery, if he is yet alive, though he has survived longer than the limit placed by the attending physicians. His trouble was gravel of the gall.

J. H. Kemp, J. M. Cherry, W. D. Redmond and E. O. Gardner drove to Pender Thursday evening to hear William J. tell his side of the story of the political situation in this state. He faced a packed house, and an audience that was none too friendly at the opening, but they all stayed full two hours to the close, and the feeling of hostility apparent at first seemed to melt as they listened to his eloquent logic. A. C. Dean, Chas. and Fred Gildersleeve and two others from south of Wayne were also there.

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Neckwear for Easter

Many different styles in collar and cuff sets.
Priced up from 25c.

Gloves for Easter

Women who buy their gloves here always feel perfectly safe about the style and fit. Niagara Maid silk gloves in black and white and colors, all sizes and styles.
Prices 50c to \$1.00.

Middies

At this season middy blouses are very much in demand. We are showing an unusually strong line in all the popular colors and materials. Prices 1.00 and up.

Fresh Vegetables and Fruit

Large bunches Lettuce.....5c
Large bunch radishes.....5c
Large bunch onions.....5c
2 boxes strawberries.....25c
Oranges, per doz..25c, 35c, 45c

Coats Coats

We are showing a great many new numbers that have been received this week from Chicago and Cleveland. They are made up in the very latest styles and materials. These coats will be very moderately priced.

Mina Taylor House Dresses

is one of the most popular garments on the market today. Their success is due to the fact that they are made from the best of materials and have the style and fit. They are pretty enough so that they can be used for afternoon wear.
Prices \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75.

YOUR FIGURE can be well fitted with either a KABO or a NEMO. These corsets are guaranteed to fit and not to rust, break or tear.
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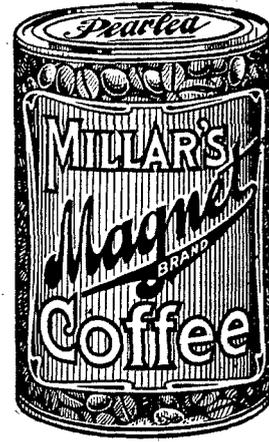
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that are very much favored because they are not too plain, yet not too fussy. They can be worn on most any occasion when you need something stylish. They come in crepe de chine, tub silks and laces in the best shades.
Priced up from \$1.50.

Bread-Winner Play Clothes

are very much in demand and if you should need anything of this sort for the little folks we can supply your wants. They come in sizes from 6 months to 6 years.
Prices 59c to \$1.50.



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CARPENTER, BUILDER
Estimates furnished. Phone Black 180
Wayne, Nebraska.

Mrs. W. S. Brown, who recently moved from Wayne to their farm a short distance south of town had the misfortune to fall down cellar last week, and was fortunate enough to escape with only a broken wrist. She reports that the injured arm is improving nicely, and is not now as painful as the first few days.

E. Ferrell & Sons, have a new house for Fred Erksleben nearly enclosed, and are about to begin a fine residence for Geo. Berres on his farm near Wayne. The new Berres house is to be 34x34, two stories, and modern. The task of moving the old house, which is a pretty good house, from the site of the new one is under way.

The seventh annual convention of district No. 3, Royal Neighbors of America, convenes at Tekamah on Thursday, April 27th. These meetings are instructive and helpful, and it is desired that as many as possible attend from each camp in the district. All Neighbors that have planned to go, are requested to so advise the recorder, that she may report to the camp at Tekamah.

The Baptist Missionary society will meet on Friday afternoon at 2:30, April 28th, at the home of the president, Mrs. Melvin Norton, when a good attendance will be appreciated. The 1916 calendars will be distributed, which give a full and complete outline of the different topics to be studied during the year. The first half of the year being devoted to Home and the latter to Foreign missionary work.

Daniel Macklen and family left this week for a new home at Siebert, Colorado, after three years residence here, having traded their 40-acre farm just west of Wayne for a half section in eastern Colorado. They have lived and farmed in the dry country before so will know how to go about it. They had a neat place here, but in their new home will have more range for stock, there being lots of open land there. Many of their friends will wish them well in their new home. Phil H. Kohl is now owner of the place they traded, and we are told that he has it rented.

Auto Livery
Everette Mowrey, Union hotel,
phone 14.—adv. 11 tf.

For Easter

The Little Niceities of Dress--
the dainty collar, the pretty handkerchief, the fancy comb, the neat purse—you will find these and many more accessories of woman's dress at this store. Here are a few of the little novelties we wish especially for you to see:

Kid Gloves
Silk Gloves
Collar and Cuff Sets
Shirt Waist Sets
Shirt Waist

Fancy Neckwear
Handkerchiefs
Hand Bags
Silk Hose
Pumps and Oxfords

We can't begin to name over everything in this space. Just come in some day this week and look over the stock.

THE RELIABLE

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Purpose

To handle any business entrusted to us in such a fair and liberal manner as to make the customers 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 Lep, President

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hiller from Carroll were Sioux City visitors Saturday.

Chas. Martin went to visit his old home at Omaha and Council Bluffs last week.

Joe, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Corbit, is said to be quite seriously ill of lung fever.

Mrs. Jay Jones was here from Sioux City last week for a day or two, returning home Sunday afternoon.

The ladies of Grace church will hold a food exchange, at the Central Meat Market, Saturday, April 22d, 2 o'clock.—adv.

An old fashioned spelling bee at Hartington recently drew a large attendance and a heap of spellers. Contestants were from the schools of the county, and some of them came from as far away as 25 miles.

Double Discount checks on cash purchases of men's and boys overalls, jackets and work shirts, on Wednesday, April 26. adv.

Gamble & Senter.

A prohibition lecturer was billed for Hartington last week one evening, and did not get audience enough to talk to, so there was no speech. Perhaps the people have made up their minds to vote dry so that there was no need for the speaker to talk.

E. B. Young organized a Sunday school in the south part of Stanton county last week, and this week he has been organizing and reviving schools in Thurston county. During the very busy season they are holding their meetings to organize, evenings.

It is mighty fine to live in a town where the postmaster will permit a paper to fold posters into the paper and distribute them in that way, provided the publisher who takes such chances can get what it is worth in cold cash for the risk he takes.

With 11 of their 14 children sick and the Nelson home under quarantine near Hartington, the neighbors arranged to give a few days time this spring and put in a crop for Ole. He has rented 320 acres and will be in bad shape unless aid is given. The sick are all improving. Scarlet fever and measles are the diseases.

There was a family reunion at the J. W. Mason home Sunday of the three children living in this state. Miss Mary, but recently returned from an absence of four or five months at a hospital and H. E. Mason and family were over from Meadow Grove and L. A. Mason and wife from near Concord were also here for the day.

Prof. R. B. Hull of the state normal school at Peru, has been elected superintendent of the Coleridge schools in place of Supt. Borg, who announced a few weeks ago that he would not accept the place another year. Prof. Borg will return to the parental farm near Wakefield and will devote the next year, at least, to out-door work.—Cedar County News.

Henry Klopning went into Sioux City Sunday evening with a car of pretty good hogs from his farm. Mr. K. does not raise many hogs but he feeds a bunch frequently, going to the western part of the state or some nearby state where they breed and grow them, but do not grow the corn to finish them. He buys a bunch of alfalfa shoats and puts the finish on.

It is estimated that over 12,000,000 automobile tires are consumed in a year. Of this number, despite the close to 200 tire makers now in existence, the Goodrich factories in 1915 produced nearly 3,000,000. "Probably 75 per cent of the tires that go to the scrap pile prematurely," states The Goodrich Magazine, "have been weakened through under-inflation or over-loading."

In some places they are experimenting with a plan to prevent fruit trees from coming on too fast in the spring by packing ice about the roots to keep them back until the danger of freezing is past. It may prove a good thing. In this part of the world, if they would put snow about the trees when the ground is frozen and pack it well and cover with straw, the spring could be delayed at least two weeks so far as the trees are concerned.

Ralph W. Sterling, who was formerly a student at the normal, and was the first editor of the Goldenrod, was a Wayne visitor Monday. He had been at Randolph over Sunday a guest of Guy Nettleton, and they drove to Wayne Monday morning by automobile and went to their Sioux City homes in the afternoon. Mr. Sterling, associated with his brother, is engaged in contracting and building, and says he is being kept busy. He spent part of his time at Wayne at the college.

Tennessee RED CEDAR CHESTS

Spring is here—time to pack your furs and woolen wear away.

Cedar is Moth Proof, and we have it made in many beautiful designs of Dressers, Wardrobes, Chests and Window Seats, which are arranged for convenience in packing and Protection against Moth.

Everyone at a Discount

\$14.00 Tennessee Red Cedar Chest	\$ 9.85
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\$17.00 Tennessee Red Cedar Chest	12.95



Moth Proof, Cedar Lined DRESSERS

FRANK GAERTNER

FURNITURE

...Wayne...

FURNITURE

C. L. Henderson went to Burlington, Iowa, this week to purchase stock for the Wayne Granite Works, and will be absent most of the week.

The Tradesman says that Iowa and Nebraska merchants report business all the way from "better to 20 per cent, better than last year." Some even make it more ahead than that.

Seven cars of stock went from here to Omaha Monday. Henry Lessman, Carl Victor, Henry Lage and L. C. Gildersleeve each had a car of cattle, and hogs were shipped by Doc Surber, Dick Schroeder and Will Sydow.

Gamble & Senter can fit you in overalls. They just received 50 dozen German dyed ones. adv.

D. M. Davis of Carroll, who returned last week from a visit at Luverne, Minnesota, went to Red Oak, Iowa, Friday to attend the funeral of his former neighbor, John L. Thomas, and to visit a few days with friends at his former home.

Rev. McCarthy of the Wakefield Christian church has tendered his resignation to take effect about the time the school year closes, to accept a place which brings more pay and larger opportunity for usefulness, in the southeastern part of the state.

O. C. Lewis and Fred Benschoff were at Sioux City last week and attended the M. W. A. big meeting when a class of some 300 members were adopted. It was a meeting largely attended by Woodmen from the four states cornering near Sioux City.

M. H. Rafferty and daughter Miss Grace returned Saturday evening from an extended visit in different parts of the east, and after spending a few days here at the home of W. E. Watkins and wife, another daughter, are moving to their former home at Creighton.

Wm. and Evan Jenkins of Carroll went to Red Oak, Iowa, Friday to attend the funeral of their brother-in-law, John L. Thomas, who died there last week, apparently of the infirmities of old age, at the age of 85. Mr. and Mrs. Mathias Jones, his daughter, were called there earlier in the week by his failing health. Mr. Thomas had frequently visited relatives and friends at Carroll and was known to a considerable number of Wayne county people.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stone returned Thursday evening from Sioux City, where they had been at a hospital, Mr. Stone having to undergo an operation for the removal of a number of bones from the face and forehead, as the result of an attack of grip several years ago. He is getting along very nicely, and expects to be free from suffering when the work is completed and healed. He will have to return again a little later for the final operation. During their absence the daughter and sons, though young for such responsibilities, went ahead with the work and got the grain in fine shape and a nice bunch of plowing for corn out of the way.

Try on our \$3.50 soft sole tan oxford before you buy. Gamble & Senter. adv.

Rev. King, the new pastor of the Presbyterian church at Wakefield, who comes there from Washington state, was given a magnificent farewell reception at the time of his leaving the place he had labored in for a time. The Republican of Wakefield says that the new pastor also received a hearty welcome to their new home.

It is reported that approximately 1,000 people went out on a wolf hunt in precinct 12 in Cedar county a week ago Sunday and killed four wolves. We will bet if we could bring "old Joe Gourley" and his hounds up here from Iowa and turn them loose one good day, they would beat that record, if the supply of wolves did not run out. The wolves sold at \$2.25 a piece or about that sum, which would not make quite a penny each for the boys in the game.

The road drag was out on the Wayne streets early Monday and did a lot of good. The baby grader was out last week smoothing and grading some of the streets which needed a bit heavier work than the drag can do. The Democrat can notice a vast difference in the streets of Wayne, now, and five years ago, when the present owners first settled at this place. The next five years, we predict, will show more marked improvement, for before that time has passed the city will doubtless have at least five miles of paved streets, though they appear to be a little bashful just now about starting.

T. J. Murrell came last Thursday from Burkett to visit his son Ed at this place and with his many Wayne friends. It is his first visit here since his encounter with an automobile at Grand Island last October, which so nearly ended his earthly career. He has not fully recovered from the injury and says that he never will. He reports that the other Wayne people at the home are in the usual health of people of their age. He thinks the home for the old soldier is an ideal place for the men and the wives of those who have them. He expressed the opinion that as time diminishes their number, as it is fast doing, there will be but one home, and that at Milford. Comrade Ramsey is now at that home, where he spent the winter.

Fred Hunter was down town Saturday, with his good right mitt all done in nice white linen bandages. Let's see, what was it he said about it, replying to an inquiry? Oh, yes, he had chopped kindling wood until he had raised 17 blisters of the large, juicy kind. Speaking from experience, a man usually raises blisters while raising hell and the chances are a hundred to one that that's what he was doing. Besides, he has never before been known to heat an axe to that extent. But, mind you, this "Kindling Wood" business is a dandy alibi. Sherlock Shuse will be employed on his case and you may bet your last red cent that he'll be able to tell just "What Happened to Fred" inside a half a while.—West Point Democrat.

It has cost Nebraska farmers millions of dollars for the grain eaten and wasted by rats, and what is true of this state is true of other states. We read where a nearby farmer had a rat hunt at his place, and during the day they killed more than 400 rats which he had been feeding. One of the best aids to their extermination is concrete. They do not appear to burrow under it and thrive as they do under an old board walk or barn floor. We have known of their leaving more than one place when feed floors and barn floors and walks were changed from board to concrete. If the man who made the big killing will now change his floors and walks the rats not killed will look for a place where

they can hide, and his wife will have less trouble with missing chickens this season.

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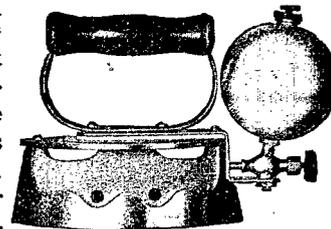
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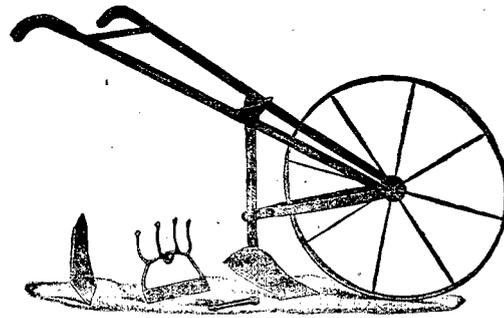


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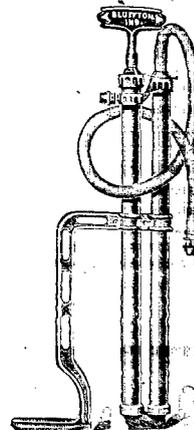


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EFFICIENCY AT STATE HOUSE

Good Work of State Officials Continues, and the People Receive the Benefit in Reduced Taxation.

State Treasurer Hall received last Wednesday a check for \$438.15, being the amount of the estate of Karl Mauch, deceased, which was escheated to the state. Mauch died in Omaha some time ago leaving no known heirs. Attorney General Reed had charge of the case.

Attorney General Reed requests every citizen of Nebraska, who has talked with officials or employees of the Burlington, Northwestern, or Union Pacific railroads, to communicate with him, in the event that in such conversation anything was said tending to show that these roads intended to take action to increase passenger rates. State as nearly as possible just what was said.

Since May 1, 1915, to the present time, the state insurance commission has issued more than 25,000 agents' and insurance company licenses to do business in Nebraska. The fiscal year of insurance licenses dates from May 1st of each year. There are 390 companies doing business in the state and the amount of fire insurance in force, according to the 1915 preliminary report issued by the department, totals \$1,109,181,960. The amount of life and fire risks written in the year amounts to \$535,533,415, while the losses in all lines were \$11,114,518. The premiums received will aggregate \$18,922,088. To correct this great mass of figures and to keep in touch with the vast amount of business done by these insurance companies requires an immense amount of effort and labor, and as a result the insurance department is one of the busiest in the state house.

O. E. Bernecker, secretary of the state board of equalization recently sent letters containing instructions to county assessors, on how to handle automobile assessments this year, and he reports that as a result of these instructions, assessors have been unusually successful in unearthing hundreds of autos that apparently were not heretofore in existence. Substantially his advice was to assess automobiles, as follows: New, 15 per cent off; one year old, 30 per cent; two years old, 40 per cent; three years old, 55 per cent; and four years old, 70 per cent. In addition to this the assessors were instructed to procure from the county treasurer a certificate in duplicate showing the total number of cars registered in his office on April 1st, retaining a copy and sending one to the secretary. By doing this the assessor ascertains if all cars are listed for taxation. If he finds they are not he goes out and hunts them up. This has resulted in a larger number of cars being shown up for taxation than ever before, one county showing an increase of more than 500 cars.

A school bond issue of \$50,000 from North Platte was received at the auditor's office for registration last week. The bonds had been disposed of to a Denver brokerage firm, but before completing the contract the firm insisted on the certificate being countersigned by the secretary of state as well as the state auditor. This is the first time this request has been made.

under State Auditor Smith's administration. In 1913 a law was passed by the legislature providing that all bonds "shall be first registered by the auditor of public accounts and by him certified to the county clerk" etc. Under the old law such bonds were required to be certified to by both the auditor and secretary of state. When the new provision was passed, however, it failed to repeal the old law, although Grant Martin, attorney general at that time, rendered an opinion holding that the former measure was automatically repealed by the new statute. Under the provisions of the law the auditor receives no compensation for registering or certifying bonds, but it is different with the secretary of state. He can charge for his services, and he did. He considered that \$1.00 for his signature and seal would not be confiscatory and received a \$50.00 fee for signing fifty bonds worth \$1,000 each, which \$50.00 will go into the state treasury. It is said the North Platte people also received \$1,800 as a premium on these bonds.

Some Kind of Light

We can't all be electric lights, But an oil lamp's just the same If it does the best it can o' night To scatter wide its flame. Just so we are some kind of light, Some hope, some help, some cheer— It makes it worth the while to fight In the fine old struggle here.

We can't all be the biggest guns, But a little gun may find There's lots of need where this life runs

For the guns of every kind, And many a battle has been turned back To victory from defeat Because of some small battery's whack When the army thought it beat.

Some kind of light, some kind of cheer, Some kind of help, some strength; We've all a part to follow here That means a lot at length; We all can shine a little way With the light we have to give; We all can turn the shadows gay With a smile that helps men live.

Don't worry if you're not a gleam Set high o'er tower and town; The world can take a candle's beam And march to a great renown; And the little ray you cast may be Just the light some neighbor needs To lead him on through life to see His way to nobler deeds. —Bentztown Bard.

Summons by Publication

In the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska. LYDIA SKILES, Plaintiff, vs. SLOAN SKILES, Defendant. The defendant, Sloan Skiles, will take notice that on the second day of November, 1915, Lydia Skiles, plaintiff, filed her petition in the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, against Sloan Skiles, defendant, the object and prayer of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from you on the ground of extreme cruelty and desertion. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 15th day of May 1916.

LYDIA SKILES, Plaintiff, by C. H. Hendrickson, her attorney. —adv 14-4

The Income Tax Legal

True most of us knew that several months ago, and a whole lot of the people have believed it was right for years. The Democrat is mentioning it at this late date again, because of finding the following in the State Journal Raleigh, North Carolina, a democratic paper that appears to hold most strongly to the state rights idea of more than half a century ago. The southern paper says:

"In a unanimous decision the Supreme Court of the United States has declared constitutional the income tax feature of the Underwood-Simmons tariff bill. Five cases involving the validity of the law were before the court. The present decision is comprehensive enough to cover the objections raised in all these cases. It goes even further and gives authoritative interpretation to the Sixteenth Amendment, showing that Congress is empowered with almost unrestricted authority in dealing with incomes. The decision of the court was written by Chief Justice White. He declared that Congress does not get its power to levy an income tax from the Income Tax Amendment. Congress has always had the power to tax incomes. The Sixteenth Amendment only relieved Congress from the necessity of apportioning an income tax among the several states. The purpose of the amendment was exactly this, to make Congress free to tax incomes without regard to state lines. 'Inasmuch as the amendment had not conferred the power to levy an income tax,' said the Chief Justice, 'it could not be interpreted as embracing limitations as to the nature and character of the income to be taxed. To consider it as embracing limitations, such as not authorizing a progressive tax, he held was irreconcilable with the purpose of the amendment.' Last year's returns show 375,515 incomes subject to the Federal income tax. Of these, 60 were more than \$1,000,000; 114 between \$500,000 and \$1,000,000; 2,174 from \$100,000 to \$500,000 and so on in increasing numbers to 82,754 incomes between \$3,000 and \$4,000, the number of taxable incomes increasing very rapidly for amounts of \$10,000 and less. In fact only a bare 100,000 incomes are for more than \$10,000. There is some evidence that Congress is ready to go wild now that the Supreme Court has said that it has a free hand in taxing incomes. Hear Representative Hull, of Tennessee, the author of the present law. He says: 'The Supreme Court's decision has absolutely unfettered the income tax as a source of revenue. All doubt is removed and Congress is left much freer to act. I believe that Congress will take advantage of the opportunity to amend the law materially. Without any unusual or unjust charges it can be made to yield \$180,000,000 to \$195,000,000 a year, as against \$90,000,000 at present.' Mr. Hull is ready with amendments to tax incomes below \$3,000. Others are proposing to take in tax just one-half of incomes of a million dollars or more. That seems pretty high but we know right here in North Carolina a widow woman with a number of children to feed and educate, who pays in state, county and municipal taxes 42 cents of every dollar she gets in income. Her case is by no means uncommon. The fact is all legislative bodies including Congress are tax-made, and make provision for just as much tribute as the people will bear. As to incomes both legislature and congress have a whack at them. With both of these assailing him the man with a big income will excite pity among those not in a position to sympathize with him."

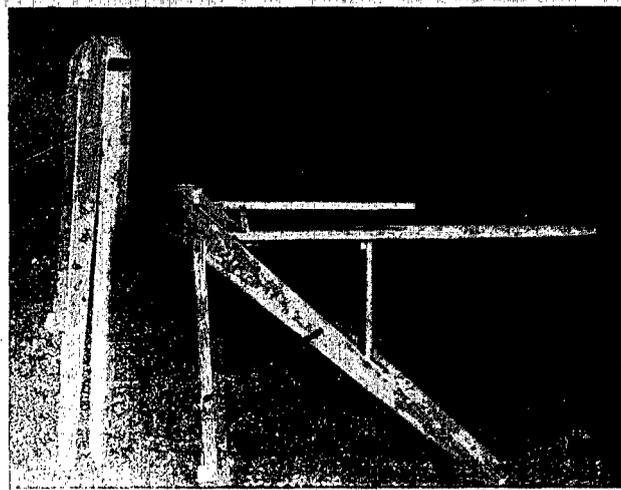
Elects New Officers

The meeting of the Commercial club Monday night was the annual meeting, and though the attendance was not large the interest as good. After the reports of the committees and officers were given, the following officers for the ensuing year were elected: W. E. Oxy, president; H. J. Candor and M. T. Sullivan, vice-presidents; Elmer Henry, secretary; J. A. Newman, treasurer. It is the intention of the club to follow up the road work commenced last year, which is one of the best things any commercial club can do for a town.—Laurel Advocate.

Real Estate Transfers

Reported by Burret W. Wright, Bonded Abstractor. Mary Anderson to A. W. Forbes, east 50 feet of the west 75 feet, lot 2, block 7, original Winside, \$4,500. James Britton to John T. Bressler, lot 2, block 6, Britton and Bressler's addition to Wayne, \$13,000. Frank Weible to Henry G. Trautwein, lot 26, block 3, original Winside, \$1,500.

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Going to School With Congress

The Tillman bill, which provides for the expenditure of \$11,000,000 for a government owned armor factory, has been reported to the house. This bill has been the occasion of one of the most exciting "educational" campaigns ever waged in Washington. The Bethlehem Steel Co., has been especially solicitous that congress should be educated and has contributed considerable literature to that end. The second of a series of statements "To the Members of Congress" comments on the company's offer to reduce the price of steel to the government from \$425 (present price) to \$395 a ton for a period of five years.

And if this proposition is not satisfactory, the company offers to confer, under certain conditions, with the secretary of the navy, and to guarantee to manufacture armor at a price which will be of itself quite as low as the lowest price at which the government could possibly make it.

"We make the foregoing proposition, rather than have our plant rendered useless," runs the letter. "We have invested over \$7,000,000 in that plant, as inventoried today, not taking into account large sums—certainly \$2,000,000—expended for plant and equipment abandoned because becoming obsolete.

"Our armor plant is useless for any other purpose. The United States is our only customer, and if that customer is lost the plant becomes valueless."

Stopping here some of us might conclude that the government, by building its own armor plant, would completely destroy one of the country's great industries. And that is exactly what the armor makers want the public to believe. But the public is not gullible.

Seeking more light on this subject, we found it in the very words of Schwab himself. Speaking to the stockholders of the Bethlehem Steel Co., recently, Schwab said, according to an eastern exchange:

"The Bethlehem company has invested some \$7,000,000 in an armor plant. Should the government plant be built that investment would be practically valueless. Of course this investment is only about 5 per cent of the total investment in the company's various properties and the total armor business is less than 3 per cent of the annual gross turnover. 'The integrity of the corporation does not depend upon armor manufacture.'"

Persons who have become excited about the destruction of private interests due to government ownership of an armor plant would better read Schwab's statement again. There is enlightenment in it which should not be confined to Bethlehem stockholders' alone.—Sioux City News.

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County Correspondence

Altona News

Wm. Stuthman shipped hogs Monday.
A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wolters, jr., last week Wednesday.

Ralph Hoops is now working for Alex Scott. He formerly worked for Elmer Shields.

Mrs. Aug. Thies came up from Stuart Saturday to be with her son Rudolph while he was confined here Sunday.

The young folks who were confirmed last Sunday by Rev. F. Schaller are as follows: Herman Becker, Aug. Mathes, Paul Dalkester, Thomas Puls, Rudolph Thies, Clara Exleben, Selma Reinhardt and Paul Schaller.

Northwest of Town

W. H. Buetow shipped cattle to Omaha the first of the week.

Miss Esther Nordgren spent the week-end with friends in Wayne.

The ladies of the H. H. S. spent a very pleasant day last Thursday with Mrs. Blanka Buetow. The time was spent socially. Mesdames Ray Durant and Andrew Stamm won prizes in the guessing contests. The club will meet one week from today with Mrs. Dean Hanson of Concord.

Rev. S. X. Cross will preach next Sunday at the Stamm school house at 8 p. m. There will be special music. The Sunday school will meet at 2 p. m. with Miss Gertrude Buetow as leader of the lesson. Teachers have been provided for each of the classes, and we hope to have a large attendance.

Carroll Items

(From the Index)

George Loed will commence the erection of a new house in the near future.

Harry Griffith is hauling out lumber for the two-room addition to his house.

W. R. Shippey and family arrived in Carroll Tuesday evening from Tabor, Iowa, and will visit relatives here a few days. They made the trip in an auto.

Mrs. C. J. Nairn, who went to Boulder, Colorado, for her health, is reported as being able to be up and around again. She is now staying at the home of her sister, Mrs. Steele.

Teachers secured to date are as follows: C. E. Mason of Belden, superintendent; Mrs. Marie Porter, re-employed as principal; Miss Ruth Sterling, re-employed and will take Miss Wurtzel's place in the high school room; Miss Richardson of Laurel will have charge of the seventh and eighth grades and Miss Reed has been retained to instruct the second primary department.

LOST—A Conklin fountain pen. Finder leave with Dorothy Jones—adv.

The ice man is waiting for the coal man to give him a chance.

Winside Notes

(From the Tribune)

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Long, on Sunday, April 9, 1916, a son.
Mrs. Lute Miller returned to her home last Friday, after having spent three weeks in a hospital at Norfolk.

The box social given in the opera house Saturday evening by the Epworth League netted the society about \$26.50.

Henry Ramberry returned from Excelsior Springs, Missouri, this morning, after having received treatments at that place for two weeks for rheumatism. He is much improved.

The new residences of G. A. Pestal and Walter Christensen are forming shape rapidly. The Pestal house has the frame work completed and the foundation is ready for the carpenters on the Christensen home.

Invitations have been received by Winside friends, announcing the marriage of Miss Lois Frances McElrath to Mr. Oscar Elliott, both of Lincoln, on April 5. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. McElrath of Lincoln, formerly of Winside. The young couple will be at home to their many friends after May 1, at 2630 R. street, Lincoln. The best wishes of a host of friends go with them on their journey through life.

John Nichols Dies at Winside

John Nichols, who for several years made his home at this place, where he conducted a pool hall and a lunch room, died at the pool hall he has been running at Winside for the past two years since he left Wayne. No relatives were with him, and he refused to have medical aid. He was about 70 years of age. The Norfolk News says he is said to have been divorced from his wife, who, with her children, live in Laurel, Nebraska. It is reported that a hemorrhage started and a physician tried to stop it but the old man refused to let any one help him in any way, so his life ended in the pool hall. He was buried in Pleasant View cemetery Monday morning, without funeral services.

COLOR OF SEA WATER.

From Tropical Azures to the Vivid Greens Near the Poles.

Why is the ocean blue? Reflection of the sky, you say. This accounts for some of the color, but not all. It is well known that the tint varies greatly in different localities. Persons taking sea water baths on ocean liners are always surprised by the very noticeable color of their morning tubs.

Color in sea water is largely a matter of saltness and density. In the tropics the tremendous evaporation induced by the blazing sun causes the water to be much saltier than in higher latitudes. For many miles north and south of the equator the water of the world's oceans is a deep blue which fades and changes to green the further one goes toward the poles. In the Arctic and Antarctic oceans the greens are almost as vivid as the tropical azures. China's Yellow sea derives its color partly from the muddy water poured in by its great rivers and partly from small organisms which exist there in numbers which exceed the 120,000,000 living creatures to the square mile found on the average.

The question of salt in water brings up our old friend the Dead sea, which contains 23 per cent of solid matter and, bulk for bulk, is heavier than the human body. Many believe, even in Jerusalem, that bathing in this famous body of water is harmful and swimming impossible. This is not the fact. The chloride of magnesium in the water possesses medicinal qualities if it is not permitted to get into the eyes. It is true that the density of the water renders fast progress in swimming difficult, but the impossibility of sinking more than makes up for it.—Agwi News.

Women and the Arts.

I believe that woman loves the arts better than does man. She is better ground for the development of a great artist, for she approaches art with sympathy, while the great bulk of men approach it with fear and dislike, shrinking from the idea that it may distort their self complacency. The prejudice goes so far that, while women are attracted to artists as lovers, men are generally afraid of women who practice the arts or they dislike them. It is not a question of sex; it is a question of art.—W. L. George in Atlantic.

The Mixture in Havana.

"Havana has just the right mixture of old and new," said one traveler. "I like medieval forts and sixteenth century cathedrals as well as anybody, but when night comes around it is pleasant to return to a cool, up to date hotel, enjoy a well cooked supper and spend the evening walking on the electrically lighted Prado, dancing at the Plaza or Miramar or watching the roof garden movies."—New York Post.

JOLTED THE AUTHOR.

Story of a Tour Made by Irvin Cobb and His Friend Van Loan.

Shortly after the publication of Irvin Cobb's "Back Home" Mr. Cobb visited the Pacific coast and spent a few days in Los Angeles with his author friend, Charles E. Van Loan.

The Angel City newspaper men were very kind to Cobb, interviewing him copiously, and Van Loan suggested that if it would be a graceful thing to repay their courtesies with autographed copies of the new book.

"Fine!" said Cobb. "Let's go buy 'em now."

With Van Loan he visited six book stores in rapid succession, and the following is a sample of the conversation which took place in each one:

Cobb—Have you "Back Home?"
Clerk—What is it—a book or a magazine?

Cobb—It's a book.
Clerk—Ah—er—do you recall the name of the author?

Cobb (surprised)—A man named Cobb wrote it—C-o-double-b, Cobb!

Clerk (hopefully)—Sylvanus or Ty?
Cobb (exploding)—No, no, no! Irvin S. Cobb.

Clerk (disappointed)—Oh, some other Cobb, eh? I don't think we have it. There hasn't been any call for it. Probably not a popular work, sir.

And so on, with variations. Nobody had a copy of the book, apparently nobody had ever heard of it. In the sixth store Cobb's patience left him, and he leaned over the counter with a glare in his eye. He had just been asked if he was not mistaken in the name of the book or the author or something.

"Listen to me, stranger!" said the exasperated Kentuckian. "The name is 'Back Home,' and there is such a book, honest Injun. I know it because I wrote it myself. It's a right nice little book, I'm told, and if you can't afford to buy any copies of it I'll send you one with my compliments! Good day!"

Cobb spent the rest of the afternoon abusing the boneheaded booksellers of Los Angeles. The only thing that he didn't know was that Van Loan had gone over the route earlier in the day and rehearsed the clerks, preparing them for Cobb's visit and having them remove all copies of the book from sight.

Our Wants.

A great number of our wants are special wants of the imagination. We want them simply because we think that we want them. They give us no enjoyment when we obtain them. The want of them is only known by a feeling that we are without them.

Two Reasons.

The corner policeman found Naybur leaning against a telephone pole one night about a month ago. "Well, well, how'd you happen to get into this condition?" he asked as he helped Naybur home. "Wifesh just left fr vancusin," explained the patient. It was just a night or two later that the same policeman found Naybur leaning in the same condition against the same pole. "What's the excuse this time?" asked the cop. "She's back," answered Naybur.

Leaving a Man Helpless.

On one occasion during the Cleveland administration there was a beautiful row between President Cleveland's colored man and Secretary Hoke Smith's colored man. The two were exercising their masters' horses out on a country road and got into a dispute as to what is the best thing in



"TAKE THAT!" SAYS HE.

the world. Finally they made a bet of a dollar on it.

"Well, what is de bes' thing in the world?" asked Cleveland's man.

"Rous' possum and sweet taters," said Hoke Smith's man.

"Whoa!" says Cleveland's man, dragging at the bride. He jumped to the ground, seized Hoke Smith's man by the leg and pulled him to the dust.

"Take that," says he, laming him on the neck, "you miserable black rascal! You ain't leave me nuffin' to guess at!"

One Better.

Pat and Sandy were discussing the merits of their respective regiments, and each one was of the opinion that his own was the best.

"Why," said Pat, "whin our colonel 's dismission' us he says to the officers, 'Fall out, gentlemen!'"

"That disna count for muckle," replied Sandy. "Gin our colonel wis the say that a' the regiment wad fa' out."

FERTILIZERS SCARCE.

The fertilizer situation becomes more serious for market gardeners. Prices for potash are prohibitive. Nitrogen and phosphorus are also much higher than a year ago. The greatest care should be exercised in planning the fertilizer rations. Perhaps it will pay to make slight reductions in the usual amounts of nitrogen and phosphorus and to be more thorough in the planting and care of the crops. The situation calls for shrewd business management.—National Stockman and Farmer.

STOP SOIL WASHING.

Winter Time Should Be Used in Work to Avoid This Loss.

[M. F. Miller, Missouri station.]

Brush and straw piles that will be in the way during the farming season should be hauled away and used to stop soil washing. Every one has seen enormous gullies cut in a single season and years spent in trying to undo the mischief, but few realize that sheet washing is gradually taking away the best surface soil of our fields to such an extent that soil washing is the greatest single source of loss on many of our farms. The less busy winter time should be used in active work to stop this loss and in planning next season's field work so that the fields will be planted and cultivated across the slope or around the hill, so that the rows will not run straight down in such a way as to furnish the steepest possible channel for the run off from rains. Those who have such winter cover crops as rye to hold the soil in place are fortunate, but those who do not should not flatter themselves that no washing is going on even in the winter time when there is less rainfall.

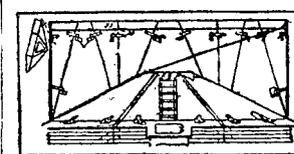
Small gullies that have just started in cornfields or wheatfields or even in pastures and meadows may often be stopped with a little straw. Even cattle paths in pastures often deepen so that they need such treatment. In other places it is necessary to plan to sow sorghum to stop washing, but if the gullies are more than a foot deep and two or three feet wide it is usually better to use brush, concrete dams or the sewer system, which has given good results under certain circumstances.

The brush dam gives better results if straw is mixed with the brush to help hold the dirt. Wherever the fall is great enough to make the water cut seriously it is likely to be necessary to stake down the brush and straw so that they will not be washed away.

For deep, narrow gullies concrete dams from six to twelve inches thick will give better results. Iron rods to give weight must be used in re-enforcing the larger dams, but heavy wires will do very well in the smaller ones. The middle should always be left lower than the edges, and the supply way should be provided with a concrete, stone or brick apron at the bottom of the gully to prevent the falling water from cutting into the soil and undermining the dam.

Adjustable Roof For Silo.

Silos always settle several feet and unless refilled a few days after the first filling will be only about three-fourths full when ready to be fed from. To overcome this trouble silo roofs, tops and covers have been devised to allow the filling several feet



above the top, so that when settling is all over the silo will be nearly full. The roof shown here is adjustable, being the recent patent of a Galesburg (Ill.) inventor. The roof opens out to extend the silo upward perpendicularly when being filled. After settling, this roof can be folded up to make a closed top that sheds rain and keeps out snow. Independently elevatable sections, one of them having a cap attached, are locked together.

Leaf Spot of Cucumbers.

The angular leaf spot of cucumbers is a disease quite prevalent throughout the eastern and middle western states. It was reported as having been present the past year in Michigan, Indiana, Wisconsin and New York, as well as the provinces of Ontario and Quebec, in Canada. The disease has also been reported recently from Maryland and other southern states.

The presence of the disease is indicated by angular, dry, brown spots of the foliage, which, by dropping out or tearing, give the leaves a ragged appearance. Although the disease has been known for many years in the field and has been conceded to be of bacterial origin, heretofore no organism has been named as its cause. As a result of experiments recently conducted by the plant pathologists of the department of agriculture, however, the germ causing the disease has been isolated and identified.

It was found that the disease is caused by a bacterial organism entering the leaf through minute orifices in the outer layer, wounds not being necessary to permit infection. Young stems may become soft rotted or crack open, but no direct connection has been found between the leaf spot and the soft rots of the fruit. A heavy infestation, however, often materially reduces the crop by destroying the active leaf surface of the plants.

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"Therefore a regular egg, five ounces of beefsteak and a glass of milk should supply for twenty-four hours all the protein the system requires. The balance of the diet should consist of starches, sugars, fats and plenty of cellulose or hay. This can best be found in vegetables, such as tomatoes, carrots, celery, turnips, beets, lettuce, squash and all that grand group of horse foods containing much fiber and little nutriment.

"Try this regimen for awhile and see, if fermentation, headache, insomnia, rheumatism, nervousness and 'that tired feeling' do not disappear like snow upon the desert's dusty face. And, when they do, remember that the chances of later developing Bright's disease, hardening of the arteries and heart failure have been reduced to the irreducible minimum.

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CHIMNEYS ON LAMPS.

Why They Prevent the Lighted Wicks From Smoking.

When a lamp is burning without a chimney it generally smokes. That is because the oil which is coming up through the wick is being only partially burned. The carbon, which is about one-half of what the oil contains, is not being burned at all and goes off into the air in little black specks with the gases which are thrown off. The reason the carbon is not burned when the chimney is off is that there is not sufficient oxygen from the air combining with it as it is separated from the oil in the partial combustion that is going on.

To make the carbon in the oil burn you must mix it with plenty of oxygen at a certain temperature, and this can only be done by forcing sufficient oxygen through the flame to bring the heat of the flame to the point where the carbon will combine with it and burn.

When you put the chimney on the lamp you create a draft which forces more oxygen through the flame, brings the heat up to the proper temperature and enables the carbon to combine with it and burn. When you take the chimney off again the heat goes down when the draft is shut off and the lamp smokes again.

The chimney also protects the flame of the lamp from drafts from the sides and above and helps to make a brighter light, because a steady light is brighter than a flickering one.

The draft created by the chimney also forces the gases produced by the burning oil up and away from the flame. Some of these gases have a tendency to put out a light or a fire.—Philadelphia Press.

The Septuagint.

Septuagint means seventy. The septuagint version of the Old Testament originated, according to Aristeas, as follows: Ptolemy Philadelphus (284-247 B. C.) when engaged in making a collection of the laws of all nations for the great Alexandrine library was advised by his librarian to have the Jewish Scripture translated into Greek, and the king had the work done by seventy (or seventy-two) learned Jews from Jerusalem. The letter of Aristeas is probably mythical, but the substance of the story it tells is probably quite true.—New York American.

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