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GREAT TEACHER MEET HERE

Next Week Wayne will Entertain the Teachers of North Nebraska, and the Teachers will Entertain Wayne with the Best Talent of the Profession

To many citizens of Wayne the coming teacher meet promises to be a rare treat. Naturally in this home of a state normal many of the citizens feel an unusual interest in educational matters—that is why many of them came here. The executive committee in charge of the coming meeting have spared no pains to make this meeting one of profit and interest to all.

Superintendent Fred L. Keeler of Michigan and our own state superintendent, it is learned at a late hour, cannot be here on account of sickness. But able talent has been secured to fill their place. Professor George J. Miller, head of the Department of Geography at the Minnesota state normal school is to be here. He is recognized as a man of letters in all states. He is to be heard Friday morning. Professor Clark Persinger appears at the general session Friday afternoon, and at different times he will appear before the different sections.

Superintendent M. G. Clark of the Sioux City school will speak before the English section Friday afternoon. Miss Grace Miner of Omaha will speak before the primary section, and give a talk on story telling. A. C. Huff will tell of his special work in penmanship. He is from Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and will address the grammar section. Following is the program of the general sessions:

Friday, March 30, 8:45 a. m.

Violin Solo, Miss Beatrice Miller, Battle Creek.

Invocation, Reverend S. X. Cross, Wayne.

Welcome to Wayne.

Welcome to State Normal, President U. S. Goss.

Educational Pageant, Wayne State Normal Training School.

Address: "Waiting on Father and Mother," Professor Clark E. Persinger, University of Nebraska, Lincoln.

Vocal Duet, Misses Grace Hunter and Beryl Tubbs, Norfolk.

Address: "Two Plus Two Equals Seven," State Superintendent W. L. Clemmons, Lincoln.

Music, Wayne Normal Quartet.

Address: "Constructive Teaching," Professor George J. Miller, Mankato Normal, Mankato, Minnesota.

Friday, March 30, 8:06 p. m.

Miss Louise LeBaron and Mr. Walter Wheatley in Joint Recital and Grand Opera Scenes.

Costumes and scenery.

Saturday, March 31, 8:30 a. m.

Invocation, Reverend A. S. Buell.

Concert Music, Pupils of Wayne Public Schools.

Address, Dr. D. L. Coffman.

Business Session.

The County Superintendent section will be held Thursday, March 29th, at 4 o'clock in lecture room Science hall; Superintendent Allen S. Stinson, of Center, presiding.

Superintendent N. A. House of Madison, G. S. Kirsch of Springfield; Minnie B. Miller, O'Neill; Pearl Sewell of Wayne; Edith Bowler of Bassett; Hazel Sloniger of Butte; Lettie Scott of Pierce; Emma Miller of West Point; Olah B. Olson of Stanton; Ray C. Chase of Ponca; Carrie J. Kellner of Pender; Florence Alderman of Burwell; C. A. Mohrman of Neligh; Lennie Morris of Ainsworth; and Edith Wirsin of Taylor are to have place on the program.

Superintendent and Principal sections will be held in the Administration building room 211, and Superintendent J. M. Showalter of Norfolk is to preside.

The Science and Mathematics section will meet in Science building, and C. F. White of Wisner will preside. Professor George Miller of Mankato is to have a part in the sessions, and Professors G. Wright and H. H. Britell of the Wayne normal and others.

Industrial and Vocational Training section will be at room 214 of the Administration building with F. H. Price of Neligh presiding.

Miss Melzina Waters of Norfolk will preside at the Geography and Agriculture section. Here Clark E. Persinger will give 30 minutes to Brazil, illustrated, and George J. Miller and Dean H. H. Hahn

have places on this program.

E. M. Short of Madison is to preside at the Grammar section, which will meet in music room 232 of the Administration building, and many questions of interest will be ably discussed.

English and History section meetings will be held in the Administration building, and Superintendent F. F. Gordon of Emerson is to preside. Both Superintendent Clark and Professor Persinger are slated to have a part in these meetings.

Florence A. Hoy of Bloomfield will preside at the Primary section in room 224 of the Administration building, and Miss Grace Miner of Omaha is to aid in the program here.

Administration building, room 221, will be headquarters for the Rural section, and Emma Schwerin of Cedar county will preside. J. J. Coleman and A. V. Teed of the Normal are among those who will entertain and instruct here.

The Grand Concert

Joint Recital of Grand Opera Scenes and Old Favorite songs before the North Nebraska Teacher's Association on March 30 at 8:15 p. m. in the Wayne Normal Auditorium. Below is a short summary of the artists who present this program.

Louise LeBaron proudly asserts that her art is "made in America" and has won success and distinction in her own country with all the study and foundation necessary for a career gained here.

Because of this vocal endowment Miss LeBaron was advised to study Grand Opera roles, and this was accomplished in New York City, with the very best of operatic coaching in the respective traditions.

Miss LeBaron's first opportunity was with the Castle Square Opera Company, in Boston, and later singing at the Boston Opera House appearing in all the leading contralto and mezzo-soprano roles, and becoming a great favorite with that exacting public.

There is a sense of sureness in the most difficult passages that is electrifying in its effect upon the audience. The surprising brilliancy of her upper tones enhancing this, causes many to declare her voice to be a dramatic soprano. However, suffice it to say that there is a rare voice and personality.

It was while Madam Nordica was on one of her western trips in America that Walter Wheatley was brought to her notice as a young tenor likely to be heard from. Up on her advice, Mr. Wheatley went to Paris for operatic coaching, and within one year from the time he left America, was singing leading tenor roles in Grand Opera at Covent Garden, London, an achievement quite remarkable for a young singer.

The result of these successful appearances, lead to his engagement to create the leading roll in a new Italian opera at Lugano. A season at the Teatro del Croso, Bologna, was marked with one triumph after another. From Bologna, Mr. Wheatley returned to Covent Garden, to fulfill his fourth Royal Grand Opera Season there, and signed a contract for the Century Opera Company, New York, for the 1913-14 season, which brought him back to his native shores, where, he held the record of all the principal singers of that organization, giving 101 performances of 22 different operas.

Mr. Wheatley believes in the musical future of the west, and is backing his opinion by residing in the west.

Professor J. J. Coleman and also Professor A. V. Teed, who have heard the artists engaged for Friday evening of next week agree that they were considered high class, and were very much enjoyed. Professor Coleman says that he considers them the best he ever heard, except Madam Schumann-Heink and Gadecki.

Admission To Meetings

Declamatory Contest

Afternoon.....35c

Evening.....35c

Afternoon and evening.....50c

Membership certificate.....\$1.

This admits to all sessions of the Association including the concert, but does not include the Declamatory Contest on Thursday afternoon and evening. Many citizens should get the Membership certificate and attend as many sessions possible. See announcement of talent.

Paving Sentiment Grows

E. W. Huse, member of the Public Service committee who thinks we should pave has been out asking those who favor the establishment of a drainage system and paving to sign a petition, has had pretty fair success, considering that he has had but little time to give to the work. Below we give a list of the signatures obtained. It is a time when all feel the need of both a proper drainage system and paving.

E. W. Huse, F. E. Gamble, C. A. Chace, W. D. Redmond, W. H. Gildersleeve, C. H. Bright, J. H. Wendte, Rollie W. Lev, S. R. Theobald, F. G. Philleo, H. B. Craven, W. L. Gaston, H. C. Henney, J. G. Mines, C. A. Orr, V. A. Senter, S. D. Relyea, Wm. Dammeyer, H. F. Wilson, H. S. Ringland, John T. Bressler, C. E. Carhart, A. B. Carhart, Chris Wischhof, Herman Lundberg, A. D. Erickson, H. B. Jones, P. H. Meyer, F. S. Morgan, R. B. Judson, Fred L. Blair, G. A. Wade, E. O. Gardner, J. G. W. Lewis, James Britton, Emil Hanson, A. R. Davis, Paul Harrington, L. A. Fanshe, F. H. Jones, Dr. H. Cunningham, J. J. Ahern, H. H. Roberts, J. C. Nuss, S. A. Lutgen, Homer S. Scafe, R. N. Donahev, W. A. Truman, J. E. Hufford, W. L. Fisher, J. M. Ahern.

The property owners along Pearl street have the fever, and are out with a paper and securing signers for a paving district of several blocks along that street, probably from Second street to the north side of the court house square at least, and possibly to 8th or 9th street.

Wednesday another petition was started by property owners of Logan street, and it was receiving hearty support as far as it got. The sentiment is in favor of paving, and it is safe to predict that within a very few seasons Wayne will have a large paved district.

The Trains and the Water

Wednesday morning east bound passenger was the last train to get over the rails between here and Wakefield and they had to run for some distance over a submerged track. The great fields of snow for 25 miles or more to the north drain this way, and the snow was unusually heavy and very wet. When the thaw began the water raised rapidly, was soon out of the beds of the streams and over the bottom lands. As the thaw continues there will be no relief until the snow is gone. It is well away here, and is disappearing above, but the water has not passed, and it is doubtful if it subsides so the track may be repaired to resume trains before Friday or Saturday. It is possible that some transfer may be made soon to a train this side and thus get mail and passengers over.

The Logan opposite Wayne went out of banks and over the bottom land Tuesday night, and is now but getting nicely back. Our train service has been according schedule on the branch, and the branch crews and trains have been sent to Norfolk at least one train a day, and we may expect to get some mail from that way now that it is known that it must be routed that way to reach Wayne and the Bloomfield line towns.

Country Club Organizes

At a meeting of the members of the Wayne Country Club at the city hall Friday evening the organization was completed or made permanent. A. R. Davis presided and Rollie Ley acted as secretary. After articles of incorporation were read and adopted the following were elected as a board of directors:

For the three-year term, C. M. Craven, C. H. Fisher, and J. T. Bressler; two-year term, J. W. Jones and J. J. Ahern; one-year, H. S. Ringland and A. R. Davis.

After some discussion of by-laws A. R. Davis, J. J. Ahern and C. M. Craven were named as a committee to draft the by-laws and present them at a meeting to be held at the A. R. Davis office Friday evening.

The board of directors elected J. T. Bressler president, C. M. Craven vice-president, Frank Morgan secretary and Rollie Ley treasurer.

Advertised Letter List

Letters—Henry and Jones, Mrs. Mable Lincoln, The Wayne Machy. Mfg. Co.

C. A. Berry, Postmaster.

School Garden or Garden School

The editor is going to write a few lines about this subject and while not yet very well informed as to details, he is for it. The name is good—object sought to be attained is worthy. There is a chance to have a better supply of garden "truck" in Wayne, and so we are for it.

Preacher Gaston preached a sermon about it, and we missed that. Professor Pugsley of the state agricultural department, the head man, made two talks here and showed a lot of pictures to the pupils and patrons of the schools, at the Crystal in the afternoon, and at the school house in the evening. Missed the whole bunch—but have been reading some, and had a few minutes private talk with the professor and here is the idea we got:

In the first place the work is to be voluntary on the part of the children, unless the parents take the matter of force in their hands. Second, the boy or girl wins—credits for work completed, and it may be better than studying to some. The proceeds of the toil belong to the little fellow who does the work.

The head of the local move is to be a supervisor approved by the members of the board of education and usually paid by them from public funds. Under the supervisor comes the group leaders, who volunteer their services, and will perhaps be paid by members of their group in garden stuff if the members are generous. The leader's duties are to direct the work under the rules of the supervisor, visit the garden of each member of the group at least once a week, aid the members in getting their record right, and be a sort of a "god father" to the bunch.

Now we come to the pupils. They are to do the work—tickle the earth and pull the weeds, watch things grow and harvest at the appointed time and reap the reward. Each one is to have a garden plot allotted of not less than 100 square feet, and as much larger as the combined wisdom of the leader and the pupil may determine. The pupil is to furnish tools and seed, under advice of the powers above as to the best varieties of seed, etc. A report must be kept of the time engaged at the work, the cost of seed, tools and fertilizer, and the plowing or spading or work which must be hired. On this report depends the school credits one may receive besides each one will want to know what his crop costs in labor and money and its value, in order to find out whether or not it pays to garden.

The groups are composed of from 8 to 12 pupils of about the same age, and both boys and girls; the group being formed with the idea of groups of older or younger students together, and probably their gardening will be directed as to what is to be grown, partly, at least, by the age of the group members.

It has been found more profitable to have the students in the main part, grow something which may be canned and thus be in shape to market; rather than glut the market with a surplus of radishes, lettuce, and the like, which have no market value because everyone grows their own when any can be grown. Peas, beans, corn, tomatoes, and the like are the best for the purpose of canning, and that brings us to the next step.

At the school building arrangements are made in the domestic science department to have the products canned in a manner that will make them of uniform quality and of certain standard. In this manner the product will find an easy market, and in fact we heard one of our merchants almost bid for the output for his patrons already.

With a uniform lot of seed to produce a crop which will mature at practically the same time and thus be ready for canning in quantities that will make the canning economical the work becomes standardized much as it is in communities where they grow crops for commercial canning factories.

Of course there must yet be a head to the local head to make the matter still more uniform. This is supplied by the state. Experts are employed to direct and advise with the local supervisor and the leaders. He will direct the preparation of the seed bed, the harvesting, the canning and aid in marketing the product. When needed he may be called and will consult with the

pupils and local supervisor and leaders. All pupils are to be provided with lessons on the subject of gardening, blanks for their records, and other information.

Wayne will act in the matter and at once. At a meeting of the school board last evening the vote was unanimous to begin the work, and the hearty co-operation of the teachers and citizens is also assured, and the pupils are much enthused. Following the meeting of the school board a meeting was had at the library where representatives of the different women clubs and a committee from each was named to aid in the work.

Of the satisfaction given by the plan it is only necessary to say that of all Nebraska towns which undertook the work last year but one has failed to plan to continue it again. More than 2,200 were thus employed last season, who completed the work and made their reports.

Arrangements will be made later for judging the work and prizes offered for the best results.

Accidents Happen

Tuesday evening while coming in with his section crew from east of Wayne Herman Sund was thrown from the car when it struck some obstruction on the rail, falling in front of the car, it passed over him, bruising him severely about the head and shoulders. No bones were broken so far as can be learned, and as he continues to improve slowly it is hoped that no serious internal injuries were sustained. It might easily have proven fatal.

While making taffy Tuesday evening, Mrs. Albert Bastian had the misfortune to spill some of the hot syrup on her hand, making a deep burn. The hand has been dressed and is doing nicely.

Tuesday morning Mrs. Herman Lundberg was rinsing out a few pieces of washing, and turned the juice onto the electric wringer and then in some manner allowed the rolls to catch both hands at once, thus making it impossible to release the tension on the machine. She quickly pulled the left hand out, which was not in quite as far as the other, and released herself, but not until the right hand was drawn in to the end of the fingers. The fingers on both hands are badly bruised, but no bones are broken. Her finger ring cut in to the bone when withdrawing her hand, and had to be cut to remove it. She is not now suffering much pain, but cannot use either hand, probably will not be able to for several days.

Candidate Carhart Resigns

The many friends of C. E. Carhart were sorry to learn that he has declined to remain a candidate for mayor on the Municipal Improvement ticket. But we must concede him the right to the final say in the matter.

Who Wants an Office or Shop

Arrangements might be made to lease a room on Main street suitable for office or shop for light work, if person desiring such place will consult the Democrat.

Pure Bred Stock Breeders Meeting

On March 14th, a number of the breeders of pure bred stock of Wayne County and vicinity met at the Wayne city hall to organize a pure bred association. After a discussion of the needs and benefits that would be gained by such an organization a temporary organization was formed. Mr. H. J. Miner as chairman and V. L. Dayton Secretary. Another meeting was called for Tuesday, March 27, at 2 p. m. to complete a permanent organization. It was the unanimous opinion of all present that an organization of this kind was much needed, that cooperation among the breeders would create a feeling of rivalry whereby the present breeders would feel the need of purchasing better animals, and keeping them in better condition, thereby rendering better service to their customers and finally eliminating the scrub animal which oftentimes goes out for breeding purpose simply because a pedigree can be furnished.

It is requested that all breeders of pure bred live stock make a special effort to attend the March 27th meeting, when we will elect officers for the permanent organization and adopt by-laws and constitutions. Several questions of interest are to be discussed and if you have any question or suggestions to make, be there with them and help get this organization started off in good shape. This means an invitation to everyone in the vicinity that breeds pure bred horses, cattle, sheep, hogs and poultry. Don't think just because you are small in the business you are not needed, but be there.

H. J. Miner, President.
V. L. Dayton, Secretary.

The Latest News

Owing to the sinking of three American freight ships by the German subs, a state of war practically exists between this country and Germany, though not formally declared. Defensive measures are going rapidly forward, and the President has issued a call for Congress to assemble in extra session Monday, April 2nd, when the situation will be placed before the house and senate for their action.

The suspension of the mails from east Wednesday leaves us without other information, tho it is probable that nothing more serious has occurred, or it would have been sent by telegraph or wireless.

12-Room Modern House For Sale

I wish to sell my large Wayne residence in west part of city. One quarter block, fruit, cistern, garage, soft water in house, 2 baths, a strictly modern home at a bargain price and reasonable terms. Mrs. Emma Baker, owner, Phone Black 167.

James Stanton and his son Matt, returned from Omaha, arriving here by team from Wakefield this morning. The young man has been at an Omaha hospital for treatment and some minor surgical operation. He is doing nicely, but the trip was a little hard on him in such roads.

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March 30 and 31

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Jessie E. Grace

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Auctioneer W. H. Neely was an Omaha visitor Monday.

Fred Benshoof was looking after business in Iowa the first of the week.

Miss Elnora Cook returned to Omaha Monday after a visit with home folks here.

Revival meetings are under way at Hartington, and beyond a doubt they need 'em as we all might.

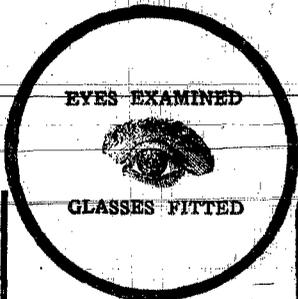
James Stanton came down from Carroll the first of the week, the snow blockade having been lifted.

S. D. Relyea was at Sioux City the first of the week to visit his daughter, and look after some matters of business.

George Farran was here from Winside Sunday afternoon to visit at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Chas. Farran.

At a sale of Shorthorns at Hartington last week the average for fifty head was \$200. The top was a cow at \$255. The top bull sold at \$255.

Potatoes are quoted at \$1.00 per bushel in Canada, but that is too far from a Nebraska table. We should raise more potatoes in Wayne and less weeds. Join the garden brigade.



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Over State Bank

Wayne, Neb.

J. H. Foster was looking after business matters at Sioux City Monday and Tuesday.

The latest in spring skirts, suits and coats, may be seen at Mrs. Jeffries' store for ladies.—adv.

Mrs. Will Benson and baby went to Waterbury Friday to visit at the home of Mrs. Benson a week or two.

Beautiful Bates County. Missouri, corn, clover and blue grass farms for sale; write for free booklet. Charles R. Bowman, Butler, Mo.—adv. 1tf.

O. C. Starr, who has been visiting at the home of E. L. Jones and wife, his daughter, and doing a bit of painting here, returned to his home at Tabor, Iowa, the first of the week.

O. N. Eicker was called to Ponea the first of the week to clean the paper on the rooms of the hotel at that place. He had been there before, and was called back when they needed more work in his line.

The girls of West Point are starting a good work in moving to secure a public library at that place. The Girl's Culture club is the name of the power which is pushing the good work.

Over at Stanton they are taking steps to form a country club, and 86 people had signed for membership. They have engaged an expert to lay out golf links for them. Well, Stanton will soon be dry, and the fellows will need some sort of amusement; and golf will furnish a lot of it.

SALESMAN WANTED—Lubricating oil, grease, specialties, paint. Part or whole time. Commission basis until ability established. Permanent position and wide field when qualified if desired. Man with rig preferred. Deliveries from Omaha station. Riverside Refining Company, Cleveland, Ohio.—adv. pd.

Friday afternoon six young people left here for Tekamah, delegates from the Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church to the district Endeavor convention to be held at that place from Friday evening until Sunday. They were Byrle Maxwell, Joe Ringland and Misses Elizabeth Mines, Ruth Ingham, Wilma Gildersleeve and Genevieve Roberts. They were expecting a fine time.

The news that a general railroad strike will begin on Saturday night for the moment takes the eyes of the American people from the struggle in Europe, and the prominence of their participation in it. The decision of the leaders to begin industrial war at this time will prove the greatest blunder American labor has ever made. The people will not discuss the rights and the wrongs involved. It is necessary for the safety of the country to continue the operation of the trains. They will continue to be operated—if not by the men now manning them by other crews hastily gathered and fully protected in this patriotic service. The real "scab", as the country will almost universally see it, is the man who deserts his job in this crisis and turns the transportation systems of the country over to disorder. The real patriot is the man who decides to stick to his post without haggling for terms until his country is no longer in danger.—State Journal.

The time will soon be here when the pocket gophers will be throwing up mounds and doing their usual amount of damage. It is at this time that poison works most effectively. The gophers have come through the winter with their storehouses about depleted and at this time of year there is not much good food which they can find. For this reason they seem to eat any kind of poisoned bait better. A little strychnine in a small potato, piece of carrot or apple. In some instances an automobile backed up to a gopher runway, a hose from the exhaust inserted and the engine run for a few minutes, has proven effective. In order to make a thorough cleanup of a field it is best to harrow or drag down all the mounds, and the following evening go out and find the runways between the fresh mounds with a wagon rod or pointed stick, inset two or three pieces of poison, close the hole and brush down the mound. If this is done for a few evenings it will surprise you the way the gophers will disappear, with only a little time and effort expended. How do we know? We tried it on two fairly good sized fields last year, failed to see a single gopher throw up a new mound after the poison was inserted, and these fields were practically free from gophers during the entire season. Of course, they travel from other fields back into a field and one has to keep doing this every year unless his neighbors will also poison their gophers.



Spring Clothes are ready--Spring days are coming

and every man who is at all interested in his appearance should take time right now to select his spring outfit for half of the pleasure of new clothes is in being the first to wear a new suit.

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While Hart Schaffner and Marx clothes cannot be considered expensive, nevertheless it is possible to buy makeshift apparel very much cheaper. Therefore the man who wears Hart Schaffner and Marx clothes shows that he considers himself worthy of the best—and also insures permanent satisfaction.

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the most exacting taste await your early visit

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"Style Plus" \$17 Clothes are superior to any at that price--we are showing new spring styles.

Pinch Backs--the young man's suit.

WE WILL BE GLAD TO TAKE EGGS SAME AS CASH

Gamble & Senter

Ralph Rundell spent part of last week at Omaha attending the meeting of Nebraska retail merchants at that place. He returned Friday.

A Hartington man was fined \$100 for furnishing liquor to a habitual drunkard, and the fine was not collected, if he don't do it again. Should have collected it and doubled the dose for the next time.

In Cumby county the farmers are agitating the question of a county fair, and using the papers to tell their story. The Democrat would be pleased to have some of the Wayne county farmers talk thru its columns. We should have a county fair here, and with proper unity of work we can have.

C. R. Penny and wife were called to their old home at Tabor, Iowa, last week by word that the lady's father, John Omer, was ill with pneumonia. They have been living near Wayne for a season or two, and were in the act of moving to a farm in the vicinity of Dixon, and had their goods partially loaded for the trip when the summons came. Mr. Omer has frequently visited at Wayne, and has numerous acquaintances here who hope that he rallies from his illness.

At Hartington they are planning to have but one ticket in the field if they can satisfy those who want office to permit the caucus to settle the matter. Here we have been running on that plan for a number of years, but this year there will be two tickets in the field, and an election instead of simply a few votes to ratify the work of the slate-makers. The move started here two years ago for a second party, but this year is the first time the new party has reached the ticket making stage.

Ed Thompson from Sturges, South Dakota, was in the market with cattle from his ranch near that place last week, and stopped here to visit relatives and friends while on his way home. He paid the Democrat a friendly call. He reports that his country is prosperous, and the people doing well. He has been away from Wayne for the past thirteen years, and feels quite like a stranger here, except when he can meet a bunch of old-timers. He spent part of his time at the home of his father and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Madson.



THE STEEL FRAME on this oil stove is strong and durably made, handsomely japanned and ornamented. The legs are cast iron. The top is a generous size, and the burners are far enough apart to permit the use of large cooking utensils. White splashes improve the appearance of the stove and are sanitary.

Two Burner Clark Jewel Oil Cook Stove	\$10.00
Three Burner Clark Jewel Oil Cook Stove	13.00
Four Burner Clark Jewel Oil Cook Stove	17.50

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ROLLIE W. LEY, Cashier

C. A. CHACE, Vice-Pres.
H. LUNDBERG, Ass't. Cashier

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. McKinzie of Carroll was Wayne visitor Monday.
 Carl Tompson and his daughter, Miss Anna were visitors at Omaha Tuesday.
 Mrs. Snyder of Oakdale spent Monday afternoon at Wayne while returning from a visit at Wausa.
 Miss Anna Studts was a Sunday visitor with home folks at Madison, Ang over Saturday night and returning Monday morning.

Rev. Chas. Leepers of the Hartington Presbyterian church has accepted a call to go and preach at Artesian, South Dakota.

W. Davis from Blencoe, Iowa, returned home Friday, after a short visit here at the home of his brother, A. R. Davis and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hoshaw from Sioux City returned to their home Sunday afternoon after a visit at the home of his brother, Ira Hoshaw.

Rev. Dilly and wife of Carroll joined Rev. W. L. Gaston and wife here Monday morning on a trip to Norfolk to attend a church meeting of some kind.

C. E. Churchill of Hartington appears to be going into the short-horn stock business. He is reported to have purchased 28 young bulls in a single bunch.

Sixty-four coal men now indicted for alleged violation of the anti-trust act. Better hurry up and buy more coal before the cost of this litigation is added to the price.

Competitive examinations will soon be required by all postmaster candidates, and the most important questions will be asked out in the lobby about the progress made at rounding up the doubtful voters of the district.

Mrs. W. Wingett and her sister Mary Krei of Walthill returned home Tuesday following a visit here at the home of their father, John Krei. They report their little sister who was so ill at the hospital here, is home again, and improving nicely.

Mrs. J. R. Dempsay and her daughter, Mrs. S. A. Hall left Tuesday morning to visit at Nashville, Illinois, their old home. While there, Mrs. Dempsay will devote a part of her time to settling the business connected with the estate of her late husband. She has several children living in that vicinity.

More than 700 merchants with their wives and families from Nebraska, Iowa, Colorado, Wyoming, Kansas and South Dakota visited Omaha last week for merchants spring market week. Chairman Jos. Kelly, of the Merchants' Market Week committee said the attendance was one-third larger than any previous one.

Just waded in from dinner this Monday noon, and feel that the city should assess a fine against each and every property where there was no attempt made to clean the last snow from the walk. It is far from pleasant to wade slush now, nearly shoe-top deep—not the tall boots some of the ladies wear—but the common shoe that just nicely meets the bottom of pants worn by men.

Shop in the Morning

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Bath Rugs at Special Low Prices

24x48 inch rugs..... 98c
 27x54 inch rugs..... \$1.23

THE NEW—THE CORRECT—THE POPULAR—AT THIS STORE

The New Season's Ideas are Freely Expressed in the New

Blouses and Waists



Easter comes early and thus the greater need to see the new things in our stock of blouses and waists. Blouses of Georgette crepe in the superb correctness for spring..... \$5.00 to \$9.00

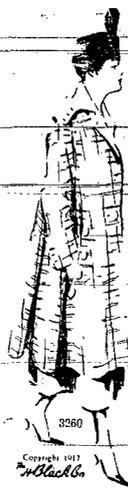
Waists of organdies and voiles in neat styles and neatly trimmed... 85c to \$2.00

Spring Ribbons

A large assortment of all silk, light and dark, flowered, Paisley, checkered plaid, and striped ribbons.

Novelty hat banding in a Roman striped grosgrain per yard..... 25c

The Rare Charm of These COATS and SUITS Will Charm You!



You will be eager indeed to see these new coats and suits. Just the styles most appropriate for Easter time. An extensive collection whose tendency is toward straight lines and simplicity. The effects are decidedly youthful, therefore a style that is certain of a hearty welcome with women folks in general.



In suits the jackets are belted, semi-belted, and box back styles and are profusely trimmed. Some have a large collar of contrasting shades and are lined with fancy silk. Priced from

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Fashionable Spring Coats

Women's coats in array for Easter wear made of fine wool poplins, gabardines, velvets, and serges, half lined, large collars, fancy pockets, belted and semi-belted models, cut on graceful lines, in black, tan, navy, gold, and apple green.

\$10.50 to \$32.50

Spring Fashions Demand SILK

At no other store will you find so large a variety of entirely new styles and rich color combinations as at this store and at lower prices, too, than elsewhere.

36-inch heavy excellent quality of black taffeta for dress purposes, soft mellow finish per yard..... **\$1.35**

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We believe we can give you better service and satisfaction for less money.

You will find everything in this department that you need.

We specialize in Vegetables and Fresh Fruits.

Under new rules in the senate, a man may be able to get elected who can talk only ten hours without stopping.

Miss Catherine Williams of Carroll was stranded here from Friday until Monday while on her way home from a visit at Omaha.

WANTED.—Janitor for Presbyterian church, Wayne, commencing April 1st. Apply to Wm. Orr, chairman Board of Trustees.—adv. 12-2.

Mrs. A. L. Merriman, who recently returned from a visit at her old home in Illinois, is ready to take plain sewing and ironing from any who have need of such work. They live on 2nd and Pearl streets. It is her desire to keep the family together and if she can help you and at the same time help herself it will be doing a kindness to send your work that way.

The gloom that prevails in a college at the lack of battery talent is not at all relieved by any scholastic triumphs that may have been achieved during the winter.

With expert trimmers and dress-makers, Mrs. Jeffries is prepared to make terms and prices on suits, skirts, waists, and spring wraps, as well as millinery that are as attractive as the goods she sells. Ladies, call and see the "down street" store.—adv.

Friday morning Harry McMillan and Chas. Hiekes started out in the face of the storm to look things over in the vicinity of Elgin. We think they met a weather condition which prevented them from seeing far at that particular time, but hope they saw what they wanted.

Mrs. W. L. Gearhart and son Robert from Malvern, Iowa, came last week to visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. T. Munsinger, a few days. Monday they went to Carroll to visit a daughter a short time, planning to return here for more visit before returning home.

S. S. Davis, from Red Oak, Iowa, has been spending a week in the county, a guest at the D. W. Noakes home and with other relatives. His mission here was to aid in closing the estate of the late "Grandma" Roberts, who had a life lease in certain properties, which now go to the heirs.

Mrs. Mary E. Neville, a cousin of our governor, was among the passengers storm stayed here Saturday and Sunday. She was on her way from Sioux City to Bloomfield, to visit a brother. She was a guest of Miss Ethel Patterson, the congested condition of the hotels compelling many to seek the hospitality of their friends and acquaintances during their enforced stay.

When the owner of a pig can go to the market and bring home a fifty dollar bill for the same he should remember the newspaper editor, says an exchange. Fifteen cents worth of pork used to be enough for the family dinner. Now when you go to the meat market and ask for fifteen cents worth of pork chops, the butcher calls the barber to come over from his shop with his razor to shave strips off into paper like thinness so no member will be missed when they gather around the family table and give thanks for the vittles (but not for the abundance thereof.)

Mrs. Jeffries plans to leave her beautiful window display another week—because weather and roads were so bad, and the ladies should all see it.—adv.

Mrs. Guy Thompson from West Point, came Monday to visit at the A. B. Carhart home and with other Wayne friends. She will be remembered by many here as Miss Mullen of the city school last year.

Miss Etta Platt, who came from Crab Orchard last fall to attend normal, but had to quit school on account of ill health, has sufficiently recovered from an operation to be able to return home, and left Friday. Her uncle, W. D. Redmond, accompanied her as far as Lincoln, where he had a bit of business and many friends to look after. Mr. Redmond returned Sunday afternoon.

At an election for the purpose of voting school bonds at Randolph last week the motion lost by 103 for and 125 against. The purpose of the bonds was to buy additional ground for school purposes, and the Times indicates that they were defeated because the opinion prevailed that the price asked for the proposed property was about \$1,000 more than the people considered it worth.

For Sale—A residence refrigerator and a 10-gallon barrel churn. Call at West Side Meat Market—11tf.

The M. Ds. of Columbus do not propose to let the high cost of living all be laid at the door of the grocer, the meat man, the baker or the drygoods or clothing people. If you get sick enough to want a doctor, here are their terms, and after you read them you will please be very careful what you eat and how you care for yourself:

Here's the new schedule in full: Office consultation: \$1 to \$5. City visits: 8 a. m. to 6 p. m., \$3; 6 p. m. to 9 p. m., \$4; 9 p. m. to 8 a. m., \$5. Telephone advice: 8 a. m. to 10 p. m., \$1; 10 p. m. to 8 a. m., \$2. Obstetrics: Minimum fee, \$25 (which includes two subsequent visits. Extra visits at regular rates.) Life insurance examinations: Minimum fee \$3. Country visits: \$1 per mile or fraction thereof plus city fee. Consultation: \$5 to \$10. Vaccination: \$2. Contagious disease at reasonable advance over regular rates.

Correct, Bro. Mills, Stand Up

Two or three men have given the editor to understand most clearly that he should boost for the sewer system. The fact that the proposition was not likely to come to a vote, that the amount of the bonds required exceeds the legal limit, and that the editor might have ideas of his own different from theirs, seem to have no weight with them. The paper should boost the sewer proposition anyway. If you should happen to hear one of these fellows to the above tune, will you ask him two questions: 1st, has the editor a right to his own ideas in the matter and a right to publish them? 2nd, why do not these men write signed articles for the paper, as its columns are open and free to present them at reasonable length?—Wakefield Republican.

6 Room Residence For Sale

The Mrs. Donner house and lot 1 block east of M. E. church, water, cistern, good cellar, coal and chicken house. For price and terms, write or phone Mrs. E. S. Gardner, Emerson, Nebraska. Phone back 92 11-3-p

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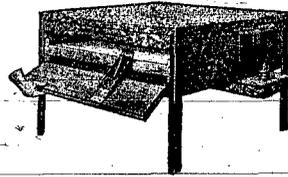
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120 egg Old Trusty incubator at..... **\$10.85**
 175 egg Old Trusty incubator at..... **\$14.45**
 240 egg Old Trusty incubator at..... **\$18.75**

Special prices on incubator and brooder sold together.

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Easter April 8th

We have a tailor to sew on buttons that are loose and sew small rips in lining. We also do all kinds of repairing. Put in new linings, put collars on overcoats, shorten or lengthen coat sleeves or trousers, etc. Our price for this work is very reasonable.

We pay postage one way.

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WAYNE MARKET REPORT

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

Oats	52c
Corn	1.00
Spring Wheat	1.55
Eggs	21c
Butter	30c
Hogs	14.00
Fat cattle	\$7.50 @ \$9.20

The senate and house sifting committees are now trimming the mass of matter introduced for law, and when they get through it is safe to say that but little had legislation will be passed—bad for certain interest, we mean. A sifting committee may be a necessary evil, however, to keep things from being worse.

The state senate voted last week to sell the state school lands, and if the house concurs in the bill we look for land speculators to make a wild scramble for the lands. We hope that who ever has the authority to name the selling price will look to it that the land goes to those who are to use it and not to speculators. Land speculation has cost this country much money.

The Allies may never be able to defeat the central powers unaided, but when the citizens of Germany recognize their power to rule, and take authority from the present rulers, as Russians are doing—then will the war be very apt to end suddenly. It is but a step from Russia to Germany, and if the Germans see what citizens of Russia have taken they may decide to take their own from the rulers. The German revolution may not come until after the war, but it will come—peaceable we hope, but by armed force if necessary. The people of the world should be their own rulers.

The president has made some notably strong appointments to the new tariff commission. Professor Taussig of Harvard stands

at or near the head of political economists of the country. William Kent, an independent representing a California district, has been one of the ablest and most progressive members of the national house. Davis J. Lewis was the defeated democratic candidate for the senate in Maryland last year, and was an able and active member of congress. The other three are less well known, though Mr. Costigan has been heard of as a progressive party leader in Colorado. Some protest may be looked for as to some of these nominations. Taussig, Kent and Lewis are all avowed free traders.

What won't War do? The Russian throne is tottering. England and her colonies are frequently on the verge of parting ways. France has trouble with her politicians to keep them united for a common cause. Turkey is likely to be served as an offering to the Russian bear. Greece has been on the verge of revolution for a year, and her people and government have been submitted to all manner of abuse because of contending factions. Belgium has been overrun and trampled on. Bulgaria and Rumania have suffered from all manner of the evils of war, and sunny Italy has been sacrificing men and money to preserve her territory or acquire more. Germany and Austria have spent the reserve of two generations and mortgaged their resources for future generations to pay. Germany has lost her colonies and friendships of much of the world. Japan has mingled slightly with the combatants, and is none the better off for it. Now China is standing on the brink. If their countless millions shall enter the conflict the truth of Sherman's trite definition of war will be again demonstrated.

Mr. Willis Vanderbilt and Miss Cora Calahan were united in a marriage Wednesday, March 21, 1917, by County Judge James Britton. While the groom has the name of the famous New York man, it so happens that they live in Cedar county, and are therefore apt to be better people than the money magnate of the same name. Except for this one venture the market has been quite quiet.

The "Pride of the Clan" is the popular Mary Pickford picture which will be presented this evening, at the Crystal. Many have been waiting for it.

Advertise your Wants or For Sale items in the Democrat.—tf.

Social Notes

The Helping Hand society held their last meeting at the Herbert Lessman home and had a most jolly time telling Irish stories and singing Irish songs. A splendid dinner was served and all did ample justice. Miss Gertrude Buetow won the potato in the potato race. This is an indication of the prosperity of the community, for it is not every place where they can find a potato to stake a potato race. Other games were played and a jolly time passed. A quilt was also tied for the Orphan home in Council Bluffs. Mrs. Earl Perkins was initiated into the secrets of the society. The guests were: Mesdames, Carl Surber, Earl Perkins, Frank Mellick and Mark Simpson. The next meeting is to be at the Ed Grier home the 29th. The members will answer at roll call with the most humorous incident of their life. After dinner, housecleaning will be the subject for discussion.

There was a happy surprise and house-warming event pulled off last Saturday evening when a party of more than forty people entered the new Wayne home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bastian unannounced and uninvited. While it was intended as welcome to our city by members of the church of which they are members, it served a double purpose, for it happened that the date selected was the 15th anniversary of their marriage. The evening was passed sociably, the younger folks enjoying numerous game to pass the time. At 11 o'clock the guests served light refreshments, and a little later departed wishing the Bastians many happy returns of the day, and a happy sojourn while they reside in the city of Wayne.

A musicale was given by the U. D. club at the home of Mrs. Charles Craven with Mrs. James Miller leader. The story of the "Opera Louise," by Charpentier was given by Mrs. Felber. The story of the "Opera Thais," by Massenet was given by Mrs. Harry Craven. The story of the "Opera the Marriage of Figaro," by Mozart was given by Mrs. Kinne. The Story of "Aide," by Verdi was given by Mrs. Ringland. A selection from each of these operas was given on the Edison. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Harry Jones.

The Monday club met with Mrs. Main on Monday afternoon, the members responded to roll call with current events. Mrs. Bowen gave a talk on "The Opera, Madam Butterfly," composed by Puchini. Mrs. A. B. Carhart gave a talk on "The Opera, Cavalleria Rusticana," by Mascagne. At the close of the afternoon the hostess assisted by her daughters Misses Helen and Winifred served a delicious two course luncheon in honor of her mother Mrs. McElroy. Mrs. Welsh will be hostess next Monday afternoon.

The Ladies Union Bible Study Circle had a very pleasant and profitable hour of study at the home of Mrs. Heaton Tuesday afternoon led by Mrs. Barker who used the 14th of John in place of the review lesson. A two course luncheon was served by the hostess, and plans were made to sew one afternoon for a needy member. The ladies meet next week with Mrs. Trumbauer in the south part of town. All the women are cordially invited.

The Queen Esthers entertained the Woman's Home Missionary society at the home of Mrs. Will Rennick Tuesday evening. The regular monthly business meeting and lesson was carried on the same as usual. Miss Fern Oman sang a sacred song which was much appreciated. At the close of the program the girls served a delicious luncheon. The next social meeting will be at the home of Miss Susie Souders April 17th.

Mesdames A. H. Ellis and Charles Shulteis will be hostesses to the Early Hour club tonight. 500 will be enjoyed at nine tables. At a late hour delicious refreshments will be served. The guests of the evening will be: Messrs. and Mesdames Don Cunningham, Ben Carhart, LeRoy Ley, Frank Morgan, Wm. Mellor, Chas. Carhart, Perry Theobald and Harry Craven.

The Central Social Circle met with Mrs. Elder last Thursday for a social afternoon. At one o'clock a two course dinner was served. Each member had been requested to select some event which occurred in February and give it. A pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by all. Mrs. Adolph Kieper will be hostess April 2nd.

The English Lutheran Ladies aid and their husband numbering 34 met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bastian Wednesday evening and went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hansen, who have just



Spring Ready-to-Wear

SPRING COATS—Never in our history have we shown such a nobby line of Ladies' and Misses' spring coats. "The Palmer Line" is always right and satisfactory. Prices much less than asked in large centers. Range \$10.00 to \$22.50.

SHIRTS—Our silk and wool sport skirts from "Sheurman Bros." tailor shop. This firm owns the woolen mills. Their motto "from sheep to shop". Range..... \$5.00 to 10.00

WAISTS—From several eastern factories, latest styles and materials suitable for all occasions..... \$1.25 to 7.50

UNDERSKIRTS—Heatherbloom in light and fancy figures, also plain and medium shades, \$1.75. Silk skirts 2.75 to 4.00.

PURITAN UNDERMUSLINS—Manufactured by Marshall Field & Co. Just in, our spring lines of Slipon Gowns 75c to 1.50. White Underskirts 1.00 to 1.75. Corset Covers 50c to 75c. Envelope Chemise 65c to 1.25.

CORSETS—"The G-D Just Right" both front lace and regular styles 1.00 to 3.00.

HOSIERY—"Burlington Fast Black" and "Black Cat" brands are carried. Prices for lisle thread 25c to 50c. Silk 50c to \$1.25.

LADIES SHOES AND PUMPS—Special attention is called to our line of eight inch boots, lace or button, at 4.00 to 7.00. Pumps and Strap Slippers 3.00 to 3.50. We can positively save you money on these lines.

A very cordial invitation is extended to all teachers and their friends to make this store their headquarters.

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moved in from their farm, and gave them the surprise of their lives. A splendid social evening was spent. Mrs. Fetterolf and Miss Viola Bastian gave several selections on the piano which were enjoyed by all. At the close of the evening dainty refreshments were served.

The P. E. O. met with Mrs. Harvey Ringland last Monday evening for a short business meeting. The hostess assisted by her daughter Ruth and Ruth Jones served light refreshments. A theater party was formed, and all went to see "Snow White." Next meeting will be with Mrs. Harry Fisher April 2nd.

Last Saturday evening the officers of the Intermediate League gave a party for the members of the League at the home of Misses Margaret and Clara Helt. The evening was spent in playing games. Light refreshments were served and a good time was reported by all.

The Junior Bible Circle met with Mrs. Young last Saturday evening. The lesson was last part of 25th chapter Matthew. Miss Laura Thompson, leader. Some very nice victrola music was enjoyed by those present. Next meeting will be with Miss Louie Sprague.

The Acme club met with Mrs. Bressler last Monday afternoon members answered roll call by giving some German events. The lesson on current events was lead by Mrs. Wilson. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Senter.

The members of the Minerva club were guests of Mrs. Henry Ley at a theater party Monday afternoon to see "Snow White." Each was presented with a California flower which Mrs. Ley brought home with her.

The Rural Home society have postponed their meeting until next Thursday on account of the high water and bad roads. Mrs. Perry will be hostess.

The Improved Motion Picture

Not many years ago the people were flocking in great numbers to see the moving picture of a class and quality which could not keep an audience in the room these days.

Yet they were a marvel at that time, but much more so at this day and age. The picture business at Wayne is keeping pace with the rest of the world, and the people of all classes are eager to patronize the best, and the manager of the local house is sparing no expense to secure a high class of pictures. Monday afternoon and evening he had full houses of little and big folks to see "Snow White", that beautiful fairy story, thrown upon the screen. Marguerite Clark was the star of the occasion, and every supporter was an actor of ability. The school children enjoyed it and the older people as well, while marveling that the stories which they had read or heard when children could be brought back to life, apparently, and act the story far better than it ever was before given.

Great plays and actors of world-wide renown may be seen. The manufacture of delicate fabrics such as lace and cloths are shown better than one could see them if given freedom of the mill in which they are made. The writer was never at Panama, but he saw how that

canal was made; he did not visit the south in the days following the rebellion, but the Klan came to our town in the movies, and we saw, as it were, history in the making. The army in battle is shown—the struggle of two champions of the ring or mat may be seen almost as through in real contest. The movie is one of the most highly educational inventions of the age, and on

one now fails to patronize their shows, unless he be blind.

WANTED

1000 people to look at wall papers—the best Omaha line that will be shown in Wayne this year. See or call Boyce, the paper hanger.—adv. 7tf.

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North Nebraska High School Declamatory Contest

TO BE HELD AT WAYNE

THURSDAY, MARCH 29

Afternoon and Evening

Tickets will be on sale at the Jones Book store Tuesday next, and Wayne people are urged to secure their tickets early, that the visitors may have opportunity when they arrive to secure tickets without delay. A treat for all with 34 schools competing for place—the greatest district contest in the history of the association. Below is list of those who compete and their selections and class.

- Albion—Louise Williamson, "The Child," Dramatic.
- Battle Creek—Lillian Dittrick, "The Sign of the Cross," Dramatic.
- Bloomfield—Alta June Maxwell, "The Heart of Old Hickory," Dramatic.
- Belden—Mildren Waller, "Keeping a Seat at the Benefit," Humorous.
- Carroll—Madalene Stanton, "Burgundian Dehance," Dramatic.
- Clearwater—Inez Mead, "The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary," Humorous.
- Coleridge—Viola Ritchie, "Over the Baluster," Humorous.
- Creighton—Gladys De Beer, "Mrs. Perkins' Close Call," Humorous.
- Emerson—Hazel C. Smith, "Wild Zingarella," Dramatic.
- Hartington—Elsa Barker, "Polly of the Circus," Dramatic.
- Laurel—May Drain, "The Lost Leaf," Dramatic.
- Lynch—Gordon Ira, "The Growing of the White Swan," Dramatic.
- Madison—Charles Wetzler, "The Boy Orator of Zepata City," Dramatic.
- Norfolk—Ray Diefenderfer, "The First Degree," Humorous.
- Neligh—Lois Scofield, "Bridget on Domestic Science," Humorous.
- New Castle—Joe Cryan, "Abner Barrow's Defense," Dramatic.
- Newman Grove—Annie Johnson, "The Soul of the Violin," Dramatic.
- Oakland—Henrietta Miller, "The Soul of the Violin," Dramatic.
- Orchard—Orpha Wingett, "Naughty Zell," Humorous.
- Oakdale—Irene Parker, "The Lion and the Mouse," Dramatic.
- Platview—Clara Michaelson, "A Pleasant Half Hour on the Beach," Humorous.
- Pierce—Josephine Hough, "The Death Disk," Dramatic.
- Stanton—Francis Hopper, "Philander Belden's Mistake," Humorous.
- Tekamah—Marguerite Hanson, "The Sign of the Cross," Dramatic.
- Walthill—Mildred Shaw, "Marguerite's Husband," Humorous.
- Wausa—Florence Genung, "Billie Brad and the Big Lie," Humorous.
- Wayne—Cidne Macklin, "A the Photographer's," Humorous.
- Wayne Normal Junior High—May Hiseox, "A Pleasant Half Hour on the Beach," Humorous.
- Wakefield—Myrtle Woolry, "The Italian Story," Dramatic.
- West Point—Merle Naichow, "The Lion and the Mouse," Dramatic.
- Winside—Lody Kieffer, "The Man With One Talent," Dramatic.
- Wisner—Evelyn Dalsey, "Rebecca's Journey," Humorous.

AFTERNOON MUSIC

Vocal Solo, Donald Giddereeve, Wayne.
Piano Solo, Bessie Crockett, Wayne.

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It is not likely that civilized people will ever give up the pleasure of sweets, but it is no doubt a fact that artificial sweets, whether in the form of candy or much sweetened food, are the cause of most of the bad teeth.

No less an authority than Dr. Wiley says that this is the cause of most of the bad teeth of children, and also of stomach derangements. He says that nature has provided ample sweets in fruits and grains, and that artificial sweets are not needed and are harmful.

Dr. T. B. Heckert
24 Years in Wayne

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Dr. Texley was down from Carroll Tuesday morning.

Hamer Wilson and wife went to Omaha Wednesday for a short stay.

If you have chickens for sale call 67, we want 'em.

M. E. Blair of Omaha was here Tuesday visiting his brother, Fred Blair.

J. W. Mason and his daughter, Miss Mary, were visitors at Sioux City Wednesday.

Miss Lenora Robbins spent Sunday at Winside a guest at the home of Mrs. D. C. Hogue.

The back yard gardeners have secured complete stocks of all the fertilizers except elbowgrease.

Miss Jennie Piper will come Saturday from Lincoln to spend her vacation with her sister, Miss Piper at the State Normal.

Bryan Kloppling, who has been spending the winter here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kloppling, left last week for Ashton, Idaho, here he will farm this spring and summer.

Mrs. Kate M. Lewis, who has been here visiting at the home of her son John S. Lewis, jr., left Monday morning for her home at Burk, South Dakota. She has been spending the winter in the south, and carried here for a visit before completing her home journey.

All kinds of pure bred stock sells at big figure this season. At a Hereford sale at Sioux City last week cows and heifers sold at an average of more than \$500. A. F. Huwaldt of Randolph topped the sale, paying \$1,150 for Susan 490792, a show heifer that will be three years old September. John Volk of McLean purchased two head, a cow and a heifer for \$900 for the two.

Alfalfa seed \$7 per bushel and up at Fortner's Feed Mill. adv.

According to Secretary Henry C. Richmond of the Nebraska Legislative League, more than fifteen hundred former members of the Nebraska legislature are now living. The annual re-union of the Legislative League will be held next Tuesday evening in Lincoln at the City Auditorium and every former member of the Legislature is urged to attend. It is said that this promises to be the biggest affair of the kind ever held in the state.

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The Reformation of a "Grouch".
A Trip to Nature's Heart.
Wonders of Grand Canyon.
A Creation in its Deepest Moods.

Crystal Theatre

Matinee and Evening

Wed., March 28

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jeffery were visitors at Omaha Wednesday.

The Central Market will pay top price for poultry.

Mrs. Otto Mick of Carroll was here Tuesday on her way to Norfolk to visit relatives.

Miss Luera of the Normal took the kindergarten to see "Snow White", on Monday afternoon.

Sheriff Porter was looking after official business at Hoskins Tuesday. Nothing like he used to go there for, however.

Grass Seed, all kinds, good quality at right prices, at Geo. Fortner's.--adv.

Miss Viola Will was a visitor at Sioux City, the first of the week, returning home well and alone Monday evening.

Mrs. Donald Porter from Carroll was a visitor at Norfolk Tuesday, going over to visit her mother who is in a hospital at that place.

Mrs. Ed Carroll and daughter from Randolph were visitors at the home of their friend, Mrs. M. A. Pryor from Thursday until Monday.

Mrs. F. O. Gambel has gone to Woodhull, Illinois, to visit her parents and many friends in the native town. She left Tuesday morning.

Mrs. D. D. Tobias went to Harlan, Iowa, last week to visit at the home of his parents, and with other relatives there. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Christensen, a sister to Dr. Tobias, who have been spending several days here at the Tobias home, returned Friday, and Mrs. Tobias accompanied them.

Mrs. Elming received word this morning from her daughter, Miss Irma, who is at Chicago, telling that she is seriously ill, and asking her to come at once. Being unable to go she has asked her sister from Lincoln to go in her stead. Miss Elming went to Chicago about three years ago to take training for a nurse. Her Wayne friends hope that she may soon recover.

The Central Market wants your chickens, any kind, and asks you to call 66 or 67 if you can spare any birds.--adv.

A number of Wayne ladies went to Sioux City Wednesday morning to hear Alma Gluck sing that evening. Others planned to go in the afternoon, but their submarine was not in working order, and the track between here and Wakefield was not navigable for trains. Among those who went were Mesdames Beaman, Main, C. M. Craven and Philleo and Misses Nettie Craven and Helen Main.

The teachers of North Nebraska will be pleased to learn that the executive committee of the North Nebraska Teachers Association has engaged Dr. D. L. Coffman to address the association Saturday morning. Dr. Coffman has written a number of books on education, is known throughout the nation for his research work along educational lines, and is one of the most interesting speakers of the day on educational subjects. His address without doubt will be one of the big events of the Association.

At last it has come about. George M. Cohan, America's most popular star, in motion pictures. Having reached the very top rung of his theatrical ladder of success not only as an actor, but as an author and producer, George M. Cohan has finally turned to the silent drama as a new field of conquest, so to speak. In order to display his very best efforts before the motion picture camera, the famous "Yankee Doodle Boy" selected his greatest stage hit, "Broadway Jones," as his initial vehicle in the motion picture field. The film has just recently been completed in Mr. Cohan's New York Studio and will be released by Artcraft Pictures in the near future.

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Brigadier General John A. Lejune of the United States Marine Corps advises Congressman Dan V. Stephens that there will probably be 50 vacancies in the grade of second lieutenant in the Marine Corps which it is desired to fill from civil life. This is a splendid opportunity for young men between the age of twenty and twenty-five years, sound physique and good education to enter this service. The General especially desires that graduates of our well recognized colleges and universities should participate in this examination which will be held on or about July 10th next. Any young man who is interested in this service should write Congressman Dan V. Stephens, Washington, D. C., for complete information and details as to requirements.

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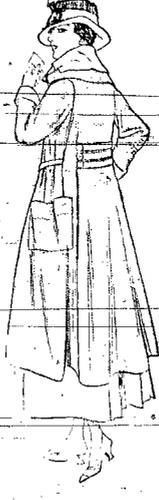
Next Friday and Saturday MARCH 30 AND 31

(During the Teachers' Association)

500 coats and suits will be here for you to choose from on those two days. Our New York, Cleveland, Cincinnati and Chicago coat houses will all send express shipments of new coats for this special sale. Added to these will be nine trunksful of especially fine coats and suits which will come Friday morning and be on sale for the two special days. This will be the big coat and suit event of this spring season, don't miss it. You will have a chance to choose from a regular big city stock at much below city prices.



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Suits this spring are prettier than ever. While the styles are entirely new, they are not a bit freakish and you will feel like wearing them an extra season. Prices are about the same as last spring.
\$25.00 to \$35.00

Frank Elming is visiting at Oakdale this week.

Mrs. E. D. Cook is here from Hastings visiting her brothers C. W. and W. A. Hiseox.

Bring your Chickens to the Central Meat Market.--adv.

Henry Soules went to Omaha Tuesday to have the physician who had patched his broken knee up examine it and see if it was doing its healing right.

J. R. Hooker from Omaha, on his way to his farm near Burk, South Dakota, tarried a few days among his Wayne friends this week. He formerly lived here.

Alfalfa seed \$7 per bushel and up at Fortner's Feed Mill. adv.

The Radio Round incubator people are having a great season this year, if we read the signs of the times right. For the past two weeks they have had a force at work in an up-town building that additional force might be worked to keep up with orders. Delay in securing material has been one handicap they have had to overcome, but by a bit of shifting and substituting we notice that a large number of machines go out daily.

A. H. Philson from Bloomfield was here Wednesday on his way to Bancroft, with Omaha and possibly Texas as his final destination. Said he was tired of working (people) for a living, and he wanted to find a land where he could lie down at night and rest, and when he awoke in the morning find that his breakfast had grown during the night and hung over his mouth so he had but to open it and let it drop in. Oh, happy dream. Then he confessed that what made him tired was the Banker convention in his own town of Bloomfield, where the bankers met and nominated themselves as candidates for every office within the gift of the people. If he can find another banker convention town there he hopes to make his bed and stay. He thinks that Bloomfield will not need the law changed to get over to the city manager plan—for it has already been managed, or some thought to the effect.

Mrs. James Stanton of Carroll was a Wayne visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. A. M. Jacobs and Mrs. J. W. Jones from the local organization of the Daughters of American Revolution, went to Fremont Wednesday as delegates to the state meeting of the order. Owing to the high water it was impossible for them to be there for the opening sessions.

Mrs. C. S. Ash went to Fremont Tuesday wearing a badge indicating that she is the authorized delegate from Golden Rod camp at this place to the head state camp being held there this week.

J. M. Roberts shipped a car of cattle to Omaha Tuesday—a mixed load of stuff in pretty good condition—and he went down on the passenger to welcome them there. Mrs. Roberts accompanied him and

went on to Malvern, Iowa, to visit former friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dart of Bloomfield were here Tuesday on their way to attend the funeral of their old friend, George Brooks, who died the last of the week at Bazile Mills. Mr. Brooks was a pioneer, and a man with many friends. He will be missed in his home community.



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This Newest and Best Plow, best as proven by winning in last three contests against all competitors at Big Rock and Wheatland, Illinois, for three consecutive years, has that very delicately curved mold-board, built to turn the soil in the best possible way with the least resistance, making a light draft and does perfect work.

This new single-lever plow of Janesville make has cut out the bothersome lever of the old style riding plow. The plow bottom as well as the frame is operated and tilted by a single hand lever in connection with the foot-trip-horse lift, on which patents are now pending.

Beams are hung to a single bail which is operated by the single lever. Lever or foot-lift may each be operated separately or jointly, perfectly regulating depth of furrow with bottom absolutely level.

Come in and let us show you all the good points about this new Janesville plow.

It is almost needless to tell the farmer who has used a single lever Janesville gang plow or their farm machinery that if there is to be any improvement the Janesville people will have it, for they spare nothing in expense to place the best in the hands of their dealers. We handle the full line of Janesville Famous Farm Machinery, and once you try the plow so perfect you will find it that you will be interested in their Disc Harrows, Seeders, Corn Planters and Cultivators, and later we will tell you of other labor-saving implements in their season.

Our stock of farm implements is now very complete, and the machinery of known merit and real value is carried here.

Telephone us about repairs--Ash 1-308.

KAY & BICHEL

Dealers in Farm Implements

Mrs. Julius Kieper Dead

After a lingering illness of five months, Mrs. Julius Kieper closed her eyes in eternal sleep on last Saturday forenoon at 9:30 o'clock, March 10th, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Brueckner in our city, where she had been making her home since coming to this county. At the time of her death she was 76 years, 6 months and 14 days old. Her death was not expected so soon, which was due to the infirmities of old age, as she was past her 76th milestone in life. Ernestena Meier was born in West Prussia, Germany on August 24, 1840. There she was married to Mr. Julius Kieper in 1862. Three children were born to this union, one son, Adolph Kieper of near Wayne and two daughters,

Mrs. Wm. Brueckner and Mrs. Fred Miller both of our city. Mr. Kieper died in Germany in 1886. In the year of 1889 the mother and three children came to America and settled in Wayne county where they have resided ever since.

Besides her three children she leaves to mourn her death, three sisters and two brothers all of Germany, who were still living there in 1913, since they have not been heard of, thirteen grandchildren and four great grandchildren besides other relatives.

The funeral was conducted on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with services at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Brueckner, after which services were conducted at the German Lutheran church of which she was a member, by Rev. J. Aron. The remains were taken to the German Lutheran cemetery west of Hoskins, where they were lowered to its final resting place.

The relatives and old friends from outside points in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Kieper from Wayne and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Krause from Winside.

The Headlight wishes to extend to the bereaved relatives and friends its heartfelt sympathy during their sorrowing hours.—Hoskins Headlight.

Our Teachers at Wayne

Superintendent Flake, of our public schools, will appear on the program at the North Nebraska Teachers' association at Wayne. He will speak on the subject of "Military Training or Physical Training in Public Schools." County Superintendent Irah B. Oehlson will participate in discussion on the subject of eighth grade examinations. Miss Merle Honkstra will talk on "Fitting Home Economics to Community Needs." Superintendent Rogers of the Pilger schools and Mrs. W. W. Vauget of Pilger will also take part in the meetings.—Stanton Picket.

Mrs. Weekes on War

The Press editor has been asked to state her position in the matter of armed neutrality and the filibuster incident. And our interrogator in a semi-friendly way hinted that he guessed our former independence of opinion would be somewhat curtailed now that we are holding a political position. The Press editor's opinion may or may not be of the slightest importance to Press readers but we think that most of them will grant that opinion however faulty, is usually an honest one and one independent, too.

But to answer our inquisitive friend just let us say this: that we are not one bit stronger for war today than we were a year ago. We don't believe in wars and we do believe that civilized nations like well-bred people should be able to live without fighting. We don't believe that there is any need for excessive expenditure for armament. We believe we have allowed ourselves to be frightened through the tricks of selfish men whose bank accounts grow with war talk. We are an American first, last and all the time, but we are not one of those who shout that we are for the country, right or wrong. America must be right. It owes it to humanity everywhere. God intended it should stay right. We are for President Wilson, but not to the extent that we think he should be given the powers of a monarch.

We believe the people who must fight the battles must decide if they are to fight. We believe we Americans should think long and hard before doing anything that would make us a part of that slaughter-fest raging in Europe. We believe our government is superior in its broadness, its opportunities for justice and we believe in keeping it so.—Norfolk Press.

Most Dangerous of Infections

Lincoln Journal: Whenever President Wilson suffers from a cold his physician promptly puts him to bed and keeps him there until the danger of more serious complication is over. The medical men have been telling us for some time that the common cold is one of the most dangerous of infections and should be given prompt and strenuous treatment. The average man, however, goes about his work as usual and wears out the cold by main strength and awkwardness. Perhaps the example of the president and the president's eminent physician may bring about a change in this respect. It would cause a tremendous amount of inconvenience to be obliged to remain in bed to cure very infectious cold and yet in the long run time and money might be saved by following that course, says the Laurel Advocate.

WANTED

1000 people to look at wall papers—the best Omaha line that will be shown in Wayne this year. See or call Boyce, the paper hanger.—adv. 7tf.

For Sale Cheap

25 yards of almost new handsome velvet Brussels carpet. Could be used for a rug. See Mrs. C. O. Fisher.—adv. 11-2.

Return From Honolulu

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Chace returned last week from a trip to Honolulu where they had a most enjoyable time. Mr. Chace found the country much more progressive and modern than he expected and had many very interesting chats with men of prominence and intellectual ability. During his visit there, with his ever observing eye, he noted that the Hawaiians are similar to the Americans in respect to their desire to work. The native Hawaiian much prefers to oversee and supervise, have the job where skilled labor and intellect are required rather than the more tedious and heavy work of the laborer. Most of his work—such as street work and "the heaviest" is done by people of foreign birth, about the same class as you find at it in this country.

In one of his conversations with a citizen Mr. Chace questioned him as to whether or not he was a native, whether or not he had any English or American ancestors. The Hawaiian, with a smile and twinkle in the eye, showing that he enjoyed a good joke, answered that all the English or American that was in him must be a small percentage of whatever amount of such people his great grand father may have eaten. We understand that Mr. Chace fully realized that the native was a clever man and had pulled a good one.

In further conversing with the same gentleman Mr. Chace made inquiry as to the type of race the Hawaiians were, the general division from which they were descendants. In discussing this, the point was brought up as to evolution of man from monkey. The native assured Mr. Chace that they were not descendants of the monkey in that that there were none in that country but that he was not so certain about Americans in that we might be. In both cases Mr. Chace fully realized that he was conversing with a brilliant and scholarly man.—Stanton Register.

Federal Land Bank of Omaha

The complete organization of the Federal Land bank of Omaha for the eighth federal district, comprising the states of Iowa, Nebraska, South Dakota and Wyoming has been completed and the bank is in full swing at its temporary offices, suite 1207-1209 Woodmen of the World Building. Secretary Frank G. Odell states that approximately four thousand letters of inquiry have been answered in the two weeks since the bank was organized.

About seventy-five national Farm Loan associations have already filed their organization papers with the bank as required by the federal law and have applied for loans aggregating over three million dollars up to the close of business on March 15. The figures on loans already applied for are:

Nebraska \$1,818,410; Iowa \$115,500; South Dakota \$739,580; Wyoming \$545,700.

Great interest is shown in the new farm loan system by country banks and offers of hearty co-operation are coming from bankers, is the statement of the officers of the Federal Land Bank.

Spring, begins today, according to the almanac.

Is there any hope for legislation to enable the people to build and operate public water-power plants on the Nebraska creeks and rivers? Yes, hope is still living in the hearts of those who have advocated this sort of legislation, but I confess that the hope is not breathing regularly. The telephone trust and the electricity trust are twin brothers. They work hand in hand. Having displayed an ability to kill pending telephone legislation, no doubt the influence of the two trusts will be able to kill any and all bills which seek to give the people a chance to develop water-power plants. Competent civil engineers have testified that if the waters in the Nebraska creeks and

rivers could be harnessed and set to the task of generating electricity, every home, business house, factory and school house in the state might be lighted and heated by electricity at a cost so low that Nebraska would not need a pound of coal or coal oil. The electricity trust knows this, and does not want any legislation to interfere with its own business. But why should the legislature do the will of the telephone trust and the electricity trust? I do not know why. I cannot understand all things, and one of the things which I cannot understand is the willingness of a legislature to do what a giant monopoly wants it to do.—Edgar Howard.

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Wayne Junk Shop

Having opened a branch shop in Wayne at the Earl Merchant blacksmith shop, we are prepared to buy all your old iron, for which we are paying \$4.00 per ton. Also any old rubber, metals, or any other junk you may have and we guarantee the highest possible price.

Hides and Furs especially at highest prices.

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Provisional Rulers Explain New Policies to Russians

London, March 16—The provisional government in Russia has issued the following appeal to the people, according to Reuter's Petrograd correspondent:

"Citizens: The executive committee of the duma, with the aid and support of the garrison of the capital and its inhabitants, has succeeded in triumphing over the obnoxious forces of the old regime in such a manner that we are able to proceed to a more stable organization of the executive power with men whose vast political activity assures them the country's confidence.

"The new cabinet will base its policy on the following principles:

"First—An immediate general amnesty for all political and agrarian offenses.

"Second—Liberty of speech and of the press; freedom for alliances, unions and strikes, with the extension of these liberties to military officials within the limits admitted by military requirements.

"Third—Abolition of all social, religious and national restrictions.

"Fourth—To proceed forth with the preparation and convocation of

a constitutional assembly, based on universal suffrage, which will establish a governmental regime.

"Fifth—The substitution of the police by a national militia with chiefs to be elected and responsible to the government.

"Sixth—Communal elections to be based on universal militia with chiefs to be elected and responsible to the government.

"Seventh—The troops which participated in the revolutionary movement will not be removed, but will remain in Petrograd.

"Eighth—While maintaining strict military discipline for troops on active service, it is desirable to abrogate for soldiers all restrictions in the enjoyment of social rights accorded other citizens.

"The provisional government desires to add that it has no intention to profit by the circumstances of the war to delay the realization of the measures above mentioned."

The Hello

The growth of the Bell system in toll wire mileage, in subscribers and in telephone connections is shown by President Theodore N. Vail's report for 1916 to have been larger than in any previous year.

The number of telephone stations on December 31st was 9,847,192, showing an unprecedented increase during the year of 695,971, of which 557,380 were owned by the Bell companies, 118,591 were Bell connected stations.

The total mileage of wire for exchange and toll service was 19,850,315 miles an increase of 1,344,770. Fifty-eight per cent of the wire mileage is underground, and 2,682,910 miles were toll wire. The number of daily telephone connections increased to an average of 29,420,000 or at the rate of 9,789,700,000 a year, which is approximately 100 calls for every man, woman and child in the United States.

Advertise your Wants or For Sale items in the Democrat.—tf.

Real Estate Transfers

Reported by Forrest L. Hughes, bonded abstractor, Wayne, Neb.

John Rosacker and wife to George H. Stringer, n. one-half of sw qr. of 29 26-4, \$11,600.

Grace Jones, guardian, to N. J. Maxwell, north 100 feet of lot 3, block 8, Britton and Bressler's addition to Wayne, \$1750.

Grace Jones, widow to N. J. Maxwell, north 100 feet of lot 3, block 8, Britton and Bressler's addition to Wayne, \$1.

Bernard J. Dugan, single to Eliza M. McNish, s. one-half of se. qr. of 34-25-3, \$120,00.

Spencer Jones and wife to Freeman Clark, n. one-half of s.w. qr. of 11-27-1, \$11,000.

Harry Griffith and wife and Anna Owens and husband to John L. Davis, nw. qr. of 11-27-1 except a 5 acre tract in the sw. corner, \$19,375.

John T. Bressler and wife to William B. Lewis, se. qr. of 35-26-2, \$24,900.

Frank Kruger, Executor of will of Albertine Kruger, to William H. Brune, lots 7-8-9-block 2, original Winside, \$3800.

Jesse A. Clayton and wife to Clinton Fry, lots 9-10 block 1, Bressler and Patterson's addition to Winside, \$500.

Carl Diedrich and wife to Axel Smith, nw. qr. of 23-26-1, \$14,500.

The ladies of Randolph have adopted a sort of an endless chain plan of obtaining money for the books of their new library. Here is the plan given in the Times:

A plan has been adopted for the benefit of the public library in which all the ladies of Randolph are earnestly urged to cooperate in order that it may be a success. The first hostess will be Mrs. Lord. The proceeds are for new books. The rules are as follows:

1. Each hostess invites four guests.
2. Each guest pays 10 cents.
3. Each guest will entertain four other guests the following week.
4. Each hostess may entertain any day and in any way she desires.
5. Each hostess shall serve either one kind of cake or sandwiches and one beverage (no more).
6. Any hostess breaking rule 5 shall pay a fine of 25 cents.
7. Any person who is invited the second time shall pay 10 cents, but need not entertain again unless she wishes.
8. Immediately after the hostesses has entertained she shall hand to the librarian the list of her guests and 40 cents collected.

WAYNE

(By Mrs. Mary Meyer)

We came from Pennsylvania Six years ago today In search of hidden treasures In Nebraska stowed away, Wayne City seemed to call us For the Normal on the hill We understand for boys and girls Was an education mill.

And this Normal that we speak of With its buildings large and grand Its faculty and teachers The best in all the land Is surely an ideal place To educate our boys, And train our girls for teachers And domestic science joys.

Our high school too we're proud of On the western slope of Wayne Where children by the hundreds go Through sunshine, snow or rain. Then there's our little hospital Which sprung up by our side And is a boon to many people Who come from far and wide To have their ills and ailments Relieved by special care, Of skillful nurses and doctors Who no time or money spare.

But that's not all in Wayne that's good Just take a look down Main At the many teams and autos Which speak of thrift and gain. The people come from far and near In Wayne they know they'll find Good prices for their produce. And for trade a goodly line, Of all supplies for farm and home Best suited to their tastes Of fine and fancy groceries Of dry goods, threads and lace.

Then there's the business men of Wayne, Lawyers, bankers, merchants, all They're loyal, true and honest Would not from their standards fall; For lust of wealth or greed of gold Would not advantage take Of their customers who trust them And to them their earnings take.

Several churches too in Wayne we have With noble men and grand To guide our steps in straighter paths Toward the Canaan land, Our ministers and workers Of our churches here in Wayne Stand ready to help unfortunates Through hunger want or pain. Yes Wayne's the Golden City of opportunities, For broader minds and character Of each woman, child or man.

The Charge of The Measle Brigade

(From The Goldenrod)

Half an inch, half an inch, Half an inch onward, All into the Normal School Rode the red measles. "Forward, the light attack! Charge for the nose!" he said, On the face of man Rode the red measles.

"Forward the Light Brigade!" Was there a measles dismayed? Not though Josephine knew The doctor had blundered. Thous not to make reply. Thous not to reason why Thous but to fill the eye: Into the chamber of death Rode the red measles.

Plunged in the measly rash, Nurses to right of them, Nurses to left of them, Nurses in front of them Trembled and blundered Stormed at with howl and yell, Boldly they rode up hill; Into the jaws of Faculty Into the mouth of Student Rode the red measles.

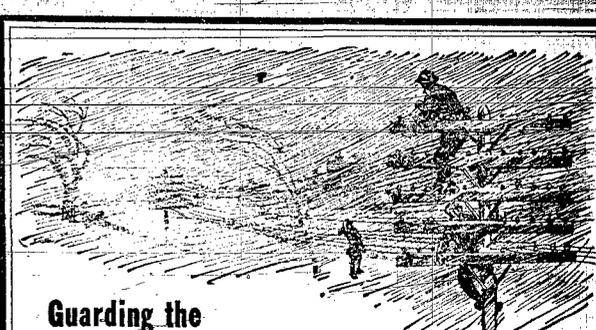
Itched all their redness sore; Itched as they squirmed in air, Mearsing the simmers there, Charging an army, while All the school wondered; Right through the skin they crash Sinner and saint Rode from the measles stroke, Scratched and sundered.

Then they rode back—but not, The same red measles. When can their redness fade? Oh, the wild charge they made! All the school wondered, Honor the charge they made? Curse the Light Brigade! Measly six hundred.

Typewriter for Sale

No. 5 Underwood, in fine condition, priced right for quick sale Ask Carrie Garrett, or Phone 115.—adv. 10-tf.

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 Address O. A. Johnson, M. D., Suite 528, 1320 Main st. Kansas City, Missouri.—Adv.



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Tirelessly and unceasingly our maintenance forces guard our long distance lines against storms, fires and other unforeseen destructive forces.

Constantly the telephone circuits are watched, tested, kept in order, and in cases of trouble repairmen hurry at once to the scene of the difficulty, regardless of weather conditions.

Early every morning tests of all the long distance lines are made with delicate electrical apparatus. With these appliances can be determined within a few feet the location of a broken wire, a line loosened at a cross arm, or the branch of a tree hanging across the wires. Any of these will cause trouble.

A large force of men is constantly retained by this Company, stationed a few miles apart, along the toll lines, ready to replace poles damaged by lightning or other causes, to tighten wires loosened by the wind, to renew broken insulators or make other repairs needed to keep the wires always ready for use. At definite periods during the year overhanging trees are properly trimmed to keep the branches away from the wires.

Pole-to-Pole Inspections Made

To insure the public against the sudden breaking of poles by wind or sleet storms, carrying down with them perhaps a score of wires, pole-to-pole inspections are made at regular intervals. Constantly old poles are replaced by new ones where examinations show it to be advisable.

When storms, winds, snow or sleet are predicted the conditions affecting each telephone line are watched carefully. If trouble is likely, emergency supplies are prepared, and repairmen, testmen, and linemen are rushed by train, auto or buggy to the points of threatened damage.

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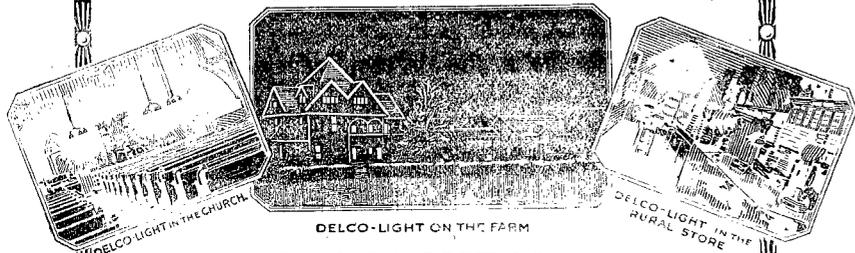
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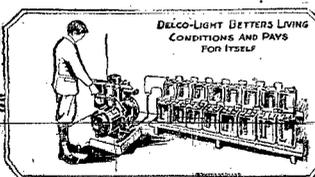
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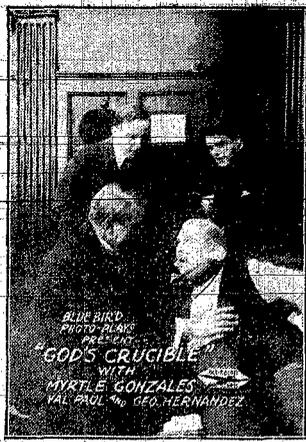
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DELCO-LIGHT ON THE YACHT



Crystal Theatre

Matinee and evening
Wednesday, March 28

Sholes Sayings

Miss Frances Burnham was visiting relatives in Sholes Friday.
Mr. Longnecker of Omaha is in Sholes. Came Monday morning.
Mr. and Mrs. Ashur Hurlburt were Wayne passengers Monday.
J. C. McDonald is visiting his son John at the Normal for a few days.
Mrs. Sears of Wayne is visiting at her daughter's Mrs. Dempsey this week.
Miss Edna Larson entertained Maud Gibson and Miss Warner Sunday afternoon.
Mrs. King and children expect to go to Lincoln this week to visit Mrs. Kings sister and from there to Fairbury for a visit with home folks.
Several new pupils are coming in and our school work is getting along nicely. The eight grade are brushing up to be ready for examinations.
Miss Ileen Sweeney of Humphrey is the guest of Miss Alice Root. She came last Wednesday. The many friends of Miss Root will be pleased to know that she is improving in health.
Some of the young people planned a large sleighing party for Monday evening, but found the roads were too bad to attempt getting through, and the evening's pleasure was called off.
Lot John Hughes came to town Friday and was unable to get home. His buggy got stuck in the snow at the Thompson place and he was obliged to unhitch and remain at the Thompson home for a day or two.
George Feddern moved to Colorado Thursday and Glade McFadden moved into the Feddern property the same day, just in time before the blizzard. We understand H. B. Isom has rented the McFadden house.
Several from Sholes went to Carroll last week to attend the funeral of the late D. M. Davis, among those who went were: W. H. Root, E. A. McDowell, J. C. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Beaton, Bruggeman and H. W. Burnham.
Saturday Chris Brandon came from Tower, Wyoming. He is loud in his praise of that country and says one thousand people fled on land in that vicinity this past year. Brandon has many friends in this section of the country who are glad he is pleasantly located.

SEEDS—Alfalfa, all kinds of clover and grass seed, millet, rape, sugar cane, etc. etc. Highest prices paid for cream and eggs at Hanford Cream Station, Wayne. Phone 59.

Senior-Junior Banquet

The annual senior-junior banquet was held last Friday evening in the Baptist church parlors.
The room was decorated very artistically in the junior colors, lavender and white, an entire roof being made over the many tables. The room was lighted with candles. The color scene was also carried out in the place cards, nut cups and flowers. At each Junior place was a bunch of violets and at each Senior place a white rose.
A very delicious four course dinner was then served by ten young ladies garbed in white and lavender costumes. The following menu was served:
Fruit Cocktail
Arlington-Asparagus
Supreme of Chicken
Snowy Potatoes
Lemon Jell
Rolls Olives
Waldorf Salad
Wafers
Junior '17 Ice Cream
Angel Food Cake
Coffee Mints
Nuts

At the end of the banquet, Toastmaster Clarence Sabin took charge of the program. At the close of his introductory remarks he introduced A. W. Christiansen who responded to the sentiment of "Forward, March." He prophesied the future of the class fifty years hence. Mr. Herman Siems was next introduced his toast being "Present, Arms." He told some of his experiences since coming to America. Next Ward Randol was called upon to "Shoulder, Arms" which he did in a very willing manner. Conper Ellis followed with a "Counter, March", which was much enjoyed by all. Next came the "Aim" by H. H. Hahn. He said some Junior must take up the aim of each Senior. He gave specific examples as to what some of these aims were. Elizabeth Ruol was then called upon to "Fire" which she did without any hesitation. To close the program Mr. J. G. W. Lewis called a "Halt."

The toastmaster then closed the evening's entertainment with a few very appropriate remarks.

Suggestions

It would be fine if the weather makes it possible before this time next week for the city to drag the streets leading to the college, and put them in the best shape possible, for we will have a lot of visitors. Then if the Boy Scouts would arm themselves with shovels and form a "crossing-cleaning brigade" and keep the crossings of the city free from mud while the visitors are here, it would make a mighty fine impression on the school-marm. If the boys do not hurry in the matter, a lot of our bachelors will be out on the job—for they want to make a good appeal.
It is pretty early and rather wet now, but perhaps we can all slick up about the places a little during the next six or seven days.
Beyond a doubt our merchants will have their window-dressing given careful attention. Nothing appeals more to the stranger with a dollar to spend than a well planned window display. Some are already washing the windows.
Every citizen should wear his best smile all the while—all the while.

How's This?

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Among the Churches of Wayne

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Spring calls each back to his place in the church of his choice.
Elder Wm. A. K. Neely has been elected delegate to represent this church at the spring meeting of Presbytery.

The subject of the morning sermon next Sunday will be: "The Way, The Truth, The Life." The Sunday evening theme will be: "The Secret of the Untroubled Heart."

An Easter program will be given by the Sunday school and the evening choir on Easter Sunday evening at 7:30. Mrs. A. R. Davis is the chairman of the committee that will have the preparation of this program in charge.

There will be attractive music at both church services next Sunday. Mrs. W. E. Johnson is the morning chorister and Mrs. James Miller is organist. Mrs. Horace Theobald is our evening chorister and organist. All are invited to attend these services.

Mr. A. R. Davis has been asked to lead the Y. P. S. C. E. meeting on next Sunday evening at 6:30. The topic will be: "The Saloon—the Poe of Society." The C. E. society invites the men of the church to attend this meeting. Mr. Davis will have a message that will be of value to all.

Remember that April 1st is the next Communion Sunday. New members will be received into church fellowship at that time. The annual congregational meeting will be held the following day. There will be a joint meeting of the Session and Board of Trustees on Sunday afternoon, April 1st.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

(Rev. J. H. Fetterolf, Pastor)
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
The regular program of morning and evening services next Sunday at 11 a. m. The subject will be "The Church in Sardis and Its Lessons for Us." At 7:30 p. m. there will be another sermon on Pilgrims Progress, "Pilgrims Fight with Apollyon."

A new feature in our evening service is the Junior choir. They did splendidly last Sunday night in their first appearance. They will furnish the music again next Sunday evening.
Luther League meeting Sunday 6:45 p. m. There has been a steady gain in attendance at these services for some while past. This is as it should be. Now that we have won that campaign let us set out upon another for better preparedness for the meetings.

Methodist Church

(Rev. A. S. Buell Pastor)
The work is about completed in all parts of the church so that the basement rooms and upstairs rooms will all be available for use next Sunday.
Rev. E. A. Worthley, student pastor at the State University, Lincoln, Nebraska, was with us last Sunday preaching at both morning and evening services. Rev. Worthley reports an enrollment of about thirteen hundred Methodist students in the State University this winter.

We will have all of our regular services next Sunday. The theme for the morning sermon will be "Institutional Christianity", the evening service will deal with the evil forces in the world. You are invited to make this homelike church your church home.

German Lutheran Church

—Rev. Moehring, Pastor.
The pastor will preach at Windsor next Sunday morning at 11:45 a. m. No service at Wayne on next Sunday.
There will be confirmation at the Wayne church a week from next Sunday at 11 a. m.

Women Against The Men

(Publicity Committee)
The men did well in the music line at the Baptist church last Sunday night but the women are planning to do better next Sunday night. It will be their inning and a great bevy of them will be at "the bat" and do their best to delight the audience with better music than the young men gave at the time of their try out.
The program will be arranged with pleasing effect and embellished with interesting numbers. There will be an appropriate reading by a member of Miss Mack's class of expression. So far these readings have reflected great credit upon the efficiency of the expression teacher and the ability of the young people who have rendered them.
Mr. Gaston will discuss the latest war developments and give some attention to Russia—the last born Republic.
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Ralph Rundell, Wayne

Order of Hearing on Original Probate of Will

The State of Nebraska Wayne County, ss.
At a County Court, held at the County Court Room, in and for said County of Wayne, on the 8th day of March, 1917.
Present, James Britton, County Judge.

In the matter of the estate of Henrietta A. Chambers, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of J. G. Chambers, praying that the instrument filed on the 8th day of March, 1917, and purporting to be the last Will and Testament of said deceased, may be proved, probated, allowed and recorded as the last Will and Testament of said Henrietta A. Chambers, deceased, and that the execution of said instrument may be committed and that the administration of said estate may be granted to Edward J. Chambers as Executor and Henrietta Yarrington as Executrix.

ORDERED, That April 2nd, A. D. 1917, at 11 o'clock a. m., is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a County Court to be held in and for said County, and show cause 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.

11-4 James Britton,
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