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THE NEBRASKA EDITORS MEET

In Annual Convention at Norfolk and Talk Shop, Correct English, High Cost of Paper, Expenses and Profits

With only about twenty of the 100 papers in the district represented, a most interesting meeting was held, Friday afternoon, evening and Saturday forenoon. There was ample room for others had they found time to attend.

The afternoon session was full of interest. Editor Stone presented a most excellent paper on and about "Newspaper English." We hope to read it in some of the press publications. L. G. Caswell, secretary of the Iowa state association, could not be present, but he sent a splendid paper telling of the work in Iowa, and of what the organization is doing, and how they do it. They find that it is making dollars for them to work together. The all-but dead organization of the state was brought to life, and they had an attendance of more than 400 at their meeting.

A. B. Cass of Ravenna, vice president of the Nebraska press association, was there to represent the president who was unable to attend. His paper and talk told of the work under way to have Nebraska follow in the path of the Iowa brothers and reap like benefits.

The papers read were each followed by discussions which brought out many good points.

At 6:30 the Norfolk Commercial club tendered the visiting newspaper people a dinner at which a quarter of a hundred guests were seated. At the close of this repast Harry Carpenter of the Carpenter Paper Co., read a paper on paper, paper making and paper costs and prices, and a discussion followed.

The Saturday morning session was given over to the "round table" with J. A. Stahl of West Point in charge, and for three hours nearly every phase of the mechanical and commercial side of the printing office was discussed from every angle, and the opportunity was there to learn much which was good. Advertising rates, power charges and many other points were gone over.

While talking power it was very evident that if the present legislature will commence work upon a fair and intelligent plan to conserve the state waters for power for the people of the state they will find the press of this corner of the state with them.

Wayne was selected as the place for the July meeting, the date to be fixed by the executive committee at the most convenient dates during that month, and the officers of the Public Service club are under bond not to have another snow storm at the date of the July meeting.

The last act before adjournment was to tender thanks to the Norfolk Commercial club and people and elect the following officers:

Mrs. Weeks of Norfolk was elected president for the coming year. A. H. Backhaus of Pierce, vice president; E. O. Gardner of Wayne, secretary-treasurer, and Fred Marshall of Niobrara and J. A. Stahl of West Point, two members of the executive committee that will meet with the officers of the association. Wayne extended an invitation yesterday afternoon that the semi-annual session in July be held there, and the editors voted unanimously to hold the meeting at this place.

The following editors and publishers were there from out of town: C. E. Nevin, Laurel; C. H. Kuble, Leigh; M. W. Murray, Pender; E. O. Gardner, Wayne; A. H. Backhaus, Pierce; J. A. Stahl, West Point; C. G. Carlton, Oakland; E. W. Huse, Wayne; Miss H. Durrie, Wayne; Miss M. Forbes, Wayne; F. D. Stone, Hartington; W. Squires, Plainview; H. Peck, Randolph; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marshall, Niobrara; H. Pease, Beemer; Harry Carpenter, Omaha; G. A. Mayfield, Stanton; A. B. Cass, Ravenna; G. P. Murphy, business manager of the American Press Association, Omaha.

Board of Directors Meeting

There will be a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Public Service Club Friday night, January 26th, at 8 p. m., at Fred Berry's office. Every member of the board should be present.

W. L. Gaston, Secretary.

Annual Meeting Public Service Club

Attention is called to a very important announcement. On Monday night January 29th, at 8 o'clock the annual meeting of the Public Service Club will be held in the city hall. Reports of outgoing officers will be made and new officers for the ensuing year will be elected. This is an important meeting and nothing should be allowed to keep you from attending. Every business man, every professional man, every farmer, clerk, laborer may become a voting and participating member by the payment of dues amounting to \$1.50 which carries membership until July 1st, 1917. If you have not paid your semi-annual dues before you get to the hall or the night of meeting you will have an opportunity to pay them that night.

Get into the game. Pay your dues and attend the meeting and let's make the coming year a great one for business and boosting.

Don't forget this call. Remember the date and plan to be there.

In addition to transacting the routine business of the annual meeting there will be a short program of the "Sing Wayne" order in which a chorus of ladies and gentlemen will render some of the Wayne Songs and some of the Wayne poems will be read. Ladies will be welcome if they care to attend and it is hoped that there will be a large representation of the fairer sex.

J. J. Ahern, President
W. L. Gaston, Secretary.

County W. C. T. U. Organized

Last Friday afternoon there was a meeting to organize the W. C. T. U. of the county. The gathering was at the home of Mrs. Kiplinger, and there was a delegation of thirteen from Carroll present.

Letters were read from the state president, Mrs. Clafin, concerning the organization of the county unions and the election of officers followed. Mrs. Charlotte Wollert of Wayne was elected county president; the presidents of the different local unions were made vice presidents. Mrs. Evan Jenkins of Carroll won the election as county secretary, and Miss Josephine Carter of Winslow was elected treasurer.

A very interesting debate followed the business session. The question was: Resolved that a Mother's influence is greater than a Father's example. The affirmative was upheld by Mrs. Scofield and the negative by Mrs. Kiplinger. The judges rendered the decision in favor of the affirmative. Following this debate three-course refreshments were served, after which the visiting ladies were ushered to the train. All present anticipate many more such pleasant meetings.

Salesmanship Club Meeting

The following report of the Tuesday evening meeting of this newest of all Wayne organizations, has been given for publication. The meetings are in the library basement Tuesday evenings:

The following led discussions: Miss Giese, Messrs S. R. Theobald, J. C. Nuss, V. A. Senter and Dean Hahn. The following is the program for next Tuesday evening:

"Aiding Human Interest to the Goods you Sell"—W. L. Benson.

"The Human Side of Salesmanship"—Mrs. S. R. Theobald.

"Making Sales by Helping the Buyer"—Mr. Tompsett.

"Selling and Science"—Miss Birdie Cross.

"How to Handle Dissatisfied Customers"—Wm. A. McEachen.

30-minute lecture by Dean Hahn on "The Psychology of Suggestion and Its Application to Salesmanship."

All clerks, salesman and merchants are welcome.

Tanner-Relman

Tuesday January 16, at 12:30 o'clock at the Trinity German Lutheran Church, Charles Tanner and Miss Emma Relman were united in marriage by Rev. G. H. Press. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Relman. Both parties are well and favorably known, having lived here a number of years. They will make their future home on the Henry Relman farm. The bridal couple left Wednesday for San Francisco, California, where they will spend their honeymoon. A host of friends wish them peace and prosperity through life.—Winslow Tribune.

President Wilson and World Peace

Without any apparent "Leak"

President Wilson sent a most remarkable paper on "World Peace" to the different warring nations and neutrals as well, and then informed the senate that he would appear at one o'clock Monday to address that body on foreign relations. At the appointed time the President read to the members of the "deliberative body" one of the most remarkable state papers ever given. It proposes that now is the time to get busy and be in fact what we have been in name only too often, a leader to guide the nations of the world to adopt the doctrine of truth, justice and Christianity, that they may cease to war and adjust differences by right not might. The Washington dispatches said:

Whether the United States shall enter a world peace league and, as many contend, thereby abandon its traditional policy of isolation and non-entangling alliances, was laid squarely before congress and the country today by President Wilson in a personal address to the senate.

For the first time in more than an hundred years a president of the United States appeared in the senate chamber to discuss the nation's foreign relations after the manner of Washington, Adams and Madison.

The effect was to leave congress, all official quarters, and the foreign diplomats amazed and bewildered. Immediately there arose a sharp division of opinion over the propriety, as well as the substance of the president's proposal. "Startling," "staggering," "astounding," "the noblest utterance that has fallen from human lips since the declaration of independence," were among the expressions of senators.

Chief Points of Speech

The president himself said after his address:

"I have said what everybody has been longing for, but thought impossible. Now it appears to be possible."

The chief points of the president's address were:

That a lasting peace in Europe cannot be a peace of victory for either side.

That peace must be followed by a definite concert of power to assure the world that no catastrophe of war shall overwhelm it again.

That in such a concert of power the United States cannot withhold its participation to guarantee peace and justice throughout the world.

That before a peace is made the United States government should frankly formulate the conditions upon which it would feel justified in asking the American people for their formal and solemn adherence.

Important Proposals Included

President Wilson sums up his declarations as follows:

"I am proposing, as it were, that the nations should, with one accord, adopt the doctrine of President Monroe as the doctrine of the world; that no nation should seek to extend its policy over any other nation or people, but that every people should be left free to determine its own policy, its own way of development, unhindered, unthreatened, unafraid, the little along with the great and powerful."

"I am proposing that all nations henceforth avoid entangling alliances which would draw them into competitions of power...."

"There is no entangling alliance in a concert of power."

Other outstanding features of his address included:

Freedom of the seas.

Government by the consent of the governed.

Moderations of armaments which makes the armies and navies a power for order merely.

This note has brought the question of world peace more prominently to world attention than anything ever before written, and it is both commended and condemned and both praise and censure come from the same great nations. One great paper in England commends it; another criticizes it severely. The criticism says there must be physical force back of a peace move—for they evidently have no faith in nations acting from honorable motives. We contend that when three-fifths of the nations of the world accept the spirit of this great appeal the other nations can be forced to recognize it by the pressure which may be brought to bear on the rulers by creating

Social Notes

The Minerva club dinner, given at the Normal by the domestic science class in their department of the school Tuesday evening was the social center for the time, of the lady members and their husbands. It is reported that the service of the class was all that could be asked in quality and quantity—a most tempting four-course repast, as one may learn from the menu which began with mints and ended with mints with creamed chicken, mushrooms, mashed potatoes, asparagus, macedoine relish, olives and rolls; tomato and cucumber salad and saltines; apricot mousse, angel food cake and coffee sandwiched between. The place cards were pansies, hand-painted, the club flower in club colors. Table decorations were simple and neat, roses being the flower.

When the repast was finished, "Mrs. Toastmistress" Lewis was presented and made responsible for what followed. Prof. J. J. Coleman responded to the sentiment the "Outlook" and advised his hearers to look up, forward and not, down, back or in. Fred S. Berry responded to "Current Opinion" with but little regard for the opinion of the professor who preceded him, but admitted that error of opinion might be tolerated where reason was left free to combat it. E. B. Erskine told of the "Literary Digest" and diagnosed that some books are to be tasted, others swallowed, and a few to be chewed and digested. "Woman's Home Companion" was passed upon by Mrs. E. W. Huse, who said that "He is happiest, be he king or peasant, who finds peace in his own home." Mr. McEachen said he would rather be on his own farm than be made emperor of the world, in responding to the "Nebraska Farmer." Mr. Bright told of "Life" and said that it was live in deeds, not years; in thoughts not breaths; in feelings, not in figures on a dial. Mrs. Lutgen would prefer to be "Independent" sitting by herself on a pumpkin than be crowded on a velvet cushion. At the conclusion of the program Dr. House told that the "World's Work" is done by few, but that God asks that a part be done by you.

The Acme club met on Monday afternoon with Mrs. J. G. Mines. Roll call was answered by giving some fact relating to Nebraska. Some very interesting personal experience was given by the pioneer members. Mrs. V. A. Senter read an article on the "First Nebraska Missionaries and Overland Trails." Mrs. J. J. Williams read a selection from the Mentor. Miss Elizabeth Mines gave some excellent instrumental music. At the close of the afternoon program the hostess served a very delicious luncheon. Mrs. J. J. Williams will be hostess next Monday afternoon.

The Shakespeare Club met with Miss Graves in the Sherbahn home last Tuesday evening. This being the last meeting Miss Graves will be here the lesson was postponed and the members decided to have a theatre party in her honor. Later in the evening a good social time was enjoyed by all, Miss Stocking the new music teacher was an invited guest. The hostess served refreshments. The next meeting Miss Redmond will be hostess, Miss Edith Stocking leader.

The members of the Pleasant valley club and their husbands had an all day meeting at the home of their President Mrs. Miner last Thursday. A three course dinner was served at noon. In the afternoon there was plenty of music and a good social time was enjoyed by all. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Lloyd Gildersleeve on the third Friday in February.

The U. D. Club met with Mrs. Ray Reynolds on Monday afternoon. The members responded to roll call with current events. Mrs. a home sentiment which they dare not withstand or ignore. The old world is honeycombed with socialism, and opposition to war is one of their cardinal virtues. A world-wide boycott could be established as to warring nations, should there be any—their ships could be interned by the peace powers and all commerce between them and the rest of the world could be effectually stopped with the minimum loss of life and waste of wealth.

James Miller gave a paper on the "Danube". On February 5th the members of the U. D. club will entertain all of the clubs at the home of Mrs. J. W. Jones. The next meeting will be January 29 at Mrs. H. S. Ringlands.

Wednesday was Master Joe Grier Lutgen's fifth birthday, so he invited two dozen little boys from the Kindergarten and first grade to spend the afternoon with him. The first part of the afternoon was spent in playing all kinds of amusing games, then came the fish pond. Each boy fished until he drew a prize. These prizes were musical instruments, there being two each kind. The boys were formed into two little bands. Miss Madden presiding at the piano. They found partners by matching the musical instruments, and marched into the dining room, each one finding his place at the table by a candy doll dressed in cerise paper bearing his name, the decorations were red and white with red lights, the centerpiece was a huge angel food cake with red petals resembling a big rose, the stamens were five little candles. At 5:30 a three course dinner was served the hostess assisted by Miss Billinger of the Hospital staff. Each little guest presented Joe with a token in appreciation of happy afternoon. The boys were taken home in automobiles.

There was a social gathering at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Gaston last evening of the members of the Sunday school class of which Miss Eva Graves has been a member, in her honor. Miss Graves is to leave today for Lincoln, and at this farewell party regrets and good wishes were mingled.

The Monday Club met with Mrs. R. E. K. Mellor Monday afternoon. Mrs. Moran read a paper on Lhasa, "The Most Extraordinary City in the World." Mrs. O. R. Bowen gave a Book Review on "Society Misfits" by Magdalene Dray. Mrs. Rollie Ley will be hostess next Monday afternoon.

Paul Crossland was host to the members of the Sunday school class of which he is a member one evening this week, and the lads had a great time at the Crossland home. Apples and popcorn balls were served, and nothing tastes better to boys just entering their teens.

Friday afternoon the Misses Ina Brayton and Florence Gardner entertained their Sunday school classes of little folks at the Methodist church parlors. The little ones enjoyed it much.

The Junior Bible circle met at the home of Miss Anna Granquist, Saturday evening. The lesson was led by Miss Nancy Steele. The next meeting will be with Miss Nora Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Weeces entertain the members of the Rural Home society and their husbands this afternoon.

The Queen Esther society will meet with Miss Mabel Gossard next Tuesday evening.

Obituary--Merriman

Arthur Delane Merriman was born at Paw Paw, Lee county, Illinois, November 24, 1856, and came to Wayne county in the fall of 1875 and located at La Porte, which was then the county seat of this county. November 1st, 1906 united in marriage to Alice L. Knapp to which union four children were born.

Departed his life at his home in Wayne, January 20th, 1917, after a short illness from pneumonia, aged 60 years 1 month and 26 days.

He leaves his wife and children, Nellie aged nine, Arthur aged four, Henry aged three years, and Stepton aged twelve. The older daughter Elsie and a stepdaughter Evelyn passed away in 1912, when the family lived in Missouri. He is also survived by his stepmother Mrs. Elmina Merriman, a stepbrother Frank and brother Henry all of Wayne and one brother Avery Merriman of Paw Paw, Illinois.

The sympathy of the community go out to the bereaved ones in their sorrow.

The funeral was at the M. E. church Tuesday, Rev. A. S. Buell officiating.

School Notes

Miss Eva Graves has resigned her position as supervisor of music and drawing to accept a similar position in Lincoln. Miss Amy Stocking of Glencoe, Minnesota, has been elected to fill her place. Miss Stocking is here and will begin the work at once.

Miss Claire Sullivan, teacher of the second grade, was called to her home at Greeley Center Monday evening by a telegram announcing the serious illness of her father. Miss Marian Ewing of the state normal is in charge of the grade during Miss Sullivan's absence.

The Senior class has extended an invitation to the Sopbomor class for a party to be held Friday evening in the gymnasium.

Regular monthly class meetings were held yesterday afternoon.

Russell and Harry Prescott, who have been detained from school by illness in the home, have re-entered.

Recent visitors were Mrs. D. Kinney, Mrs. A. R. Davis, Mrs. E. W. Huse and Rev. S. X. Cross.

New pupils are Donald Beaman and Frederick Meyer in the first grade, Guy Miller in the sixth A grade and Ivan Kimball in the eighth grade.

The Cradle

JONES—Saturday, January 20, 1917, to M. F. Jones and wife, twin sons, weight 6 pounds each.

HANSEN—Saturday, January 20, 1917, to Dick Hansen and wife, a daughter.

GAMBLE—Wednesday, January 17, 1917, to Ray Gamble and wife a son.

ECHTENKAMP—Saturday, January 20, 1917, to Wm. G. Echtenkamp and wife, a son.

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Wayne

Mrs. Morris of Carroll was a Wayne visitor Tuesday.

John A. Lewis went to Neligh Monday to visit a brother.

Miss Pearl Sewell was at Pender the last of last week, on a business mission.

Mrs. W. S. Savidge and her sister Miss Edna Griffith were Sioux City visitors Friday.

James Steele went to Sioux City Sunday morning to visit his brother at that place for a day or two.

F. H. Jones was a visitor at Norfolk Monday night, going over on a business mission, and returning next day.

John Gustafson, who has been spending several weeks visiting at the home of his mother, went to Omaha last week to be absent a few days.

Fred Kellogg was here from Verdel Saturday and Sunday, visiting his parents, Henry Kellogg and wife. While here he purchased a thoroughbred Shorthorn bull to head his herd.

When you buy corn meal get the best. Made exclusively by The Wayne Roller Mill. Always fresh. W. R. Weber, proprietor.--adv.

Mrs. L. Lively stopped here the first of the week to visit her son Jos. Lively, while on her way from Norfolk to visit a daughter at Sioux City. She continued her journey Tuesday morning.

Magnus Paulson and family who came here last week to visit his mother who was quite seriously ill, returned to their home at Canton, South Dakota, Friday. The mother was much better at that time.

James Mulvey and wife returned from a two week visit at Winnebago, and are now finishing their visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Emma Baker before returning to their home at Winner, South Dakota.

Mrs. W. E. Baskerville and children left Tuesday morning for her home at St. Paul, Minnesota. She has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Gamble, her sister, Mrs. Johnson and her brother Frank, besides many friends in this her former home.

W. E. Beaman was with his family here Saturday and Sunday.

Modern Woodmen hold a big class initiation at Wynot tonight.

Mrs. M. A. Phillips and Miss Flock of the city schools visited at Randolph Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

Dam—the mill dam, we mean, sprung a leak at Creighton last week, and then the fellows up there all said something that sounded like the thing they had lost.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Seavey went to visit at Pender the last of the week, and returned home Monday on the first train thru after the late "unpleasantness" of weather.

If some of the proposed laws to enforce prohibition become effective the Owis and kindred clubs so as to call it administering sacrament when they pass it round.

Miss Clara Liedtke, who teaches near Hoskins was home for Sunday, and on account of the storm causing the railroad officials to annul the Sunday evening train, she remained home until Monday afternoon.

From a private letter from Mrs. Nina B. Eckert, who for several years was at the head of this paper, we learn she and family are well and getting along nicely and is now living with her daughter Val, at Cazadero, Ore.—Winside Tribune.

Osmond people are trying to get a third rural route out from that place with some prospect of success. Some people near Wayne have been trying to get a fifth route from here, and without much hope of favorable action in the near future.

Frank Bell and family have moved to Jefferson, South Dakota. Mrs. Bell and the children left Friday and were accompanied by her father and sister, Fred Eickhoff and Miss Margaret Eickhoff, who will remain a few days to aid in getting settled.

A. L. Hulbert of Sholes has traded a 176 acres of Boyd county land for a stock of merchandise at Spaulding, and went to that place Tuesday to pack and ship them, but is not yet fully determined to what place he will ship the stock, which is valued at about \$6,000.

One of the bills for the consideration of the great deliberative body of law makers at Lincoln is looking to making all of these colleges and college managers show to the proper state authorities that they are qualified at their school to deliver the education they are claiming to sell in other words there will be a state jurisdiction over the selling of learning.

The Coleridge community club, one of the pioneer organizations of its kind in Nebraska, has a banquet this evening with Col. S. H. Duncan as the chief orator of the evening. At a recent meeting of the club the membership fee was fixed at \$1 for the men, and the ladies free. The old officers were re-elected, which is a pretty good endorsement of their work, and from all reports which leak from that berg the work has been good. We notice that they have farmers—several of them at heads of different department committees.

Owing to the cost of coal and the advance in freights on the same the gas company at Hartington have raised their gas rates from \$1.50 to \$1.75.

All kinds of grain ground while you wait. Chopped oats and corn, cracked corn and all kinds of feed at The Wayne Roller Mill. W. R. Weber.--adv.

The county superintendent and other school people of Hartington and Cedar county are planning to properly celebrate the 50th anniversary of the admission of Nebraska to the union with an historical pageant about the first of May.

Everett Killion and his mother, Mrs. Killion from Oakland, Iowa, who have been visiting at the home of son and brother, Mark Simpson west of Wayne for a month past, left Tuesday to visit at Norfolk, after which they propose to go to Arcada before retruing home.

Farmers from all over Nebraska were in Lincoln last week, attending the Organized Agriculture meetings and experiencing in farming, stock raising, stock feeding for market, fruit raising, etc. Nebraska is a great state and the farmers are to blame.

W. E. Cleveland, who is moving here from Armour, South Dakota, tell us that his household goods have arrived and that he expects the family to come the last of the week. They have a house on east 6th street. His partner in the meat business, Mr. Coon, does not plan to move his family here until later on account of the children in school.

Ben Killinger and wife from Cherry county, have been at Carroll, where his mother, Mrs. J. B. Killinger has been quite seriously ill with pneumonia. She has passed the crisis of the disease, but being 78 years of age, and having suffered from a stroke of paralysis several years ago her recovery is not fully assured. Mr. and Mrs. Killinger returned to their home Tuesday.

Some of the sociologists are debating the question of whether or not Europe will legalize polygamy when the war is over. Should they do so, it will be in order for them to encourage Mormon immigration—that is the old-type Mormon who thinks a man can stand more trouble than one woman can give him and wants anywhere from three to a hundred. Church and state could then go hand in hand.

During the past three or four years there has appeared to be a certain slowness in land transfers, not only here but it appeared to be quite general, so much so that land brokers have noticed it. This condition appears to be improving, and that great staple appears to be moving more frequently—that is the title of ownership is changing, and the prices too are advancing, for people are coming more and more to realize that land is the basis of all wealth, and they want it, even though it comes high.

The road legislation question is a bone of contention at Lincoln. Some of them want the state to appropriate a like amount and receive those million or more of dollars the federal government will spend on our roads, if we will place a like sum for a like purpose. Two questions are bobbing up. One is the fact that the federal government directs the spending of the money. The other is that there are many who object to a tax for that purpose on the whole state for a work which would add much to the land values along the road and practically nothing to the value in other parts of the state. If the land along the proposed roads could be taxed for the major portion of the cost, because they will receive the greater benefit, the question would be easily settled.

The Nebraska 5th regiment is to be of the 20,000 soldier boys now under order to come from the border to the land of snow and ice, but the land they all love best. Arkansas, Delaware, District of Columbia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, New Hampshire, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, South Dakota, Utah, Tennessee, Virginia, Wisconsin, all have some organization there who will be coming home. Look over the list and see what a great country is this, and note what a small percentage of its people from each state have been called to defend the border. It would have been a shame to have a nation like this made war on such an enemy as Mexico, but a tenth our size, and torn and bleeding from internal strife.

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GAMBLE & SENTER



Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bristow from Raleigh, North Dakota, came this week to visit at the home of Patrick Dixon and wife, the visiting lady being a niece of Mrs. Dixon.

Henry and Adolph Meyer and Herman Eichtenkamp went to Omaha Tuesday to purchase cattle for their feed yards, if they find the right kind at the right price.

George Meyer, Henry Eichtenkamp and Henry Meyer each went to Omaha Tuesday with a car of cattle from their feed lots. John Kay was down with a car Monday.

Earl Yates, who has been visiting and working at Wayne and vicinity for several months, left Tuesday for his home at Stithton, Kentucky, in response to a message from his father stating that he had a good position waiting for him. The young man made friends here who wish him well.

Robert Rately of Pender, who was with the Democrat for a short time, and has since been at the office of the Norfolk Press was here Tuesday on his way home for a short visit before departing for Parkville, Missouri, where he is soon to enter Park college to attend at least the remainder of the school year.

The Hartington Herald says that Cedar county farmers are prosperous, because they are paying for their paper better, and more of them, and the records show a decrease in the amount of mortgage indebtedness as compared with a year ago. Now how will Brother Stone harmonize that with the statement of the famous James G. Blaine, who is reported to have said that debt was an indication of prosperity.

The following committee on legislation has been appointed by the executive committee of the Nebraska Chiropractic association: Dr. Lee W. Edwards, chairman; Dr. Lyle D. Smith, Grand Island; Dr. J. T. Gallamore, Fairbury. The committee is instructed to work for a fair division of representation on state and local boards of health for the science of spinal adjustments; and also, to oppose any legislation intended to subjugate the Chiropractors to the will of the medical doctors.

In cutting out the patent or ready print side of his paper, the Journal, at Wilmington, California, W. S. Goldie gives the following reasons for quitting the grafting patent house, and the publishers would all profit by following the same course. No one nowadays takes the country town paper except for the local news, and to put a rider on in the shape of a patent or foreign printed sheet is folly. Goldie says:

The Journal finally had to come to it—economize on the size of its publication. Between the print paper trust and the get-rich-quick printers of newspaper patents—inside pages—it was cut down or quit. The present price of \$1.50 per year subscription wouldn't pay for the paper under the present ready-print market. A few years ago, in the east, such service as the Journal has been taking from the "Newspaper Union," of Los Angeles, could be secured at 9 or 10 cents per quire. The figure quoted by the Los Angeles house for this month would cost the Journal 27 cents per quire. "Beating the Journal man," as a local crook once remarked, "is like taking candy from a kid." Well, the "candy" is about gone and we are now somewhat acclimated. We have to stand for the "war fat" of the paper barons, but no other bunch of grafters can add insult to injury. We hope that in a few weeks there will be sufficient newspaper business in "The Borough of Wilmington" to warrant the Journal in publishing an 8 or even 16 page newspaper, all "home-print."

From reports which we read; it looks now as though many farmers will be eligible to pay income tax, and we venture the assertion that a prosperity which makes them come in the class that makes more than \$4,000 clean money will be so welcome that they will gladly pay their quota to the government under which they live which makes this possible. The Cedar county News tells of one farmer who has cleared up almost enough on one little deal, pulled to a completion in less than 90 days which almost puts Henry Whittler in that class The News says:

Henry Whittler employed four car load of sheep to pick his corn and figures that the corn brought him over \$3.00 per bushel as a result of their activities. And as he had over 1200 bushels, the profit amounted to the tidy sum of around \$3,500, over all expenses.

Mr. Whittler farms about 500 acres all told, just north of town. He moved here about five years ago, buying a large part of the land he is farming. The hog cholerera cost him a pretty penny one year and the next year the corn ran only about 10 bushels, so Henry is positive it is not all joy for the farmer. Then he tried feeding sheep and as the result was so sat-

isfactory that he decided to try it again.

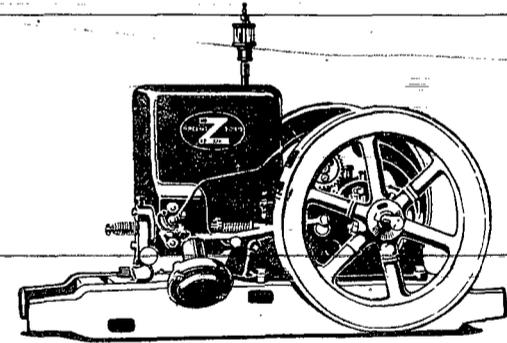
He had a good size corn field, with about 1200 bushels ready to be picked. He bought four double-deck cars of sheep at a cost of \$6,000, borrowing a goodly sum to carry the deal thru. He turned them into the corn field and fed them just 70 days. The sheep saved the cost of gathering and husking the corn. The only big labor involved was the erection of a watering trough and the hauling of the water.

Mr. Whittler recently shipped the sheep to market and received a total of over \$9,600 for them. After paying freight, commission, insurance, the balance netted him about \$3.00 a bushel for his corn. The sheep cost \$9.90 when he bought them and sold for \$13.20 per 100. There were 1,500 sheep purchased and about 25 less sold. Henry also figures that the fertilizer added to the land was worth at least \$200.

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The "Leak" Sensation

The Tom Lawson sensation in Washington is exactly what some of those democratic congressmen have coming to them. While the republicans were in power those congressmen were scouring the country for any kind of evidence reflecting on big or corrupt business. No sooner did the control of congress come into their hands than they began right where the republicans left off and the men who had made the issue, on which this control had come to them found a price set upon their heads.

Tom Lawson may be everything that he is charged with being without descending to a lower place than many of those would-be purifiers of the body politic.

Lawson certainly threw a shell into their midst when they were about ready to string him up by the thumbs.

A very learned Paulist clergyman was answering a question which had been handed in regarding socialism in Chicago last Sunday evening and he finished his answer as follows: The Wall street crowd of New York, the State street crowd of Boston and the LaSalle street crowd of Chicago have entirely too much power in this country and if the patriotic people of this nation do not take some of that power away in a peaceful manner some day it may be taken in a revolutionary manner.

That is what is the matter at Washington and leaks and plugs abound everywhere.—Creighton Liberal.

Piano at a Bargain

Customer near Wayne is unable to finish payments on piano contract. We will turn piano over to first satisfactory party who will pay balance either cash or five dollars per month. Write Schmolter & Mueller Piano Co., Omaha, Nebr.—adv.

A Sermon by W. S. Goldie

Wilmington, Cal. Journal.—The Temple Baptist church is out to gather up about a half million dollars to secure a new, magnificent tabernacle to the glory of the presiding genius of its congregation. All over Southern California—with exception of Wilmington and Watt—we find hundreds upon hundreds of thousands of dollars invested in massive stone, brick or cement fronts, while all over the state goes up the cry for bread. Every day suicides because of no work, no money; nothing but disappointment, discouragement, want and death. Thousands upon thousands of other dollars squandered every few months to force people from the extreme of drinking to the extreme of hypocrisy and church building. "What would Christ say if he again visited the earth—or Los Angeles?" Well, we don't believe He would begin by soliciting funds for Temple Auditorium, neither do we think He would start a prohibition campaign for a "Dry California." Our idea is that He would lift up the fallen, ease the weary of heart, wipe away want and tears from the widows and orphans, and give men the strength to be decent and temperate in all things. The open air would be His temple—in Southern California and the "church subscriptions" would not be numbered by the "feet that trod the sawdust trail." Wilmington for years, has been having a sheol of a time to "run a church." Many say it is because of the peculiar breed of people the burg contains. Nothing to it. Give us a "Christ-like preacher."—Brother Evans came the nearest to it of anything we have seen in the country—and the church is made. Perhaps, like good newspaper men, they don't come to places like Wilmington, any more than do motor factories, ship yards and business booms. Anyway, we don't believe there is much religion in a million-dollar church where human misery stalks broadcast, nor with the preacher who drives the "dry wagon," to death and always heading a campaign for the money there is in it. Southern California won't NEED another church structure for fifty years.

Lock Your Coal and Chickens

That is the proper thing to do, according to Wm. Lou and others who have had to run possible thieves away from their premises. Mr. Lou tells us that he did not wait to find out whether his night visitors were after coal or chickens, for they made a hasty retreat when discovered about the premises. Of course, this kind of weather will tempt most any one to try to keep warm, but there should be a better and safer way than to go after coal at night. We believe that if any one will go to the proper authorities and say that they are out of coal and the means with which to get it, they will be properly cared for, and certainly, while it is an unpleasant condition to confess to it is far less disgraceful than to take from some individual that which belongs not to you—especially if it should happen that the dog warned the owner and the owner filled the end most exposed in retreat with shot.

B YYY

Oh merchant, in thine hour of eee, If on this paper u should see, Take our advice and now b yyy, Go straight on and advertiii U'll find the project of some uuu; Neglect can offer no exqqq; B yyy at once, prolong ur daaa, A silent business soon dkkk. —London Saturday Journal.

Stuthman & Koehlmoos IMMUNE DUROC SOW SALE

To be held at the Stuthman farm 11 miles south and 1 1/2 west of Wayne, and 5 miles north of Pilger, Nebraska, on

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Henry Stuthman sells 25 head—Five tried sows that are great producers, they are by Col. Critic, Echo's Crimson Wonder, Wallace's Wonder 2nd. Five fall yearlings, three by Grand Model 8th, one by Chief Invincible, and one by Wonder Lad. Fifteen great gilts by Grand Model 8th, Golden Model 31st, Col. Critic, Grand Model 2nd, and Golden Model 4th, the offering is bred to Grand Model 8th, Long Model, a great son of Golden Model 31st, and Grimson Wonder Select.

Henry Koehlmoos sells 25 head—Eleven fall yearlings by Crimson Red, by B. & L.'s Wonder. One tried sow, Maggie Model, by Golden Model 34th, she is bred to Model Illustrator Thirteen February and March gilts by Model Illustrator, and Long Model. The offering is bred to Model Illustrator, a good son of the Champion Illustrator, Long Model, winner in his class at Nebraska State Fair 1916, and Crimson Wonder Select.

We want you to have one of our catalogs; it will give you all the information that you will desire. ADDRESS

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Local Market Conditions

From reading our exchanges we judge that market conditions are much the same just now in all this corner of Nebraska. Only two weeks ago the Winside Tribune was telling that it was printed at the seat of the greatest grain market in this corner, so far as prices were concerned, and when one of our local dealers was seen he stated that at times they had paid more than the wholesale market would warrant any dealer who had to make a living handling grain from paying. The Coleridge Blade editor has been out to find out what is the matter with prices at his town, and below is a portion of his report as the grain and stock men there reported it to him. According to that version much of the blame might be placed on the railroad for inefficiency and inadequate equipment. Mr. Harris says:

The Blade editor has been hearing persistent rumors that prices of grain and hogs were lower at Coleridge than at some of the nearby towns and took the matter up with the local dealers to see if such were the case and if so, why?

As to hogs, the local dealers say they are as often a little above the buyers in other towns as below them and that all we hear is the times they are below. They say the reason for this applies to the other dealers as well as to themselves and give this explanation: If starting in to buy a car load, they buy on a wider margin on the first hogs bought than the last to cover possible drop in prices and feed for three or four days, or in fact, on the average for a week, as the shipments average about a car a week for the year. If the car is nearly loaded and the markets show especially strong, they bid the limit to get loaded and get the hogs off. That is easily understood.

The grain explanation is considerably more complicated. That other towns have paid more in several instances is admitted. The reason for this at Crofton and Fordyce is a local fight and much grain has been bought at these two points freight off.

The reason for higher prices at Burlington points is like this, and covers a condition that never before existed: The embargo established by the different railroads prevents the shippers sending cars of stuff except on the line that the car belongs to. If a Union Pacific car is thrown off here the shipper who gets it can cover Union Pacific points; if a Burlington then he can reach Burlington points and so on with foreign lines; but if a Northwestern he is confined to Northwestern points. And as cars are scarce, the elevators full all the time, the shippers must ship at his earliest convenience and does not know where he can ship until he gets the car, so must buy on the most conservative market. This same condition exists with all shippers in all towns but those on the Burlington lines get mostly Burlington cars which gives them the western outlet and as a rule these western markets are stronger than the eastern, as it will be remembered that J. B. Hassmann used to "save his face" frequently by getting in touch with the Denver and western markets, when the old time free-for-all fight was on in Coleridge.

Values of Farm Records

In his annual report for 1916, County Agricultural Agent F. M. Seidell states that as a result of systematic record keeping on 20 farms in Box Butte county 20 changes have been made in the scheme of farm management followed by the operators.

These changes were made because weak spots in farm organization were uncovered—weak spots which could not be seen except by means of systematic farm records.

We Have no Need of 'Em

Postmasters have received blanks from the internal avenue department to hand out to those who wish to make out income tax report. All persons who in 1913 had an income of \$2,500 are expected to make out this report. Many who failed to do so at the time are now being discovered and have to pay a fine or penalty. If you now have an income of \$3,000 you must report, though you need pay no tax unless your income is over that amount for a single person, or \$4,000 for a married person. So if you are a single person and your income figures up salary \$3,500 per year you will pay on \$500, at one percent or \$5.00. It isn't enough for you to seek to avoid. The government revenue inspectors are looking for you all the time, and you have little chance slipping by them. Ten years from now they may discover you and then you will have to pay for ten years. The income tax is so small that no person can afford to take a chance in trying to avoid it. The blanks are simple to make out and everything in the revenue service is secret so that one person knows nothing about the private business of another. Income blanks should be made out in January, though you have to March 31 to get them in and to June 1st to pay your income tax.

Concreting in Cold Weather

Much of the concret work about the farm could be done in the winter if it were not for the bad effects of freezing, says the agricultural engineering department of the Nebraska State Experiment Station.

The use of salt with the water has been recommended, but this is not beneficial in extremely cold weather. If the amount of salt used exceeds 3 pounds to each sack of cement, the strength of the concrete is affected. Besides, this quantity of salt will not prevent freezing at a temperature below 22 degrees Fahrenheit.

The most satisfactory way is to heat materials used and to protect the work after it has been completed. A canvas stretched over the work and a slow fire beneath it will allow concrete to cure in the coldest weather without injury. No concrete job can be of the best if ice crystals form in the water while mixing is in progress.

Real Estate Transfers

Reported by Forrest L. Hughes, Bonded Abstractor, Wayne, Nebraska.

John C. Ritchey and wife to Walter A. Peterson, the north half of the south east quarter of section 23, township 25, range 3, \$10,400.

Cathrina Drevsen and husband to George F. Drevsen, the north east quarter of section 33 township 26 range 1, \$1,00 love, and affection.

Cathrina Drevsen and husband to John G. Drevsen the southwest quarter of section 33, township 26, range 1, \$1,00, love and affection.

George T. Porter, sheriff to Gilbert E. French, the south half of lot 21 in block 4 in Original Winside, \$425. In the case of A. W. Stockham, plaintiff against J. C. Ecker and Nina B. Ecker, his wife.

Are There No Chickens for Sale

Last week the Democrat ran a chicken wanted adv. for the Central Market, and we are told that up to Saturday no chickens had been offered. The adv. man at the market said he ordered locals, but it was not so understood, and we assume that the demand not having been supplied still exists for chickens—so those who have any birds to sell will do well to call up the Central Meat Market.

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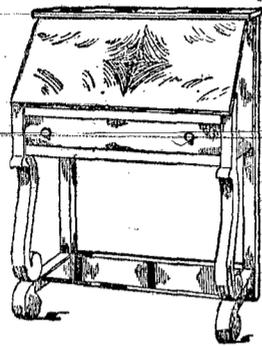
\$ 4.00 Rockers, oak, now.....\$2.98
\$ 5.00 Rockers, oak, now.....\$3.87
\$ 5.75 Rockers, oak, now.....\$3.98
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\$12.00 Rockers, mahogany, now.....\$9.15
\$15.00 Rockers, mahogany, now.....\$11.45
\$17.50 Rockers, oak, leather seats.....\$14.87

Dining Chairs

\$4.00 Chair, solid oak, No. 1 leather seat, the six chairs.....\$17.15
\$5.25 Chair, solid quartered oak, No. 1 Spanish leather, slip seat the six.....\$23.15
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15 per cent discount on all leather seated dining chairs.

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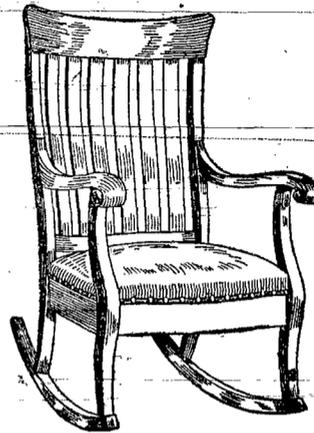
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\$3.00 pedestals, fumed and golden oak..\$2.69
\$4.25 Sewing rocker, solid oak.....\$3.27
\$3.00 Smoking stands, fumed and mahogany.....\$2.00
\$14.00 and \$15.00 Cedar Chests.....\$11.95
\$12.50 chiffoniers, oak.....\$9.95
\$17.50 chiffoniers, oak.....\$13.80
\$35.00 Rockers, all over Spanish leather\$24.90
\$18.00 dining table.....\$14.90
\$15.00 dining table.....\$13.30
\$13.50 dining table.....\$11.85
\$25.00 Buffets, oak.....\$19.89
\$29.00 Buffets, oak, dull.....\$23.45
\$47.50 Buffets, oak, fumed.....\$33.65
\$85.00 Buffets, oak, fumed.....\$27.45
\$19.50 Library table, fumed.....\$16.30
\$23.00 Library table, fumed.....\$17.98
\$15.00 Library table, fumed.....\$11.45



\$14.00 Rocker, solid quartered oak, dull, Spanish leather now..... **\$10.65**

Rugs

The wholesale prices of rugs have advanced more than any other line of merchandise. Our rug stock was purchased before the advance and we will sell them at a discount from old prices.

\$25.00, 9x12 Blue Ribbon velvet.....\$21.50
\$27.50, 9x12 Aminister.....\$22.50
\$31.50, 9x12 Aminister.....\$24.35
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\$ 8.00 Steel Beds.....\$5.00
\$10.00 Steel Beds.....\$6.85
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\$14.00 Steel Beds.....\$10.95
\$22.50 Steel Beds.....\$17.60
Big discount on every bed in the line.

Lamps

Library lamps, art glass, 25 per cent discount
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WAYNE MARKET REPORT

Following are the market prices quoted us up to the time of going to press Thursday:
Oats..... 50c
Corn..... 86c
Spring Wheat..... 1.73
Wheat..... 85c
Eggs..... 35c
Butter..... 38c
Hogs..... 9.35
Fat cattle..... \$7.50 @ \$9.20

Among the Churches of Wayne

Methodist Church
(Rev. A. S. Buell Pastor).
Next Sunday morning the theme will be "Religious life in the City." The evening message will be "Our neighbors' religion."
The Junior Missionary society gave a sock social in the church dining rooms last Saturday evening. A very pleasant time was spent by the young people besides adding a neat amount to the missionary fund.
The blizzard last Sunday kept many of our people from attending the services, however, we shall expect all to be on hand next Sunday.
The Ladies Aid Society will have their regular meeting this Thursday afternoon and evening at Prof. H. H. Hickman's. Lunch will be served and everybody is invited to come.
The Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet February first

with Mrs. O. C. Fisher. Mrs. George Fortner will be leader. All of the ladies are invited whether they are members or not.

"I was glad when they said unto me let us go into the house of the Lord," says the Psalmist. Do you feel that way about it?
Come with us and we will do you good. Make this homelike church your church home. There is a glad hand of fellowship waiting for you at the Methodist church next Sunday. Come at ten thirty next Sunday.

Presbyterian Church

(Rev. S. Xenophon Cross, Pastor)
"Young Folks' Day," will be observed next Sunday evening at the 7:30 hour. All are cordially invited to attend and enjoy the program. The services will be essentially evangelistic.

Dr. D. R. Kerr of Bellevue gave two excellent addresses at this church last Sunday. Dr. Kerr highly commended our plans for Sunday evening services of the character we are having. Come next Sunday evening and see for yourself.

"God's Alphabet and Man's Alphabet," is the subject of the address that will be given at the 7:30 service next Sunday evening. This is a study of a highly interesting character, and very practical. College and high school young people are invited.

The subject of the sermon next Sunday morning will be: "Christ's Doctrine of Election." This is a subject that has provoked age-long discussion. There will be special music at this service under the direction of Mrs. W. E. Johnson, chorister.

Next Sunday evening's meeting will inaugurate Christian Endeavor Week in this church. The young people will be busy all week with several phases of the work of the society. Members of the society will take part in the Sunday even-

ing program. A good music program is being prepared.

Baptist Church

(Publicity Committee)
Don't forget that next Sunday regular services will be programed in the morning and it will be much appreciated if the entire congregation would arrange to be present.

In the evening the Norma Y. M. C. A. will attend the young people's meeting and take full charge. All the young people invited to be present. After the young peoples meeting led by the Y. M. C. A. boys Rev. W. L. Gaston will deliver a sermon to the Y. M. C. A. Workers who are to be present in a body.

Meyer-Nissen

Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock at the German Lutheran church at Carroll, Rev. Fereres officiating, occurred the marriage of Mr. Chas. Meyer and Miss Louise Nissen. Following the ceremony the party consisting of only relatives repaired to the home of the bride's parents and partook of an elegant two-course dinner.

The bride was dressed in georgetta crepe and white satin, the groom in black. This morning the bride and groom left to visit at Omaha and points in Iowa, after which they will be at home on the home farm of the groom's parents, northwest of Wayne. All congratulate this worthy couple.

Basket Ball Friday Afternoon

At the high school gymnasium Friday afternoon the Wassa high school basket ball team will play against the boy scout team of this city. There is promise of a good game.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Jens Christensen and Mabel Anderson.
Chris Meyer and Louise Nissen.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

J. D. Conover and wife returned this morning from a week visit at Sioux City.

The P. E. O. will have a Record Evening at the home of Mrs. Rollie Ley next Monday.

Mrs. J. W. Nichols was home from Winside Wednesday. She is nursing there, and returned in the evening.

Miss Louise Sheer returned to her home at Creighton today after a visit of several weeks with her sister, Mrs. S. J. Iker.

Mrs. M. T. Munsinger was called North Platte Sunday by news of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Johnson, who was taken with pneumonia while visiting at that place. According to late reports she is now doing nicely.

C. E. Carhart and wife returned Monday evening from a visit at their former home at Mapleton, Iowa, where they went last week to attend the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Miller, Mrs. Carhart's parents, which was celebrated Saturday. Mr. Carhart reports that they had a very pleasant time, nearly all of the children being present, besides many friends and neighbors. Mr. and Mrs. Miller have spent nearly all of their fifty years of married life at Mapleton, and many called to congratulate them on that occasion.

Ira Kimball and family are here from Alberta, Canada, and plan to spend the winter here, giving the children opportunity to attend schools here. Mrs. Kimball is a daughter of J. H. Fitch and wife

whom they are visiting. Mr. Kimball is reported as saying that all men liable to called for military duty are being listed, commencing with boys as soon as they attain the age of 18 years, who are subject to draft, and that is one of the things which seems most cruel about the great war—the boys taken, and their parents helpless to stop it.

We would rather think that those who have been elected members of the Nebraska house and senate were about as well qualified to get up a prohibition law as fellows on the outside who are clamoring to make a law to their notion, and having it introduced, both in the house and senate at the same time. Men are elected to both branches, who we believe are broad-minded enough to do their work without any interference from those who are not members of the legislature. It is a reflection upon the ability, honor and integrity of the legislature to have a lot of outsiders constitute themselves guardians over those who are elected to do the business of the state.—Pillar Herald.

Ordinarily we are for America first, and American institutions and industries—but when it comes to a point where the foreigner bids so much under the American trust as did the English firm under the bid of our munition fellows, we say give them the contract, unless the government can make the shells cheaper. The suspicious thing about it is that four American firms "competing" all bid practically the same—and that is the way they have been "compet-

Bethlehem's Bid on Shells for the United States Navy

To the American People:
The Secretary of the Navy has awarded contracts amounting to over \$3,000,000 to a British bidder for 14 and 16-inch projectiles for the Navy because of very much lower prices offered by the English bidder.

We know nothing of the basis upon which the British bids were made, but the public is entitled to know the facts upon which we ourselves bid for this work.

Two years ago we took contracts to make 4,200 14-inch shells at a price of \$1,515,000. Up to now not a single shell has been accepted by the Government, although we have expended, in wages, materials, etc., on these orders \$522,881, and we have not received a SINGLE DOLLAR on these contracts.

In addition, a literal interpretation of the contract might make us liable for penalties amounting to \$678,016.

In the light of our experience, and having no other basis, we bid for 16-inch shells approximately the same rate per pound as that which the Navy Department actually awarded a 14-inch shell contract one year ago.

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Miss Lulu Smith went to Cole-ridge Wednesday afternoon to visit relatives.

M. T. and W. J. McInerney returned Tuesday evening from a visit at Omaha.

Miss Charlotte White is home from a visit at Rosalea and other places not far away.

H. W. McClure was a passenger to Sioux City Wednesday afternoon, for a few days stay.

R. N. Donahy was a visitor at Omaha the first of the week, going down to meet a patient there, to consult with a specialist as to her eye trouble.

Now ready for the purchaser, a very complete line of silks in full bolts and single pattern lengths at Mrs. Jeffries—the exclusive lady store.—adv.

M. A. Dupue, one of the early settlers of Cedar county, a man highly respected died of paralysis, at his home after a sickness of but four hours duration.

Messrs. Billeter and Burris of Carroll were in Iowa last week and part of this looking after horses, and we are told that Mr. Billeter purchased a good animal at Des Moines.

Mrs. H. M. Demme was called to Lorton Wednesday by news of the death of a nephew, Paul Forseman who died as the result of having an arm mangled in a corn sheller.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wright and daughter Miss Fontanelle, left Wednesday morning to visit at Huron, South Dakota, for a few days, after which they will go to Timber Lake for a time.

John O'Shea and his daughter, Miss Mary from Bloomfield came to visit at the home of Mrs. M. A. Pryor. Mr. O'Shea returned home Wednesday, but the daughter remained a few days longer.

Order your spring suit today. Have the finished garments come when you need them. Morgan's Toggery.—adv

R. P. Huber from Only, Missouri, has been here visiting his daughter, Mrs. B. W. Sherbahn, who has been ill as the result of an operation. The daughter being much improved, he is planning to return home his week.

Orlando Adams was here from Kimball the first of the week looking after business, visiting his brother and greeting former friends. He says that Western Nebraska is moving right to the front, and rapidly, too.

D. C. Hogue and wife of Winside were at Omaha last week, taking their infant to a child specialist hospital there for treatment. The little one could not retain any of the foods they gave, and it was left there that an expert might find a food on which it would thrive.

Orrin Garwood of South Sioux City stopped here and at Carroll a short time the first of the week while returning from a visit at O'Neill. He has abandoned the print shops and taken to farming, and has been growing garden stuff for the three seasons last past.

This issue of the Democrat might be called a "Bargain" number, for the while the paper costs the subscriber but \$1.50 a year there is a coupon in this number that is absolutely worth \$2.00, which leaves one a margin of 50 cents for finding and cutting it out.

Mrs. Chas. Reynolds was called to Minden by word of the death of her father, which occurred Tuesday. Mr. Henry Linson was 71 years of age, and suffered a stroke of paralysis about three months ago, and death followed as a result of his enfeebled condition. Mrs. Reynolds visited home at Thanksgiving time last.

Henry Klopping started for Denver Wednesday morning to attend the Western stock show in that city—one of the greatest stock shows anywhere on earth, he thinks, and it surely is some show. Henry wants to get there in time to attend the sale of feeders today, for he says one can there find the best feeders that are grown, and that is the profitable kind to buy.

J. H. Goll and wife from Watertown, Washington, arrived at Wayne Wednesday from Illinois, where they have been visiting his brothers, and they will remain for a time to visit relatives and friends here, at Carroll and Bloomfield. Mr. Goll was for many years in the meat business in Wayne, and has a host of friends and acquaintances here. He visited here about five years ago, and since that time had the misfortune to be quite seriously injured while engaged about his farm, but he is looking pretty well for a man who was broken up as was reported to have been at that time.

Herman Mildner started for Omaha this morning.

Miss Maggie Davis of Carroll is visiting at Sioux City today.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Ley were passengers to Sioux City Wednesday.

Mr. Kostomlastky and family are moving into the Phil Kohl house this week.

L. W. Roe of this place and his brother, George E. Roe of Carroll are at Sioux City today.

H. E. Griggs returned Wednesday evening from a visit at his old home at Mapleton, Minnesota.

FOR SALE—8 head of good calves, baled alfalfa and baled wild hay. M. T. Munsinger.—adv. 4-2.

Miss Edna Bayless from Hoskins was a Wayne visitor over Sunday, a guest at the J. H. Massie home.

Leslie Rundell and his little sister are on the sick list at the home of their parents, Ralph Rundell and wife.

Miss Etta Platte of Crab Orchard, who went home at Christmas time, has returned to her studies at the Normal.

Frank Hatfield and wife have moved to Grimes, Iowa, where he will work with his brother, a painter and paper hanger.

Don't miss the big cookie sale Friday and Saturday at Rundell's. 25c grade fancy cookies at 18c. Cheaper than you can bake them.—adv.

George Noakes was here from the farm near Sholes the first of the week, and as the roads and trains were storm-stayed, he stayed also, until Tuesday.

Silk crepes, taffetas and fancy stripe silks—a new line and complete assortment, just received at the Mrs. Jeffries' Lady's Ready-to-Wear store.—adv.

Miss Pegri Sewell is at Lincoln today attending the sessions of the county superintendents who are assembled there. It is the regular annual meeting of these officials.

Glenn Wallace and wife came over from Norfolk the first of the week to visit with her parents, R. Hansen and wife. Mrs. Wallace remained until Wednesday evening.

Ernest Bichel was at Sioux City last week attending the tractor show, and returned home with a lot of enthusiasm about tractors, for he made a study of the different machines during the week and witnessed the method of handling them.

Ted Perry has closed a deal by which he becomes owner of the A. E. Laase 80 acres in the southeast part of Wayne or perhaps just outside the city, and adjoining land already owned by Mr. Perry. The transfer was made at \$225 per acre.

C. W. Duncan of this city is offering a fine residence for sale, midway between college and the business section of Wayne, and those seeking a place should see him before the next month is old, for he plans to go to the farm in the spring.—adv.

Mrs. W. P. Agler of LaPorte is reported ill, as is her brother, Mont Harman, of the same place. James Harman her brother drove over to see her Wednesday, and Mrs. A. D. Merriman, a niece of one and daughter of the other sick ones, went to remain and help care for them.

Hans Madsen from the Wakefield district has purchased the Elmer Noakes residence at Wayne and expects to move to this place between now and March 1st. They have a son now here, in charge of the Farmer's elevator, and a son and daughter attending school or college here, so the rest of the family may as well come also.

We are now showing Stetson spring hats. Drop in and see the new spring blocks. Morgan's Toggery.—adv.

Wm. Kugler, who moved to Wayne from his farm less than a year ago has purchased the Gus Johnson residence on east 7th street, and also a 5-acre tract from J. H. Massie across the street from the residence property, and will take possession about March 1st. The consideration was \$2,700 for the residence and \$1,800 for the land, a total of \$4,500.

J. L. Payne came from Wyoming last week to close up a deal for his Wayne property, and has sold the same to A. E. Laase, who is to take possession about March first. The consideration was \$5,000 which is no more than the place is worth. Mr. Payne likes his Wyoming home well, and says that himself and boys have each secured claims adjoining each other, and thus the Paynes own quite a tract in a body, and working together they are in shape to successfully handle a bunch of stock.

ORR'S CLEARANCE SALE

CLOSES SATURDAY, JANUARY 27th.

There are many real Bargains left to choose from, some of which you will find listed below

Ladies' Coats, out of season models, each - \$5.00

Children's and Misses' Coats at \$1.95 to \$3.95

Ladies' Skirts, One-Half off Regular Price

Blouses and Waists at Unusual Prices

All Knit Goods 25 per cent Discount

Furs at 50 cents on the Dollar

The ORR & ORR Co.

Wayne, Nebraska

Dan Davis of Carroll was a Wayne visitor Wednesday morning.

Before purchasing elsewhere see Mrs. Jeffries new line of silks.—adv.

The citizens of Wausa and vicinity are holding institute and short course there this week.

THANKS—I wish to thank the ladies and gentlemen for their kind assistance in helping to serve coffee and lunch at our sale January 19, which was very much appreciated and will ever be remembered.

Mrs. J. A. Romberg, Wakefield Nebr., Jan. 22, 1917.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Nuss were passengers to Sioux City this morning.

Miss Sadie Hamel of Sioux City came Tuesday evening for a visit with Miss Marguerite Chace.

Ladies are invited to visit the Mrs. Jeffries exclusive lady store before purchasing their spring skirts, waists and wraps—and save money.—adv.

Miss Amy Stocking from Glen-ocoe, Minnesota, has been secured to teach music in the public schools of Wayne and Wakefield, succeeding Miss Eva Graves, who was elected music teacher of the Capitol school at Lincoln. Miss

Stocking came Tuesday and has been making herself familiar with the work here, spending three days with Miss Graves, who will leave this evening for her new field of work. Miss Graves leaves many friends here, among both pupils and patrons.

Giving away—free sample package fresh granulated corn meal at The Wayne Roller Mill. W. R. Weber.—adv.

Henry Lessman is home for the rest of the week. He is on the federal jury, serving at Omaha, and expects to be finally released after next week.

POST-INVENTORY SALE

After taking inventory, we find a number of odds and ends left over from the enormous stock carried the year round. Below are a few of the many bargains we are offering. Come early. Don't miss seeing these values

Coats Must Go Now. None Reserved	
\$3.00 to \$4.00 Child's Coats	\$1.98
\$4.50 to \$6.00 Child's Coats	\$2.89
\$6.50 to \$8.00 Misses' Coats	\$3.98
\$8.50 to \$12.50 Ladies' Coats	\$4.78

Remnants at Less than Cost	
10c and 12c Laces and Insertions per yard	4c
15c to 35c Laces and Embroidery per yard	9c
50c to 60c Embroidery, Flouncing, etc., per yard	19c
60c 36-inch wool dress goods at	29c

We Can Save You Money On GROCERIES

Specials for Saturday			
6 Bars White Laundry soap for	25c	20c Cans Fancy Succotash at	12½c
30c Cans White Grapes at	18c	Early June Peas, 2 cans for	25c

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300 Pounds 25c grade

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Fresh Cookies

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Rundell

Legislative and State House News

Organized agriculture has captured Lincoln this week as never before and the hotels have been crowded with visitors from every part of the state.

Among the big news of the week was the annual election of officers for the state board of agriculture and the attendant defeat of Mellor for the position of secretary.

On Friday, the 19th, Governor Neville attached his signature to the first two bills to pass the legislature—those voting appropriations for the assembly and incidental expenses of the same.

There has been one death among the employes of this legislature, that of one of the old janitors who had served the state for a number of years, Mr. Alexander, who passed away very suddenly on Friday evening at his home in the south part of this city.

As this letter is written, the eleventh day of the session, there have been two hundred and seventy-four bills introduced in the legislature. Of this number two hundred and three have originated in the House.

Much ado was made by a certain brand of republicans over the governor's appointment of E. O. Mayfield to the position of member of the Board of Control when the nomination came before the senate.

One measure that has been up before previous sessions and which has again made its appearance in the present legislature, is that of extending the term of office for county officers to four years instead of two years as at present.

Two hundred feet of films made a merry blaze which frightened the audience at the auditorium, where G. E. Condra was exhibiting the resources of Nebraska.

Short-horn Bulls for Sale
Have 4 thoroughbred Short-horn bulls for sale—Good individuals and Choice Goods strain.

The Truth About Cancer
A valuable book giving a most comprehensive explanation of Cancer and its successful treatment without the knife will be sent free to anyone interested.

"Know the Unit"

"Know the unit." This is a hint the home economics department of the University of Nebraska offers to housewives who would buy economically.

For example, many Lincoln folks objected to a proposed raise of 1 cent in the selling price of the one-pound loaf. The loaf still sells for 5 cents, its size has been reduced so much that the consumer now pays 9 cents a pound for his bread.

Likewise, the housewife who hesitates to pay 40 cents a pound for fresh eggs (60 cents a dozen) often buys prepared breakfast foods at the rate of 40 cents a pound.

When the housewife stops to think after reading the above, if she does such a thing occasionally, she will realize that many things she buys are not as they once were.

Sheriff's Sale

By virtue of an Order of Sale, to me directed, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, upon a decree rendered therein at the October 1916 Term thereof, in an action pending in said Court wherein P. D. Corell was plaintiff and Cornelius McGreevey, Administrator of the Estate of Frank Ueding, deceased, Christine Ueding, Joseph Ueding, Sophia Ueding, Paulina Ueding, Ida Ueding, Antone Ueding, Minnie B. Reynolds, formerly Minnie B. Hamilton and the International Harvester Company, of America, a Corporation were defendants, I will, on the Twentieth day of February A. D. 1917 at one o'clock p. m. at the door of the office of the Clerk of the District Court of said County, in the Court House in Wayne, in said County, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit: The East Fifty (50) Feet of the West One Hundred (100) Feet of Lot One (1) in Block Seven (7) in the Original Town of Winside, East of the 6th P. M., Wayne County, Nebraska, to satisfy the aforesaid Decree, the amount due thereon being \$1831.25 with interest at 7 per cent from December 23, 1916 and costs and accruing costs.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska this 17th day of January A. D. 1917. George T. Porter, Sheriff of Wayne County, Nebraska.

An Hundred Years Old

This year will be the 100th year of the life of the American Sunday School Union, and plans are being made to properly observe the event. This is a non-d-nominal institution, and was founded in the city of brotherly love 100 years ago, and has been doing a mission work ever since.

A review of the results of the organization is summed up in the statement that they have organized and established 120,000 Sunday schools and enlisted millions of children in their schools. They now have more than 280 active agents at work in the different states.

FOR SALE

1915 3-speed Indian motorcycle, cheap if taken at once. See A. G. Grunemeyer.—adv. 52tf.

High Grade Short Horn Bulls

I have for sale three high grade yearling bulls, phone 212. L. M. Owen, Wayne, Neb.—adv. 31tf.

Get your sale bills printed at the Democrat office.—adv. tf

CONDENSED NEWS

Bear Creek, Wis., is excited following the discovery of a vein of silver by well drillers.

Wayne MacVeagh, attorney general in the cabinet of President Garfield died in Washington.

William Phillips of Massachusetts was nominated by President Wilson as assistant secretary of state to succeed John E. Osborne, resigned.

Three women were killed and six persons injured when an Illinois Central freight train struck a street car at Rockford, hurling the car into Kent creek.

Chairman Hinshaw issued a call for a meeting of the Prohibition party to be held in Chicago this week to plan a campaign for the election of a "dry" congress in 1918.

Four men in an automobile made a daylight raid on the First National bank at Harrah, Okla., held up the officers of the bank, and escaped with \$2,500 in currency.

According to a Berlin paper Prince Friedrich Sigismund and Prince Friedrich Leopold of Prussia have joined the German flying corps. They are cousins of the emperor.

Entangled in a fish net, the bodies of three men were found in McCullom's lake, a mile south of McHenry, Ill. The three were Al Mack, Julius Splitz and Charles Hollerbusch.

The sinking of the British warship Cornwallis by a submarine in the Mediterranean has been announced. A sea plane carrier also has been sunk. Thirteen men from the Cornwallis are missing.

The Baseball Players' fraternity has applied to the American Federation of Labor for a charter. The application will be considered at the next meeting of the executive council of the federation on Saturday.

A statement of terms from Germany and its allies at least as comprehensive as those set forth by the entente in replying to President Wilson's note is the next move hoped for in the peace negotiations.

C. C. Huddleston, wealthy lumberman of Huntington, W. Va., was shot and killed by Robert B. Franklin, a retail lumber dealer of Whitesburg, Ky., while riding on a Louisville and Nashville train near Hazard, Ky.

The Japanese battle cruiser Tsukuba was destroyed by an explosion in the harbor of Yokosuka. Fire on the Tsukuba caused the magazine to blow up. It is said that 153 members of the crew were killed and 157 injured.

The plant of the Canadian Car and Foundry company, near Kingsland, N. J., in which were stored hundreds of thousands of shells destined for the British government, was destroyed by a fire and a series of explosions. The loss may reach \$4,000,000.

Four hundred thousand pounds of powder was destroyed by fire and explosion at the Haskell (N. J.) plant of the Dupont Powder company. Only two men are missing. Twelve others were cut by flying debris. No estimate of the loss was obtainable.

Eugene Clancy, labor leader, convicted in the Indianapolis conspiracy cases, was liberated from San Quentin penitentiary upon order from the department of justice at Washington to attend the funeral of his sister in San Francisco. Clancy returned to the prison the same night.

Gatherings in all parts of the country may be able to listen to President Wilson's inaugural address on the morning of March 5 by long distance telephone. The inauguration committee took up with the telephone companies the feasibility of such an arrangement and it was pronounced quite possible.

Clothed with new powers for forcing a witness to testify, the house rules committee will call Thomas W. Lawson before it again this week and demand that he name the congressman who, he says, told him that a cabinet officer, a member of congress and a broker were in a conspiracy to make money in the stock market on official secrets.

Further successes by the Teutons on the lower line of the Sereth river, near its junction with the Danube, are partly offset by a Roumanian advance and the capture of trenches of the Austro-German forces along the Moldavian frontier. British troops have launched a new attack against Serre and gained a footing in one of the advanced German positions.

Oscar D. McDaniel of St. Joseph, former prosecuting attorney, who some time ago was acquitted of the charge of having murdered his wife, has been granted a commission as deputy sheriff that he might be fully equipped for an investigation of a clew pointing to the murderer of his wife. This clew will take him to Topeka this week, he said.

Frank Bopp, German consul general at San Francisco, and four of his attaches were found guilty by a jury in the United States district court of having violated the country's neutrality. All five were accused of having planned to blow up munitions plants in America and Canada, steamships carrying supplies to the entente allies, railroad bridges and military trains.

Harry K. Thaw, under indictment in New York together with two so-called bodyguards for an attack on Frederick Gump, Jr., a nineteen-year-old high school boy of Kansas City, in a New York hotel last Christmas, attempted suicide in a house in Philadelphia while the police were searching for him as a fugitive from justice. Thaw is reported resting easily in a hospital.

Party-Line Subscribers Are Urged to Hold the Telephone Only 5 Minutes



FIVE MINUTES is usually sufficient to complete an ordinary business or social transaction by telephone.

The telephone company saves work when party lines are "tied up" for long periods while people are talking; but such a policy is unfair to our other patrons.

It is not a kind act to compel your neighbor to wait more than FIVE MINUTES while you hold the line unless your conversation is very important. A call for a doctor or an important business transaction may be delayed.

"Do unto others as you would have them do unto you," is a good rule.



NEBRASKA TELEPHONE COMPANY

Order of Hearing and Notice on Petition for Settlement of Account

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

To all persons interested in the estate of William Wieland, deceased: On reading the petition of A. H. Brinkman Executor praying a final settlement and allowance of his account filed in this Court on the 22d day of January, 1917, and for distribution of the residue of the estate in his hands, it is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter may, and do, appear at the County Court to be held in and for said county, on the 16th day of February A. D., 1917, at ten o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Nebraska Democrat, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

James Britton, County Judge (Seal) 4-3t

Many Kiddies in Club Work

Some 2,222 Nebraska boys and girls in 25 towns took part in home-school garden clubs conducted by the agricultural extension service of the University of Nebraska in cooperation with the United States department of agriculture, with schools, and with the children's own parents last year.

An average profit of \$1.13 per 100 square feet, or almost \$500 an acre was made by kiddies whose financial statements showed balances on the right side of the ledger. Plans are being made to cooperate with additional towns desiring to take up the work next year.

Let the Democrat print it.

Commissioner's Proceedings

Wayne, Nebraska, January 16th, 1917. Board met as per adjournment. Present, George S. Farran, chairman and commissioner and P. M. Corbit, commissioner, and Chas. W. Reynolds, Clerk. Absent, Henry Rethwisch, commissioner.

Comes now James Baker, Justice of the Peace for Deer Creek precinct and appoints D. M. Davies constable for Deer Creek precinct, which appointment is duly approved.

Jorgen Nielsen is hereby appointed road overseer of district No. 37 and bond approved.

L. W. Alter is hereby appointed Justice of the Peace for Wayne, and bond approved.

Harry Brittain is hereby appointed overseer of road district

No. 46 and bond approved.

Contract between J. J. Williams, as County Physician, and the County of Wayne is hereby entered into. Martin Holst is hereby appointed overseer of road district No. 53 and bond approved.

Contract for the printing of legal blanks for the year 1917, is hereby entered into between E. W. Huse of the Wayne Herald and the County of Wayne.

Contract for the printing of stationery for the year 1917, is hereby entered into between Roy R. Peterson of the Winside Tribune and the County of Wayne.

On order of City Clerk for Wayne, the poll tax of \$2.50 for the year 1916 of O. N. Eicher is hereby stricken from the list.

On order of City Clerk the poll tax for the year 1913-1914-1915 of C. (Clyde) Duncan is hereby stricken from the list.

On order of City Clerk the poll tax for the year 1915 of Everett Hoguewood is hereby stricken from the list.

The poll tax of \$2.50 of A. B. McKibbin for the year 1916, which was paid under protest for the reason that he was not a resident of Wayne on the 1st day of April, is hereby refunded.

On order of City Clerk the poll tax for the year 1916, of A. B. McKibbin and A. E. Bressler is hereby stricken from the list. Poll tax of \$2.50 of Guy Meade for the year 1916 which, was assessed in Chapin precinct and road district No. 35 and paid under protest for the reason that he was

under arms as a soldier, is hereby refunded.

Board hereby transfers \$218.34 from the Advertising fund to the County General Fund.

Board hereby transfers \$1.84 from the County Board Fund to the County General Fund.

Board hereby transfers \$.55 from the County Sinking Fund to the County General Fund.

\$4000 00 is hereby transferred from the County General Fund to the County Bridge Fund.

Report of James Britton, County Judge, showing amount of fees collected by him for the quarter January 3rd 1917, amounted to the sum of \$463.76 and for the year 1916 of O. N. Eicher is \$1646.51, was on motion duly approved.

On motion it is hereby resolved that the contract for the printing of commissioner proceedings be let to the Nebraska Democrat and Wayne Herald at full legal rate, one-half to each paper.

On motion it is hereby resolved that the printing of the delinquent tax list, treasurer's statement and all legal notices, and other notices ordered published by the Board is let to the Wayne Herald and the Nebraska Democrat as follows:

Delinquent tax list at full legal rate, one-half to each paper, treasurer's statement full legal rate, one-half to each paper, all legal notices and other notices ordered published by the Board at full legal rate, one-half to each paper.

Whereupon Board adjourned to January 30th, 1917. Chas. W. Reynolds, Clerk.

HAVE YOU TRIED

A load of Coal from Fisher's yet? We handle all the good grades of both hard and soft coal. We keep it well screened and clean.

As we have our own delivery man and team we can deliver it when you want it and put it in good shape.

COUNTY TREASURER'S STATEMENT FROM JULY 1, 1916, TO JANUARY 3, 1917, INCLUSIVE.

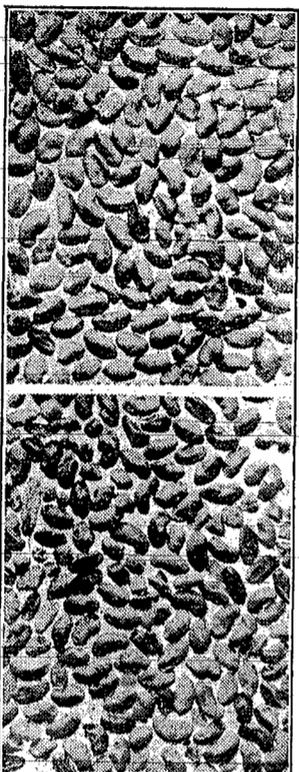
	On Hand	Collected	Paidout	Bal.
State Funds	1575.76	\$10472.73	\$11330.11	\$
Fee			718.38	
State Mtr. Veh. Fund.	15.05	160.65	175.70	
State school land interest.	138.75	262.30	397.04	
Fee			4.01	
Miscellaneous collections		6965.45		
Trans. to County General			1621.24	
Trans. to Bridge			49.00	
Trans. to Inheritance			929.50	
Trans. to School Bond			39.94	
Trans. to County Road			41.75	
Trans. to School			4284.02	
County General	11826.35	8644.14	15937.25	6825.96
Trans. from Misc.		1621.24		
Fees from other funds		4485.97		
Trans. to Jury			500.00	
Trans. to County Road			2500.00	
Fee			814.49	
Bridge	324.32	6651.29	5148.72	1311.23
Trans. from Misc.		49.00		
Emrg. Bridge	27.88	.50		28.35
Fee			.03	
County General Road	1596.17	3317.70	6767.34	403.59
Trans. from Misc.		41.75		
Trans. from County General		2500.00		
Fee			284.69	
Road Districts	7521.17	3317.70	7061.52	6374.37
Trans. from Poll Fund		2973.00		
Fee			375.98	
Poll Fund		2973.00	2973.00	
County Bond	1.64	.21		1.84
Fee			.01	
Soldiers Relief	221.19	241.99		457.38
Fee			5.80	
School Fund	26993.93	25740.23	30685.65	25735.72
Trans. from Misc.		4284.02		
Trans. from Supt. Levy		100.00		
Trans. from Fines		106.00		
Fee			802.81	
School Bond	9464.26	3108.09	2697.44	9844.32
Trans. from Misc.		39.94		
Fee			70.53	
High School	5855.90	1022.39	555.00	6286.97
Fee			36.32	
Supt. Levy	91.28	182.15		158.89
Trans. to School			100.00	
Fee			14.54	
Sinking Fund	.55			.55
Advertising	196.75	22.30		218.34
Fee			.71	
Redemption	54.63	1039.59	1028.97	65.25
Interest	352.41	704.77		
Trans. to all funds			1057.18	
Inheritance	814.76	929.50	1714.76	
Trans. from Misc.			69.34	
Motor Vehicle	2371.54	959.35	1586.36	1662.90
Fee			81.63	
Jury	54.20	500.00	505.60	48.60
Trans. from County General				
Special Road Old	2.84			2.84
Special Road 7, 12, 13	47.81			47.81
Special Roads	2143.47	1696.38	1356.78	2382.94
Fee			100.13	
Fines	106.00			
Trans. from Misc.		45.00		
Trans. to School			151.00	
Wayne General	262.35	2825.08	1800.00	1142.93
Fee			144.50	
Wayne Water Refund Bond	502.04	353.29		839.14
Fee			16.19	
Sinking Fund Water Refund bond.		135.51		132.27
Fee			3.24	
Wayne Light	151.58	1504.75	950.00	629.34
Fee			76.99	
Wayne Library	52.69	566.51	355.00	235.25
Fee			28.95	
Wayne Sidewalk	101.03	78.97	90.00	85.69
Fee			4.31	
Wayne Sewer No. 2	50.10	144.47	140.00	48.00
Fee			6.57	
Wayne Sewer No. 3	14.05	141.95	125.00	27.27
Fee			3.73	
Wayne Sewer No. 4	268.30	387.87	595.00	13.64
Fee			47.53	
Wayne Sewer Maintenance	70.98	377.68	275.00	154.36
Fee			19.30	
Wayne City Hall Bonds	849.87	283.34	450.00	668.73
Fee			14.48	
Sinking Fund City Hall Bonds		135.51		132.27
Fee			3.24	
Wayne Park	36.72	323.60	190.00	157.45
Fee			12.87	
Wayne Emergency Light	.90	.02		.11
Wayne Street Crossings	.05	.01		.06
Wayne Judgment	3.37	6.01		9.16
Fee			.22	
Wayne Water Extension	366.86	256.60	350.00	262.18
Fee			11.28	
Sinking Fund Water Extension		135.51		132.27
Fee			3.24	
Wayne Fire Equipment	32.62	280.98	180.00	119.21
Fee			14.39	
Winside General	786.12	453.55	750.00	469.24
Fee			20.43	
Winside Water Bonds	719.38	585.28	637.50	638.79
Fee			28.37	
Winside Light Bonds	413.22	433.84	665.00	164.49
Fee			17.57	
Winside Library	293.79	170.21	250.00	206.33
Fee			7.67	
Carroll General	8.20	535.71	250.00	274.28
Fee			19.69	
Carroll Water Maintenance	3.54	405.87	200.00	195.43
Fee			13.98	
Carroll Special Water	1526.64	48.66	1247.50	318.05
Fee			9.75	
Carroll Library	6.26	64.36	35.00	32.80
Fee			2.82	
Hoskins General	100.40	16.99		115.82
Fee			1.63	
Sholes General	29.07	87.28		103.16
Fee			4.19	
Wakefield Funds	55.92	118.12		169.41
Fee			4.64	
Estray Fund	6.00			5.86
Fee			.14	
	78500.97	106015.86	115215.84	69300.99
		78500.97	69300.99	
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State of Nebraska, Wayne County, ss:
 I, L. W. Roe, Treasurer of Wayne county, being first duly sworn, say that the foregoing is a just and a true statement of all money on hand, collected and disbursed by me as said treasurer of said county from the first day of July, 1916, to the third day of January, 1917, inclusive.
 L. W. ROE, County Treasurer.
 Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 15th day of January, A. D. 1917.
 (Seal) CHAS. W. REYNOLDS, County Clerk.
 County Commissioners of Wayne County.
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Scientific Farming

SELECTING ALFALFA SEED.

Variety, Source, Purity and Vitality Should All Be Considered. [Prepared by United States Department of Agriculture.]
 The following suggestions for selecting alfalfa seed for use by farmers east of the ninety-fifth meridian are made by H. L. Westover, scientific assistant of forage crop investigations, and H. B. Hendrick, assistant in agricultural education, states relations service:
 Alfalfa seed should be selected with considerable care. The variety, the original source of the seed, its purity and its vitality each should be considered. The principal commercial varieties of alfalfa grown in this country are the common or ordinary, the Turkestan and the Grimm. A large



HIGH GRADE AND LOW GRADE ALFALFA SEED.

percentage of the alfalfa grown in the United States is ordinary alfalfa. Where alfalfa has been grown under certain conditions for a considerable time there is a tendency through elimination to produce a type presumably best adapted to the conditions under which it was developed. Thus seed from various sources is frequently designated by the state in which it was produced. In sections where winter killing is not a factor the ordinary types are generally recommended in preference to the so called hardy alfalfas, as they generally produce somewhat heavier yields.

Seed production has not proved a profitable undertaking in the eastern part of the United States owing to the fact that the seed sets very sparingly under humid conditions. Occasionally when the weather is especially favorable fair crops have been secured, but the chances for a complete failure are so great that a farmer can hardly attempt to make a regular practice of attempting to produce seed. Consequently most places east of the ninety-fifth meridian must depend on distant sources for seed, in which case it is generally advisable to secure western American seed produced in about the same latitude as is the section where the seed is to be sown.

In this country the commercial Turkestan alfalfa has not proved a success. It is relatively short lived, not particularly hardy and recovers slowly after cutting, thus reducing the yield. It pays as a rule to buy the highest grade of seed, even though it is the highest priced. In the low grades of alfalfa the seed that will grow costs more per pound than that in the high grades. Samples from different firms should be compared, and the best quality of seed should be selected. Alfalfa seed may be considered good grade when it contains not more than 2 per cent of impurities and when 90 to 95 per cent of it will grow. It is well to order samples of seed from a reliable seedsmen the winter before it is to be sown and to test these samples care-

fully or have them tested for purity and germination. By securing samples of seed early one can have reasonable assurance of being able to secure seed from the sample which gave the most satisfactory results from the tests before all of the seed from such sample has been sold by the seedsmen. The hand lens will be found very useful in detecting dodder and other weed seeds. The general quality of undeteriorated seed can be estimated on the basis of color. Fresh seed is light olive green and gives a bright glossy surface when rubbed with the hand. Alfalfa seed which is of any shade of brown is questionable. One should not purchase seed when the sample contains any considerable percentage that is discolored.

Familiar, but Unseen. Things we see but don't notice were under discussion at the club luncheon table. This was the opportunity of the member who took pride in his superlative powers of observation. Talking from his note case a crisp one pound note, he laid it on a plate and offered its equivalent to every member at the table who could answer correctly the following simple every day questions: (1) On looking at the face of a penny with the dated side toward you and the date at the bottom, does the head of the image on the coin face toward your left hand or toward your right? (2) How many ribs are there in the cover of an umbrella? (3) In a pack of cards one of the kings has only one eye visible—that is, his profile only is portrayed—which of the kings is it? (4) Which way do the seeds in the core of an apple point, toward the stem or opposite to it? The one pound note did not change hands.—London Standard.

A Once Legal Fiction. In the legal calendar the 24th of October is worthy of notice, as on that day, in 1852, two individuals, though personally known to no one and enjoying an extensive reputation among lawyers, ceased to exist in England. These persons were John Doe and Richard Roe, and no two persons were more frequently referred to in legal documents. In every process of ejectment, instead of the real parties to the suit being named, John Doe, plaintiff, sued Richard Roe, defendant. Their names were also inserted in criminal proceedings. This fiction was introduced into English legal practice in the time of Edward III, in consequence, it was said, of a provision in Magna Charta which required the production of witnesses before every criminal trial, and henceforth John Doe and Richard Roe were inserted as the names of the alleged witness, a custom which was carried across the Atlantic to this country.—Indianapolis News.

A Well Hated Landlord. The most hated landlord in Ireland for the last 100 years, a miser known as "the parsimonious peer," was Hubert George de Burgh-Canning, marquis of Clanricarde. He was unmarried, and with his death the marquisate became extinct. His Irish estate extended from Athenry, in Galway, to Woodford, twenty miles southeast, and it was said that anywhere along this route could be obtained a story of tragedy in the land war. Time and again the aid of the forces of the crown in evicting tenants had been refused. He was never seen in a vehicle. He took daily walks to Regent's park. There, on a public seat, not one of the chairs, for which he would have been charged a small fee, would sit this owner of 60,000 acres watching the squirrels. He was a noted collector of china and pictures, of which he was a wise buyer.—Chicago Journal.

According to Degree. Horse breeding is an occupation which requires much learning, and a certain English farmer has a great reputation for his skill. A neighbor of his who sought some advice on the cheap, asked the horse breeder's son one day: "I say, Tommy, when one of your father's horses is ill what does he do?" "Do you mean just slightly ill or real bad?" was the lad's cautious counter-question. "Oh, seriously ill." "Well," said the boy, "if a horse is only just a little ill, dad gives it some medicine; but if it is seriously ill he sells it."

Sacrificed Their Hats. Many years ago the master butchers of Washington market, in New York city, used to kick their hats about the market at the close of business on Saturday night. Under the custom in the market it was considered a slighting of the profession for any butcher not to appear behind his counter with a high hat, and it was thought bad taste if the meat seller at the end of a prosperous week failed to destroy the hat. The apprentice butchers couldn't afford silk headgear and so used to gather up the broken hats and repair them for their own use.

All Pervasive. The teacher's last question was meant to be a scientific poser. "What is that which pervades all space," she said, "which no wall or door or other substance can shut out?" No one had an answer ready but Freddy Sharpe. "The smell of onions, miss," he said promptly.—New York Times.

A Ready Sealer. For traveling carry a candle with you, and when about to make a jump, as the theatrical people say, seal your bottles with it. It takes only a minute to light the candle, turn it upside down and let the tallow drip around the cork of a bottle, but it insures perfect carriage of the fluid content.

Told Him Truly. "Johnnie, how do you spell nickel?" the proud father asked. "N-i-k-k-e," responded Johnnie. "That is not the way the dictionary spells it," said the father. "You didn't ask me that. You asked me how I spelled it."—Exchange.

Heartless. "Why didn't Rastus marry dat Coon pah gal?" "Oh, she dun flunk at de last minute—wouldn't lend him a dollar fob t' git de license wif."—Boston Transcript.

THE FARM INVENTORY.
 Winter is the idle time on many farms, so why not take that farm inventory the first of the year and keep farm records for 1917? There are some very simple and excellent farm account books. A full account of receipts and expenditures is valuable, and a balance between these and the depreciation of stock, etc., is the only way to know whether the business is paying or not. Farm accounting is soon followed by records of production, and we find where the leaks are and can remedy them. It is good to know that we are making money, but it is still better to know what particular thing is making the money.

WINTER RHUBARB IN CELLAR.
 May Be Easily Forced Indoors For Home Table.
 Rhubarb may easily and cheaply be forced indoors in winter for the home table, and the crisp, delicious stalks are a welcome visitor at the home in the form of pie or sauce. It has been found best to bring the rhubarb into a dark and fairly warm cellar. Sometimes a corner of the cellar near the base of the chimney is just right. The clumps of rhubarb are dug from the garden in the late fall and allowed to remain outside until thoroughly frozen through. Then the clumps are brought into the cellar and set closely together on the floor or in a low, flat frame. A rich, sandy loam soil is now packed around the clumps.
 The temperature of the cellar should not fall below 55 degrees; if so, a lighted lantern with a blackened globe may be used to bring the temperature up to the right degree. Pots or tubs may be used for holding the rhubarb clumps if it is not feasible to put the roots directly on the cellar bottom or in frames. To encourage growth and prevent drying out the roots are watered occasionally. The absence of light prevents the growth of much leaf, and so the light pink stalks grow to good length with only a little green at the top. They are cut as wanted and make one of the best vegetables that can easily be forced in the cellar at slight expense. Farmers should try out this vegetable and see how easy it is to have rhubarb in winter or early spring.

A DURABLE WHITEWASH.
 The Way to Mix It Properly Described in Full.
 Whitewash is so commonly used around the farm that it is advisable to know just how to make it properly, says the Farm Progress. The following recipe for a cement whitewash is made use of by owners of cold storage warehouses who desire a snowy whitewash that dries quickly, adheres strongly to cement, brick or wood and does not rub off on the clothes.
 Shake one-half bushel of lime with boiling water, adding the water slowly and stirring constantly until a thin paste results. A five foot piece of three-quarter inch iron pipe makes a good rod for stirring. The lime will be lumpy if the water is added freely and the mass is not properly stirred. Add one-half peck of salt to the lime paste; stir thoroughly; add water to bring the whitewash to the proper consistency. Throw a good handful of Portland cement in each pail of whitewash and a teaspoonful of ultramarine blue. Add the cement and the blue powder just before the wash is to be used and stir in well, otherwise the whitewash will be streaked. The cement makes the whitewash adhere strongly to any surface, and the bluing counteracts the grayish color of the cement and results in a white appearance.

Value of Rye.
 Rye will thrive on acid or poor soils where wheat will not grow well and may be planted on any soil later than wheat. It makes one of the earliest spring pastures and is excellent as a green manure. These characteristics make rye an important factor in farm economy even in sections where its yield of grain is not as profitable as that of wheat.

Pasturing Corn.
 The pasturing of corn is especially applicable to semiarid regions. The dry soil is not injured by the animals, and very little corn goes to waste or spoils by coming in contact with the soil. The stalks are left in good shape to prevent the drifting of snow.

CUT TREES IN WINTER.
 Tree cutting should be done in winter. Timber dries slowly at this time of year, and there is little damage from season checking.
 Logs are handled economically in the winter months, points out Charles A. Scott, state forester of the Kansas State Agricultural college. A sled can be constructed on which four times as many logs can be hauled as on wheels.
 If logs or posts are cut in winter they become well seasoned before they are set, and proper seasoning is the most economical preservative treatment one can give to posts or poles.
 All the great industrial concerns, such as railroad, telegraph and telephone companies, that use enormous quantities of timbers, specify that they must be cut between Oct. 1 and March 1. Experience has shown that best results have been obtained by cutting at this time.

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Shoes Sayings

Joe Mattingly attended the sale at Carroll Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Schutt are rejoicing over a new girl at their home.

Charley Root has been kept in doors for the past several days on account of grip.

Harold Sears of Wayne came up Friday and is the guest of his sister, Mrs. A. Dempsey.

Lee Fitzsimmons was a Wakefield passenger Tuesday morning. He will visit his brother.

Mrs. M. A. King and children went to Randolph Saturday, and Mrs. King had dental work done.

Mrs. Tom Sundahl was quite ill and under the doctor's care last week, but is much better at this writing.

John McDonald was a Wayne passenger Monday afternoon. He will attend Normal for the rest of the school year.

Miss Loberg was a Wayne passenger Saturday. She is teaching at Four Corners this year and boarding with Mrs. C. A. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hall autoed to Wayne Friday to see Loraine who is staying for a while with her grandmother who is not at all well.

The Misses Dorothy Gibson and Ethel Burnham were visitors at the school Friday afternoon as examinations were being taken in Randolph.

The Shoes Candy Club had an initiation at the school house last Thursday after school and several were joiners. They expect another meeting soon.

Miss Myrtle McFadden visited with relatives and friends in and about Shoes for several days. She returned to her home in Shelly Saturday morning.

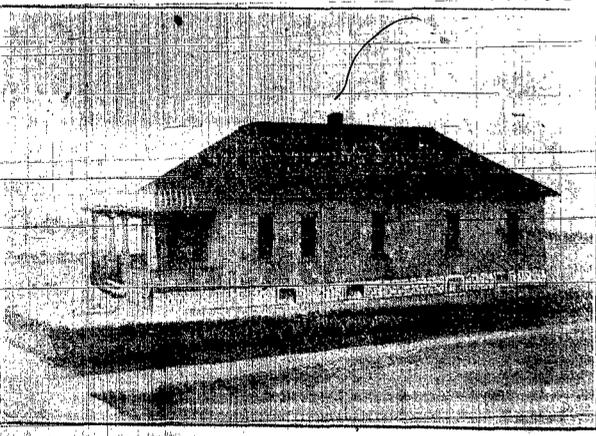
H. W. Burnhams entertained the Misses Monfort Thursday evening, and Mrs. Monfort came Saturday afternoon. They are distantly related to Mr. Aton, visiting from the west.

A large skating party was held Thursday evening on the Gubbel pond, and much sport was reported. Howard Shannon dressed as a tramp, created a little scare, but "no one" was scared.

Miss Lucile Warner went to Wayne Saturday afternoon for special work, and remained over Sunday with a friend, was snowed in and had to miss Monday. Miss Alice Root substituted for her, and Mrs. E. C. Bragonier substituted for Miss Beth.

Julius Chon returned Saturday evening from Brooklyn, Ill., where he had been to attend his father's funeral. He said his father's health had not been good for some time, but that he was up and about all the time, and the day he died, was in excellent spirits joking with members of the family and playing with the children. He got up to cross the room and fell when they reached him he was dead.

Two basket ball games were played at Wausa last Friday. The Boy scouts were defeated by the Wausa high school team by a score of 31 to 25. The M. W. A. team was defeated by the Wausa town team by a score of 27 to 13. The Wayne team played a fast game but the better team-work of the Wausa bunch defeated them.



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COMMISSIONER'S PROCEEDINGS.

Wayne, Neb., January 15, 1917.

Board met as per adjournment. All members present.
Report of Lambert W. Roe, county treasurer, showing amount of fees collected by him for the quarter ending September 30, 1916, amounted to the sum of \$9.50, was duly approved.
Report of Lambert W. Roe, county treasurer, showing amount of fees collected by him for the quarter ending January 3, 1917, amounted to the sum of \$23.00, was duly approved.
The board having carefully examined the books and vouchers of Lambert W. Roe, county treasurer, showing collections and disbursements from July 1, 1916, to January 3, 1917, both inclusive, and the board being fully advised in the premises finds that he collected as follows:

Collections.	
Taxes for the year 1916	\$57984.98
Taxes for the year 1915	19520.57
Taxes for the year 1914	364.74
Taxes for the year 1913	24.54
Taxes for the year 1912	1.09
Interest on school land	262.30
Redemptions	1039.59
Motor Vehicle	959.35
State Motor Vehicle	160.65
Miscellaneous	8651.42
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	\$88969.23
Balance on hand July 1, 1916	\$78500.97
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	\$167470.20
Disbursements.	
State Treasurer	\$11902.85
County General	14537.25
Treasurer's Salary	1000.00
Clerk hire	400.00
Excess Fees	1685.97
Bridge	5148.72
Road	6767.34
Road Districts	7061.52
School Fund	30685.65
School Bond	2697.44
High School	555.00
Redemption	1028.97
Special Roads	1356.78
Inheritance	1714.76
Motor Vehicle	1586.36
Jury	505.60
Wayne General	1800.00
Wayne Light	950.00
Wayne Library	355.00
Wayne Sidewalk	90.00
Wayne Sewer No. 2	140.00
Wayne Sewer No. 3	125.00
Wayne Sewer No. 4	595.00
Wayne Sewer Maintenance	275.00
Wayne City Hall Bonds	450.00
Wayne Park	190.00
Wayne Water Extension	350.00
Wayne Fire Equipment	180.00
Winside General	750.00
Winside Water Bonds	637.50
Winside Light Bonds	665.00
Winside Library	250.00
Carroll General	250.00
Carroll Water Maintenance	200.00
Carroll Special Water	1247.50
Carroll Library	35.00
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	\$98169.21
Balance on hand January 3, 1917	\$69300.99
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	\$167470.20

The funds of the county at close of business January 3, 1917, amounting to the sum of \$69300.99 are found to be deposited in the several banks of Wayne county, as follows:

Bank	Balance	Checks	Balance
First National Bank, Wayne	\$12565.05	\$ 261.72	\$12826.77
Citizens National Bank, Wayne	12315.10	56.95	12372.05
State Bank of Wayne	11116.58	1220.84	12337.42
Merchants State Bank, Winside	5334.07	567.85	5901.92
First National Bank, Carroll	5961.01	146.85	6107.86
Hoskins State Bank, Hoskins	4389.78	161.22	4551.00
Farmers State Bank, Altona	3052.68		3052.68
Farmers State Bank, Winside	5901.36	333.20	6234.56
Citizens State Bank, Carroll	3865.21		3865.21
Farmers State Bank, Hoskins	3799.04		3799.04
Wayne County Bank, Shoes	1001.11		-1001.11
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Outstanding Checks	\$69300.99	\$2748.63	\$72049.62
			2748.63
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			\$69300.99

Report of Lambert W. Roe, county treasurer, showing fees and commissions received by him as county treasurer for the year ending January 3, 1917.

Fees for the first quarter	\$ 16.00
Fees for the second quarter	16.50
Fees for third quarter	9.50
Fees for the fourth quarter	23.00
Commissions on the collections	4485.97
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	\$4550.97
Treasurer's salary for year	\$2000.00
Clerk hire	800.00
Excess fees	1685.97
Fees from fee book turned into miscellaneous fund	65.00
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	\$4550.97

Comes now Lambert W. Roe, county treasurer, and presents county treasurer's receipt showing the payment of the excess fees of \$1685.97 into the county treasury, all of which report was duly approved.

Whereupon board adjourned to January 16, 1917.—Chas. W. Reynolds, Clerk.

Wayne, Neb., January 16, 1917.

Board met as per adjournment. Present, Geo. S. Farran, chairman and commissioner and P. M. Corbit, commissioner, and Chas. W. Reynolds, clerk. Absent, Henry Rethwisch, commissioner.

Comes now James Baker, justice of the peace for Deer Creek precinct and appoints D. M. Davies constable for Deer Creek precinct, which appointment is duly approved.

Jorgen Nielsen is hereby appointed road overseer of district No. 37 and bond approved.

I. W. Alter is hereby appointed justice of the peace for Wayne and bond approved.

Harry Brittain is hereby appointed overseer of road district No. 46 and bond approved.

Contract between J. J. Williams, as county physician, and the county of Wayne is hereby entered into.

Martin Holst is hereby appointed overseer of road district No. 53 and bond approved.

Contract for the printing of legal blanks for the year 1917, is hereby entered into between E. W. Huse of the Wayne Herald and the county of Wayne.

Contract for the printing of stationery for the year 1917, is hereby entered into between Roy R. Peterson of the Winside Tribune and the county of Wayne.

On order of City clerk for Wayne, the poll tax of \$2.50 for the year 1916 of O. N. Eicher is hereby stricken from the list.

On order of City clerk the poll tax for the year 1913, 1914, 1915 for C. (Clyde) Duncan is hereby stricken from the list.

On order of city clerk the poll tax for the year 1915 of Everett Hogue-wood is hereby stricken from the list.

The poll tax of \$2.50 of A. B. McKibbin for the year 1916, which was paid under protest for the reason that he was not a resident of Wayne on the 1st day of April, is hereby refunded.

On order of city clerk the poll tax for the year 1916, of A. B. McKibbin and A. E. Bressler is hereby stricken from the list.

Poll tax of \$2.50 of Guy Meade for the year 1916, which was assessed in Chapin precinct and road district No. 35 and paid under protest for

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the reason that he was under arms as a soldier, is hereby refunded. Board hereby transfers \$218.34 from the advertising fund to the county general fund.

Board hereby transfers \$1.84 from the county bond fund to the county general fund.

Board hereby transfers 55c from the county sinking fund to the county general fund.

\$4000 is hereby transferred from the county general fund to the county bridge fund.

Report of James Britton, county judge, showing amount of fees collected by him for the quarter ending January 3, 1917, amounted to the sum of \$463.76 and for the year \$1646.51, was on motion duly approved.

On motion it is hereby resolved that the contract for the printing of Commissioner proceedings be let to the Nebraska Democrat and Wayne Herald at full legal rate, one-half to each paper.

On motion it is hereby resolved that the printing of the delinquent tax list, treasurer's statement and all legal notices, and other notices ordered published by the board is let to the Wayne Herald and the Nebraska Democrat as follows:

Delinquent tax list at full legal rate, one-half to each paper, treasurer's statement full legal rate, one-half to each paper, all legal notices and other notices ordered published by the board at full legal rate, one-half to each paper.

Whereupon board adjourned to January 30, 1917.—Chas. W. Reynolds, Clerk.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the warrants running to the parties and in the amounts herein shown, will be cancelled by the board of county commissioners of Wayne county, Nebraska, after this notice has been run four weeks, unless the parties to whom the money is owing or warrants are drawn will call and claim the same. These warrants represent the time from January 4, 1904 to January 4, 1917, or during the term of Chas. W. Reynolds as county clerk, for which claims were filed and allowed and warrants ordered, but the warrants were never called for, and are now more than six months old and must be cancelled if not claimed. The following warrants do not include any issued within the last six months.

Name	Date drawn	Amount
Mrs. Chas. Andrus, April 3, 1916		\$ 1.10
John Berriman, October 3, 1911		4.00
A. E. Boline, May 7, 1908		2.60
Rollie Beale, March 7, 1908		3.00
John Berriman, April 25, 1912		3.50
C. E. Conger, December 7, 1915		.50
C. E. Conger, March 6, 1916		.25
Hubert Criss, January 4, 1911		1.10
Mrs. May Davidson, March 8, 1910		2.90
William Denton, April 6, 1909		9.00
William Denton, January 7, 1908		4.50
Emil Erickson, January 7, 1908		3.00
Anna Eichoff, May 4, 1915		1.10
Mrs. F. Eichoff, May 4, 1915		1.10
Margret Eichoff, May 4, 1915		1.10
E. C. Evans, January 12, 1909		4.50
Evan T. Evans, May 8, 1908		3.00
E. Hunter, April 5, 1910		2.20
Chris Hansen, June 4, 1907		3.00
August Hanson, February 3, 1914		1.75
Roscoe Jones, March 6, 1916		1.00
Emanuel Johansen, January 7, 1913		2.00
J. P. Jensen, January 10, 1906		.54
Otto H. Kruger, May 7, 1912		1.00
John Lawson, December 3, 1907		1.25
Fred Larsen, April 6, 1909		1.10
Frank Longe, May 2, 1916		5.10
Minnie Moratz, April 4, 1911		1.00
William Mittelstadt, January 7, 1908		3.00
Lue McCoy, November 49, 1909		1.10
Mrs. McNally, sr., April 3, 1916		1.00
Mrs. McNally, jr., April 3, 1916		1.00
William McIntyre, April 4, 1911		3.50
Charles McIntyre, May 7, 1912		1.00
Ed Nissen, July 3, 1916		3.50
Rose O'Donnell, April 3, 1906		2.00
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Carson Puhls, April 5, 1904		2.00
Henry Puhls, April 5, 1904		2.00
Fred Peterson, April 3, 1906		.27
Hans Roshmann, November 17, 1908		2.60
Ed Reech, April 6, 1909		1.10
Raymond's Drug Store, October 3, 1911		.75
School District No. 73, April 1, 1913		12.00
Ernest Saxon, January 4, 1911		3.00
School District No. 24, December 4, 1912		6.00
James R. Stucker, January 31, 1911		2.32
School District No. 13, June 1, 1915		6.00
School District No. 79, May 4, 1915		6.00
C. Templin, Justice of the Peace, February 3, 1914		5.60
Christ Thompson, May 7, 1908		2.50
S. J. Thompson, October 7, 1913		4.00
S. Willis, January 2, 1905		17.50
Mrs. Carl Wittenburg, May 7, 1912		1.00
Henry Wesselschmidt, April 1, 1913		3.70
John Wendt, January 4, 1911		4.30
Harold Williams, December 7, 1915		1.00
William Witt, December 11, 1911		.50

Witness my hand and seal this 4th day of January, A. D. 1917.
(Seal)
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CHAS. W. REYNOLDS,
County Clerk.