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NEBRASKA STATE COUNCIL OF DEFENSE ORGANIZED

Wayne County Citizens Organize County Council With Efficient Officers to Co-Operate With State and Nation

The last legislature enacted a law authorizing a council of defense for Nebraska, and in accordance with its provisions Governor Neville, who under the law automatically becomes ex-officio member of the general council committee, named the following citizens, representative of the different interests in the state, as the law provides; and designated the departments they were to assume responsibility for:

- Finance—Chas. A. McCloud;
- Robert M. Joyce; George Coupland.
- Defense and Security—Adjutant-General Hall.
- Transportation—George Brophy.
- Food Conservation—George Coupland.
- Co-operating Agencies—Miss Gertrude Keating of Red Cross.
- Medicine and Sanitation—Dr. E. O. Weber.
- Labor—T. P. Reynolds.
- Survey and Topography—George M. Johnson.
- Secret Service—Richard L. Metcalfe.
- Recruiting—General George H. Harries.
- County Organization—Joyce and Coupland.

Wayne County Organizes

This committee named John T. Bressler of Wayne to act in the matter of a county organization, and co-operating with the public service club a move was at once started which resulted in the call of the meeting which was held at the college auditorium Sunday afternoon, when the following organization was effected for the county of Wayne:

- President, John T. Bressler.
- Vice President, P. M. Corbit.
- Secretary, J. M. Cherry.
- Treasurer, H. F. Wilson.

A committee selected by chairman Bressler, composed of A. R. Davis, Jas. McIntosh, W. A. K. Neely, Clyde Oman and Wm. Von-Seggern was named to select a man from each precinct to work with the central committee in securing results desired.

Below we give the name, precinct and postoffice of the committee named and elected:

- Hoskins Precinct—Dr. H. W. Parchen, Hoskins.
- Garfield Precinct—George F. Drevesen, Hoskins.
- Sherman Precinct—C. O. Sellon, Randolph.
- Hancock Precinct—S. H. Rew, Winside.
- Chapin Precinct—R. R. Smith, Wayne.
- Deer Creek Precinct—H. C. Bartels, Carroll.
- Brenna Precinct—C. E. Wright, Wayne.
- Strahan Precinct—August Witter, Wayne.
- Wilbur Precinct—F. M. Griffith, Wayne.
- Plum Creek Precinct—George Berres, Wayne.
- Hunter Precinct—W. A. K. Neely, Wayne.
- Leslie Precinct—George Buskirk Sr., Pender.
- Logan Precinct—George B. Aistrop, Wakefield.
- Winside Precinct—E. W. Cullen, Winside.
- Wayne 1st Ward—Edward Perry,
- Wayne 2nd Ward—J. H. Massie,
- Wayne 3rd Ward—C. M. Craven.

In spite of threatening weather which deterred many from attending, especially from the country, there was a large audience at the appointed hour. James Ahern, president of the Public Service club, called the meeting to order and stated the object for which it was called. A chorus of many

voices joined in singing a patriotic song, after which J. G. W. Lewis read President Wilson's inspiring message to the world, so fairly outlined the position of America in the great conflict, and the results we feel justified in striving for—the defense of democracy against the arrogance of autocracy in government.

Under the plan of the meeting to have the united efforts of all in order that greatest results might be attained, representatives of the different walks of life were invited to speak. Rev. S. X. Cross spoke for the church, and while not approving war and bloodshed said that it was justifiable in his opinion, and according to the teachings of Christ and the church when waged, as we conceive we are doing in this case, for self defense, principle and humanity.

President Conn of the State Normal told of the mission of the school in the great work—co-operating in intelligent production and conservation—a work of great importance.

A. R. Davis, president of the auxiliary organization of the Red Cross, told of the need of such an organization to provide for binding up the wounds, saving life and suffering by the best and most efficient care of those who have suffered injury in the fight for a just cause and also for those who suffer from injuries received from those who have opposed us in battle, for the Red Cross knows no enemy and its mission is to relieve distress and suffering wherever found.

Mrs. E. W. Huse ably told of the great work woman can and will do in the matter of conservation—conservation of food, clothing and all things needful. She read a short story, printed elsewhere in this issue, telling of the importance of saving from waste a single slice of bread per day by each family. What this tells of bread is true of any other product of the kitchen, of the farm or store. If we but manage to save for consumption what has been wasted in other days we shall do much to make possible the successful conclusion of our present troubles, and if the habit be formed and established it will be of material benefit for years to come.

Mr. Siems, superintendent of the school gardens was called to speak, and he told of the work being done and planned by that organization at this place, more than 100 gardens being cared for under his direction and that of the group leaders. To can and preserve the products of the orchard and garden will also be a part of their work.

In behalf of the business men, Frank S. Morgan struck a key note when he said that his place was at his place of business giving the best possible service to the public. He did not urge an economy which would be hurtful to the manufacturing industries, which in turn would reach producers of raw materials, but rather a conservative buying of all that is needed the same as in times of peace. Such a normal attitude of the public toward business would tend to do the greatest good to the greatest number. He spoke of the move under way among the business men of Wayne to pledge help in the harvest time to save the crops to the people by going to the harvest field in person and taking a part, and the donating the proper wage which the farmer should pay to the Red Cross. The business man proposes to do his full part in producing and conserving our resources.

P. M. Corbit, as a representative of the farmers of the county spoke, and most happily told of the great importance of their work in providing all with the necessities of life in war or peace. He read the prophecy of Victor Hugo, written fifty years ago, telling of the inevitable conflict which now appears to occupy the world-stage. He was sorry that more farmers were not in the audience (the weather conditions accounted for their absence) but pledged that they would be ready to deliver their part of the needed goods to make of this war a success. Later he expressed the following sentiment which we gladly give publicity:

"Recognizing that from patriotic motives there are numbers of men who are willing to do their share to further the preparedness of the country, to meet all aggressions or emergencies; and the farmers of Wayne county, being intelligent, high class specialists

Attend the
FLAG RAISING
and
PATRIOTIC PROGRAM
on Court House Lawn
WAYNE
Sunday Afternoon, May 27th
3:00 o'Clock

Sacred Concert
Under Direction of Prof. M. S. Davies

Presentation of Flag
Commissioner P. M. Corbit

Dedication of Flag
By the G. A. R.

Patriotic Address
Judge A. A. Welch

Music Throughout the Program
By Carroll Military Band

in the production of beef and pork shall constitute a preferred class, whose patriotic duty leads them to enlist their very best judgment and effort in the production of food and the conservation of same; and this shall be designated the Wayne County Food Producers Reserve Corps."

Henry C. Richmond of Omaha, who was elected secretary of the state organization, and been secured by the club to assist in the organization, then spoke briefly of the purposes of the state, giving the main points of the law under which the state organized, and telling of the result of the meeting called early in May to organize as printed above. Then under his direction the county organization was perfected as given in this article.

The object of the organization, as clearly stated by President Ahern of the local club are to insure thoro, intelligent and active co-operation in production and conservation—being in position to act promptly and intelligently and effectively in aid of measures which we can most effectively forward and avoid a waste of effort and energy by being in position to give united aid where most needed and not fritter away time and money in an impractical way on all of the dozens of plans or projects that are soliciting aid. Too many well-meaning efforts fail to produce results because it takes the major portion of the proceeds of the work to maintain it. To avoid this loss is one of the objects of united action.

Nebraska Synod Conference

The good people of the German Evangelical Theophilus church southwest of Wayne where Rev. Fischer is pastor, will entertain the annual meeting of the Nebraska District of the German Evangelical Synod. Rev. Fischer tells us that the first meeting, a preaching service to which all are welcome, will be held Wednesday evening. Business sessions will be held both morning and afternoon during the remainder of the week, and preaching service both Thursday and Friday evenings, and that on Sunday there will be three services, morning, afternoon and evening, when the synod closes.

The church, recently enlarged and improved will be prepared to serve a dinner and supper each day in the commodious basement, so that those who so desire may remain at the church from the morning session until the close of the evening services. The district churches are expected to send at least 25 ministers and fully as many delegates. It will be an important gathering of the people for this part of the state.

We hope to have a program for publication next week.

Order that summer suit now. You may have it half, quarter, eighth or full skeleton lined as you choose. Morgan's Toggery.—adv.

Stock Shipments of the Week

The past seven days have marked the exodus of quite a number of bunches of fat cattle from the farm lots of this vicinity. Thirteen car loads of stock went from here Saturday. F. M. Griffith drove in and cared three loads; Andrew Stamm two cars, Gus Hanson two loads, Lyn Hanson three cars of cattle; H. Lessman and Oscar Johnson each a car load. This all went to Chicago, leaving on a special train Saturday evening, except one car from Lyn Hanson, which went to Omaha the next evening. John Shannon purchased one car from Johnson, we believe, and it was shipped in his name.

The returns were slow coming back, and at this writing we know of but one bunch price, which brought \$13 the cwt.

Tuesday Chas. LaCroix sent two cars to Omaha, E. J. Auker the same and H. and J. Venneberg each a car of stock—one hogs and one cattle. It is thought another big shipment will be started next Saturday if the market condition looks right. Meantime a few other bunches are being held for June shipment.

Wayne Business Men Aid Farmers

The business and professional men of Wayne, members of the Public Service Club, will go out wherever they are needed and help Wayne county farmers harvest this season's crop. The plan is as follows:

A farm labor bureau will be formed under the direction of the County Council of Defense. The business men will report to this bureau just what days in the week they can go out to the farm. Farmer's needing help will apply to this bureau and get this help as they need it. Some of the business men would not be of much use to a farmer but they will do their share by sending out some one who can do farm work and they will fill this man's place in town for the days he is out. Stacking alfalfa, harvesting grain or picking corn. The business men will try in this direct way to help Wayne county farmers raise and harvest as big a crop as possible.

The secretary of the Public Service Club is now circulating a pledge and practically every business and professional man has already signed it.

The wages these men earn will be paid into the Public Service Club.

Wayne County will do her share to place all the resources possible squarely behind the government at this critical time.

Marriage Licenses Issued

County Judge has issued licenses to John Damme and Martha Ehlers Lawrence Ring and Martha Sandolh; Bennie Isom and Esther Lindquest.

A new lot of light colored ladies boots, up to the minute. S. R. Theobald & Co.—adv.

Senior Class Play

The large audience at the Normal Tuesday evening evinced enthusiastic approval of the work of the Senior class in "The Man From Home." The staging was excellent, every detail being carefully looked after. The care and expense necessary to such result were amply justified by the artistic effect setting.

The play, tho serious, carries through a vein of subtle humor. That the actors were able to interpret the delicate work of the writer was evidenced by smiles, laughter, applause, again and again and long continued.

The successful presentation of a play depends largely on a certain evenness on the part of the actors. On Tuesday night this requisite was largely in evidence. Each forgot himself in the work of the whole. No part stood out from the others except as one had a more important place in the action. Swiftly waxing interest from crisis to crisis, a little regret when the story was ended, a genuine admiration for each and all, these all were present in the minds of the audience Tuesday night. Never, in this community, has the writer noted so general a feeling of pleasure and enthusiasm as was in evidence when the audience dispersed with laughter, friendly comment, praise and satisfaction.

Miss Mack, who supervised the play, has again demonstrated her superior genius in developing a fine ability in her students and commended the admiration of the school and city. The following is the cast:

- Daniel Voorhees Pike Cooper
- Ellis The Grand Duke Vasil Vasilivitch
- Herman Siems
- The Earl of Hawcastle
- Clarence Sabin
- The Hon. Almeric St. Aubyn
- John Massie
- Louis Leuck
- Horace Granger-Simpson
- Gustav Rundquist
- William Young
- Ira McDonald
- Maurice Philleo
- Forrest Rockwell
- Vern Morgan
- Ethel Granger-Simpson
- Elsa Mildner
- Comtesse de Champigny
- Elizabeth Schrad
- Henrietta Moler

Decoration Day Program

2:00 p. m. Parade of veterans, flower girls, firing squad and boy scouts to opera house from G. A. R. headquarters.

2:30 p. m. A program of music at the opera house.

3:00 p. m. Invocation by Chaplain of the Post, A. J. Ferguson.

3:15 p. m. Instruction of veterans by Professor C. H. Bright.

3:30 p. m. Decoration Day address by Rev. S. Xenophon Cross.

4:30 p. m. Procession of veterans, flower girls, firing squad, boy scouts and citizens to Greenwood cemetery for the decoration of the graves.

Let the Democrat print it.

Obituary—Gildersleeve

James Leonard Gildersleeve, was born near St. Joseph, Missouri, February 1st, 1883, and died in Wayne, Nebraska, May 20th, 1917, being at time of his death 34 years, 3 months, 19 days old.

He had not enjoyed good health for more than a year, altho he continued at work most of the time. His strength was so depleted that he failed to regain himself after his operation and passed out of this life into the next with the confession of the Apostle's creed upon his lips. Mr. Gildersleeve's mother died when he was a small babe, so that he never knew the love and care of his own mother. He was wonderfully blessed in his grandmother who for several years mothered the orphaned children with all the love and care their own mother could have shown. He was married May 30, 1908, to Miss Mabel Sherbahn in Wayne, and to this union were born three children, Gladys age 13, Lila age 10, and Edna May age 6 years.

Together with his wife he joined the Methodist church in Wayne April 9, 1911, and he was also a member of the Modern Woodmen of America.

He leaves to mourn his loss, his wife and three children, his father Johnathan James Gildersleeve of Stewartville, Minnesota, his sister, Mrs. Grace Geer of Stewartville, Minnesota; his brother, William of Hill City, Minnesota; and a brother, Abraham Gildersleeve of Wayne, besides a host of relatives and friends.

He was a faithful husband and a good workman. We regret the untimely death which is our loss until we meet where death cannot enter. We love to believe that our Heavenly Father selects His own time for calling His loved ones home.

The funeral was from the Methodist church Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Buell preaching the sermon. The members of the Modern Woodmen attended in a body, furnished the pall bearers and performed their last sad rites at the Bier. The house was filled with relatives and friends, an expression of regard for the departed and sympathy for the bereaved family.

Found Place of Indian Burial

Will Weber hands us the following story of a discovery made near his ranch not far from Dunning:

A discovery of early Indian remains was made recently on the Dismal river, about fifteen miles above the junction of the Dismal and the Loup rivers, near Dunning, Blaine county. In all six skeletons have been found, several finely made agate arrow heads, remains of ancient fire places, buffalo and elk bones, and other aboriginal fragments. The discovery was made by Miss Frances Gage, daughter of J. D. Gage, a well known Grand Army of the Republic leader in Nebraska. O. L. Gage of Dunning is the man who brought this discovery to light.

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JONES' Bookstore

Plan to attend the Normal commencement exercises tomorrow morning at the Normal chapel at 10 o'clock. There is no admission charge and all are welcome. The address, "America as a World Power" by Hon. Henry Wilson will be one of much interest. The chapel should be filled.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Frank Whitney went to visit friends at Sioux City Sunday.

Japanese troops are said to be in France, fighting side by side with Russian soldiers.

Paul Young is home from Concord where he has just finished a successful school year.

Miss Sadie Hamill of Sioux City was visiting here last week, returning home the last of the week.

Mrs. Wamburg and children went to Winside Saturday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. Chas. Sokol.

Mr. Henry Gardner was over from Emerson Saturday and Sunday visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jos. Meyers.

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Mrs. J. H. Rimel went to Malvern, Iowa, last week to visit for a time at the home of her mother, Mrs. A. J. Boston.

L. A. Fanske went to Sioux City Sunday morning to spend the day there with wife and children who are there visiting home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Young from Emerson were here Sunday for a short visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gilderleeve.

Maurice Gamble has gone to Dalton, in the western part of the state, to put in the season on the farm assisting his brother-in-law, L. Chichester.

Mrs. George Miner and son Glenn and daughter Hazel left Monday to spend the summer on the Miner farm near Wessington, South Dakota. Another son is there hatching and farming. This leaves the home here without a housekeeper for a few months.

Mrs. C. H. Fisher was a Sioux City visitor Monday.

D. H. Cunningham and wife were visitors at Sioux City the first of the week.

Mrs. Eric Thompson and Mrs. John Kay went to Omaha Monday for a visit of a few days.

George Fortner was at Sioux City Friday buying for the patrons of the Fortner feed mill.

Everywhere the Red Cross is flaming, local organizations being made in nearly every county.

Dr. C. A. Lutgen from Auburn was here last week to visit his brother, Dr. S. A. Lutgen for the night.

Miss Winnie Jones of Carroll was at Norfolk last week to visit her sister, Mrs. Morris, who is at a hospital there.

Samuel Thompson and wife from Lyons came Friday for a week end visit at the home of their son, G. H. Thompson and family.

Mrs. Celia Dolan came from Randolph last week, planning to make an extended visit at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. J. Williams.

Robert Skiles returned home Monday from Wessington, South Dakota, where he spent a couple of weeks on his farm. He reports that they had heavy rains there Sunday.

Mrs. Borg of Wausa was thru here Monday on her way to Omaha where her husband, Rev. Borg is taking treatment for rheumatism and nervous breakdown, planning to go with him to Excelsior Springs for other treatment.

NOTICE—Some one has taken a small flag belonging to the ladies of the G. A. R. from the hall and as the same is needed very badly for the services Sunday and on Decoration day the parties having same are requested to leave it with A. J. Ferguson at once.

I. D. Henderson, Adj. J. B. Statismith.

Leslie Welch was home from Kansas City Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Cherry and daughter Francis were at Sioux City Friday for the day.

Corn and hogs and cattle continue to come to Wayne to market with much regularity.

Mrs. Bertha Rouse of Emerson was here Thursday night to visit her sister, Mrs. Mary Meyer.

L. A. Peters and wife of Randolph were here last week visiting at the home of their aunt, Mrs. J. J. Williams.

Mrs. Hoskins and her son Ralph and her sister Carrie Garrett left Saturday for a month visit at St. Joe and Cameron, Missouri. Master Ralph plans to remain there until fall.

James Wright has his house moving equipment at Laurel this week and it is said has several jobs in that vicinity. F. O. Martin was there last week helping to haul the equipment necessary to that place.

The well business is looking down these dry times. The city of Winnebago no longer has saloons, and the city has just completed a new well, and ordered a new pump for the same, and the construction of a concrete tank, so the Indians may have of water a plenty.

Friday morning Mrs. W. L. Gaston and her son Orvin, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Currier, who has made her home here with the Gaston family for some time, departed for their Broken Bow home. Numerous friends were at the station to bid them farewell.

Miss Nicolay of Battle Creek, who is teaching the Pleasant Valley school south of Wayne, visited at home over Sunday. She is much pleased with her school here, which closes in a little over a week, when plans are being made for properly observing the event by patrons and pupils.

Master Clarence Hanssen came home Sunday from Norfolk, where he has been at a hospital for the past month. He was pretty sick, but now with home folks about he will probably continue to improve and build up faster than white away. His father, W. O. Hanssen went for him Sunday.

J. C. Pawelski left Saturday for Montana, planning to look the land over with a view of locating there if pleased with the prospect. Mr. Pawelski is a man with the necessary rustling qualifications to make good in a new country, and if he shall locate there we predict that he will make things go.

U. S. destroyers, a fleet of them, were reported last week as having arrived at Queenstown, where they were given a hearty reception. They crossed the Atlantic without mishap, and reported for immediate duty upon arrival. They at once put out to sea upon receiving recognition at the port where they called.

Chas. Martin was looking after business at Sioux City last week. Mr. Martin gave people there the impression that he was either very rich for much of a sport, by ordering beans, onions, potatoes and steak at the restaurant. That's right—we do not know, that we have more than one life to live on this earth, so why worry.

James Finn of Carroll was a Saturday visitor at Omaha. He had a business mission there.

Henry Kloppling went to Lincoln Monday to get a car he had left there some time before and attend the big state conservation meeting which was called for this week.

Miss Georgia Moore, who has been attending the normal the past school year and staying at the J. H. Wendte home, left Monday for Lincoln where she plans to spend the summer vacation.

Rollie and Mrs. Ley went to Crystal Lake the first of the week to put things in shape for summer time at their cottage. Henry Ley went down Monday afternoon, and plans to remain a few days.

Mrs. Bert Atkinson of Carroll has gone to Shelby to visit her parents and a brother V. K. Kuntzelman, who has served a term in the United States navy, and is a gunner of reported ability, who will probably re-enlist now that Uncle Sam has need of him, and the training he has had. Mr. Atkinson accompanied her as far as Norfolk.

John Newman dropped from the train here a few minutes Friday on his way to his farm home near Hoskins. He had been at Omaha with a shipment of fat cattle. They were good enough to sell at \$12.50, and fat enough to average 1360, which means that they brought \$170 each. If he had 20 head in the car the purse would be \$3,400 per car load.

The agricultural warns farmers of the west against buying and planting the new cane seeds advertised in large quantity. Might make a trial in a small way, but it is safer to stick to the known varieties until more is known of the new kinds. It has proven by test that some varieties now on the market are inferior, both in food value and early maturity, to most of the commonly used standard varieties of cane and kafir corn.

A pound of cottage cheese, sometimes called Dutch cheese, is a most valuable food for man, and to waste so much skin milk from which it may be made, seems extravagant. It is rich in protein, the most important material for body building, and one pound of cottage cheese is equal in value of protein to more than a pound and a quarter of sirloin steak, or a pound and a half of fowl, or pork chop. It is also nearly the equal of these meats on the basis of energy supplied. People who use sour milk much as an article of food are healthful and long lived.

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Henry Kellogg and wife went to Verdel last week to visit at the homes of their sons near that place. Mrs. Kellogg is expecting to remain several weeks, but Henry promised the horse-shoe throwers he would return this week or the first of next week.

Randolph is to have a third bank, a Farmer State Bank with \$25,000 paid up capital is to be organized, or rather is organized and is to be opened soon. H. E. Dunlap, a banker from Fremont, and also McLean is to be the farmer cashier. Temporarily at least, W. F. Lueninghoner is to be president. Their regular meeting for election of officers and directors will be July 2nd.

Death recently claimed two of the finest, biggest men we have ever known, men whose mentality gave them a breadth of vision beyond the ken of the ordinary man; yet men so modest, so retiring of nature as to always refuse public notice—one "Uncle John" McLoughlin of West Point, a Cumings county pioneer teacher, the other Felix Hales editor of the Tilden Citizen and, too, a teacher of the old school and a credit to the teaching profession. Both were men whose home life was ideal—leaving widows whose remaining years can be but sweet memories of the lover-husbands they cherished during the years that are gone. Perfect mating in marriage is unusual, although it should not be. But so perfect were the lives of these two couples where death entered in and took away the protectors that they and their years of married happiness stand out in remarkable way of what marriage can be when really happy.—Mrs. Weekes Last Word.

Next week Randolph will vote on the question of issuing \$6,000 bonds for a system of sewers. When it comes to work of that kind we sort of turn populist for a few minutes and wonder why a city might not be authorized to issue a script which would not bear interest—or at least but a very slight amount, and have it negotiable, and avoid issuing bonds for quite a part of the cost of such an improvement. Six thousand dollars with the wealth of Randolph back of it is good, and if all of the people took it and used it, it would be good, and might be much easier and more quickly retired than a bond. At least the people who use it would be carrying their own interest.

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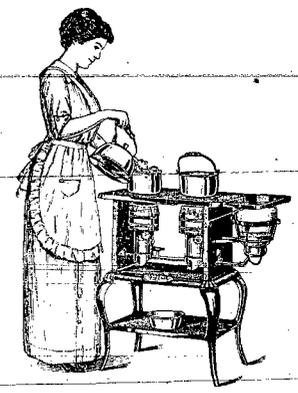
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Home-School Garden Project

Thinning and Re-Planting

Many garden plants require thinning. The thinning of plants is made necessary because more seeds are usually planted than are necessary, in order to insure a good stand of plants. This heavy seeding makes necessary the thinning of plants to insure the proper growth and the best quality.

The thinning of plants is a valuable practice. It enables the grower to study plants. It makes possible the eradication and the destruction of all weak and inferior plants. It gives the grower the opportunity of finding out which plants do the best and emphasizes plant selection.

The thinning of plants insures large and uniform specimens. Such plants as the radishes, beets, carrots, salsify, turnips and onions, cannot grow and develop smooth roots if they are crowded. Therefore these plants must be thinned. Plants like the beans, peas, lettuce and several more will struggle along if crowded, but the yield is always reduced.

The distance the several vegetables should be thinned depends upon the plant. For small root crops like the spring radishes the plants should stand about two inches apart in the rows. For beets, carrots, and the larger root crops, from four to six inches in the rows is about the proper distance. Such plants as the peas and the beans should stand two to four inches apart, depending upon the variety.

Thinning is very important because no plant will do well if it is crowded. Therefore, study your plant's needs and allow it plenty of room to expand, and to develop properly.

Re-planting is the reverse of thinning. Re-planting is the planting of seed a second or a third time, when it is learned that a part of the seed did not come up the first time and you have a poor stand of plants. Re-planting is important, because only the maximum yields can be obtained when there is a full stand of plants. If the seeds are new and have good vitality re-planting will usually never have to be practiced. Occasionally, however, a damp cool spell at the time of sowing the seeds will cause many of them to rot before they sprout. In such a case re-planting should be done as soon as the seeds fail to come up.

Replanting is both expensive and inconvenient. For these reasons it is best to secure good seed so that replanting will not be necessary. However, if for any reasons

the seed does not germinate properly, re-plant them just as soon as you learn the seeds are not sprouting. Re-planting should only be done at the places where the seed failed to come up.

Cultivating the Garden

All plants require cultivation. No plant will grow and produce a maximum yield if the soil is hard and firm. No plant will produce a good yield if the roots are restricted in their growth by hard and lumpy ground. All plants are benefited by cultivation, because there is more plant food, more warmth and more water available for plant growth.

The cultivation of the garden is beneficial for the following reasons:

First—Cultivation improves the physical conditions of the soil by breaking up the soil particles and making a finer seed bed.

Second—Cultivation holds more water in the soil by forming a dust mulch on the surface and preventing the loss of water by evaporation.

Third—Cultivation increases the amount of plant by stirring up the soil, which makes the food more available for the plant.

Fourth—Cultivation makes the soil warmer and permits more air to reach the roots of the plant.

Fifth—Cultivation adds humus to the soil by plowing under the manure or any green cover crop.

Sixth—Cultivation destroys weeds which are an injury to any growing plant.

The cultivation of the garden should be done frequently. Once a week is not too often. Every garden should be cultivated after each rain or after each time it is watered. The cultivating should be done just as soon as the ground is dry enough to work without making it hard and lumpy.

The principal tools for cultivating the garden are the hand weeder, the hand hoe, and the wheel hoe. Occasionally the hand rake is a convenient tool for smoothing the surface of the garden and making the soil fine, but it cannot be used for deep cultivating. The hand weeder is a small rake-like tool which is used to stir the soil between each plant. The hand hoe is used for cultivating between the rows and occasionally between the plants when they are spaced far enough apart. The wheel hoe is a small tool mounted on wheels which is equipped with several different kinds of shovels. The shovels can be removed and changed whenever the conditions warrant a different kind of a shovel. The wheel hoe is one of the most

valuable tools for a large garden because it is more efficient, and it saves both labor and time.

The proper depth to cultivate the soil depends upon the type of soil, the kind of plant and the season of the year. If the soil is light and sandy it can be stirred a little deeper than if of heavy clay. Early in season the soil is usually cultivated somewhat deeper than late in the season. Small plants must be cultivated more shallow and handled more carefully than larger ones.

The cultivation of the plants should be thorough and timely. Always see that the soil is well pulverized and that all of the weeds are destroyed, particularly those that grow up between the plants.

In The Service For His Country

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jones have received the following letter from their son Elmer, written under date of May 10, 1917:

"Well the deed is done, and am in the army for the period of the war only. I came down from Detroit last night on the steamer and went up to the army this morning with Harry Shaw, an old school mate of mine, and enlisted in Co. D. Ohio Engineers and have to report next Tuesday morning. My application for the Officers-Reserve Corps was finally accepted, but turned it down and enlisted as a private in this Engineering Co., as this regiment is the only English regiment in the federal service at the present time that is fully equipped and ready to pull out on a few days notice. Maybe you think I was foolish to turn down a commission and enlist as a private, but I don't, for the men who get commissions in this reserve company will never get to see any service, but will be required to stay in this country and train the recruits, and as long as I am in, I want to see a little action if possible, and if any troops are sent across we will be among the first. If we are sent I will get a week's leave of absence and come home for a few days. There is a dandy bunch of fellows in our company and five of us are old Nebraska boys and that makes it fine. You can write me at Camp Perry, Ohio, in care of Company D, Ohio Engineers.—Index.

Chiropractic Adjustment Beneficial

Below we give the name of a few people of nation wide fame who have taken adjustments and recommend them to their friends:

G. G. Conn, the maker of musical instruments; ex-Governor, W. D. Hoard of Wisconsin; Valeska Surratt, Maurice Costello, and Bessie Love of movie fame; Chas. Schwab, president of the U. S. Steel corporation; Clara Barton, mother of the Red Cross; Opie Reid, writer and lecturer; Elbert Hubbard the Philistine; Congressmen: Grey, Indiana; Hamlin, Missouri; Thomas, Ohio; Campell, Kansas; Anderson, Ohio; Kinkead, Nebraska; Griggs, Georgia; League, South Carolina; Prince, Illinois; Ansberry, Ohio; Padgett, Tennessee; Miller Reese Hutchinson head of the laboratories of Thomas A. Edison; John Temple Graves editor of the New York American; Cal Stewart, the original "Uncle Josh" of Victor fame; Dr. Browson, chair of Protestant religions Northwestern University; Sir Robinranath Tagore lecturer; Smoky Wood, the famous league pitcher when his arm went wrong; Christy Mathewson and certain big league clubs, also Ringling Brothers Circus have a Chiropractor on their pay roll.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS

In the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska.

Daisy Wilson, plaintiff vs. Charles Wilson, defendant.

The defendant, Charles Wilson, will take notice that on the 5th day of February, 1917, the plaintiff, Daisy Wilson, filed her petition in the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, against the defendant, Charles Wilson, the object and prayer of which are to obtain a decree of divorce from you, on the grounds, of non support, desertion, and cruelty.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 25th day of June, 1917.

19-5 Daisy Wilson.

Asking Compensation From Roads

From Washington comes news of one of the most far reaching complaints filed before the Interstate Commerce commission—four Utah coal companies today seek to recover approximately \$425,000 from the seven railroads as damages alleged to have been sustained thru the failure of the roads to supply them with an adequate number of coal cars for their operations.

The case sets a precedent. If decided in favor of the complainants, it would open the way for the filing of innumerable similar com-

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Harlowton, in the Musselshell Valley, where the Judith Basin line joins the main line of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry., is the chief town of Wheatland County and has experienced a great growth in the past five years in population and business houses. It is a well built, busy city in every respect. In the city you will find a modern hotel, extensive flour mills, business houses, banks, newspapers, and it is the distributing point for a large agricultural and stock district. The railroad yards and shops of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway contribute to its prosperity.

Within a few miles of Harlowton, you will find thousands of acres of choice lands waiting for the plow. The soil is the best on earth, consisting of a chocolate colored clay loam, intermingled with limestone and pebbles, carrying a considerable quality of free lime, which, in the process of cultivation, gradually disintegrates, feeding and enriching the soil and escorting the elements required by the growing crops. The percentage of lime in the soil of this district is so high that it is of very great value for use in place of the manufactured fertilizers, where such products have to be used.

The climate is as good as any one could wish and the rain fall is sufficient to always assure crops, two-thirds of the moisture falling during the growing season. You will never hear of droughts, hot winds, black rust, or cyclones in this part of Montana.

Of the wheat grown in the Harlowton district, at least 95 per cent is of the high class hard varieties, which is the best flour wheat produced. The large flour mill at Harlowton is able to use all the wheat that can be produced in this district, assuring you of a home market for your crop. During the past seasons, the farmers of this locality have produced on an average from 20 to 61 bushels of wheat per acre and other crops in proportion. In many cases the money value of the crop, per acre, has been equal to or even greater than the price of the land on which it was grown.

In the line of fruits, we have apples, plums, cherries, currants, raspberries and strawberries, as well as garden stuff of all kinds.

We quote here the aggregate resources and liabilities of the 235 banks, trust companies, investment companies, etc., that you may from an idea of the wealth realized from last year's crop. On December 27, 1916, the above totaled \$108,036,993.00, an increase of \$3,751,528.00 compared with the \$104,287,467.00 which was reported November 17, 1916. Does this not look to you as if Montana "The Treasure State" was the place for you? We bid you WELCOME.

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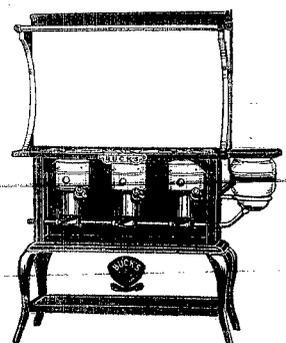
Wayne, Nebraska

plaints, not only by coal and other mining companies, but by manufacturers and shippers of virtually all commodities carried in interstate commerce, for alleged losses running into many millions.

It seems as though such a claim might be most just. The railroads appear to be allowed their own time in bringing commodities. John Jones orders a car of coal, and it is started as soon as car can

be secured. Then when loaded, it may be allowed to remain on the siding a time before it is started, then it is left to dally along the way, and finally comes to its destination some stormy time with several other cars for the same person. The car is spotted, and unless unloaded within 48 hours the company fines the man at least a dollar a day—but they may keep the stuff on the car for a month

longer than should be required to deliver, and no matter what the damage to the people waiting for it, there is no redress. Yes, the railroad will even confiscate coal belonging to its patrons, and thus deprive a dealer of his profit expected from the sale of same, as well as inconvenience and damage to the patrons of the dealer, and nothing in the bond makes them liable for the loss. It is not right.



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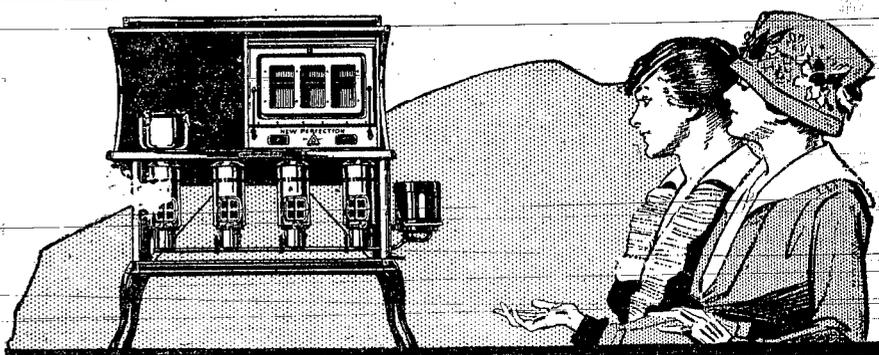
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Confirm Large Class at

St. Mary's Catholic Church

The largest class confirmation in the history of this church was that of Tuesday morning when Archbishop J. J. Harty, attended and assisted by Fathers—Collins of Dixon, McNamara of Bloomfield, Nordeman of Randolph, Harrington of Omaha, and Father Kearns of this place, administered the sacrament.

Many came from Carroll and several from Winside. Following is a complete list, including the towns: Elizabeth O'Keefe, Agnes Hennessy, Katherine O'Keefe, Lois Kesterson, Lillian Denesia, Madeline Stanton, Winifred Collins, Alice Loberg, Margaret Finn, John Brugger, Lloyd Kesterson, Edward Loberg, Chelsea Thompson, Raymond Finn, John Kesterson, James Ahern, Leo Finn, James Hennessy, Donald Taylor, Leo Collins, Charles Collins, Lawrence O'Keefe and Norbert Brugger of Carroll; Elizabeth Stewart, Margaret Stewart, Francis Kroger, Joseph Mores, Josephine Stewart, Isabel Stewart, Agnes Weber, Aena Fisher, Francis Gaertner, William Weber, Bonnie Moran, Louis Baker, Rosa Dennis, Helen Thielmann, Leila Baker, Mary Baker, Mary Thielmann, Louise Weber, Winifred McInerney and Gwendolyn Boyle of Wayne; Bernard and Mildred Cullen of Winside.

Wayne High School Commencement

The high school commencement exercises at the Methodist church last Thursday evening were of the usual character, and highly instructive. Our reporter discovered too late to secure a substitute that it was not possible for him to attend, hence our account of the interesting event must be brief.

Much interest was felt in the announcement of the name of the valedictorian, and while no one knew, members of the class were not surprised when the name of Jessie Watson was read. Helen Gildersleeve stood second in the list.

The music, prayer, and remarks by A. R. Davis president of the board of education were timely and fitting. The address of the evening by Hon. J. W. Woodrough was practical and contained much which might be remembered with profit by the class and all others.

There were thirteen in the class, as follows:
Luther D. Fetterolf, R. Lyle Gaston, Helen Gildersleeve, Marion W. Grothe, Mabel P. Hanson, Beulah O. James, Marsaline F. Lewis, Cidne Macklin, Helen M. Maip, Jesse M. Randol, F. Ernest Sedstrom, Jessie B. Watson.

The Last Day of School

Many of us remember with a thrill of joy yet the "last day of school." So, in years to come will others look back to some last day events, and of that number will be the pupils and patrons of the school which closed for the year last Friday in district No. 80, known as the "Four Corner School" three miles east of Sholes. Here Miss Katherine Loberg had concluded a successful school year, and teacher, pupils and patrons came to celebrate the completion of work well done. The pupils provided a fine program of speaking and singing, the patrons brought a picnic supper, and the teacher gave all a treat of ice cream. Miss Loberg tells us that she had a school of twenty-five pupils, and some one else told that she had been so successful with the work that she is asked to teach the same school next year.

Damme—Ehlers

At the German Lutheran church, Wednesday afternoon, May 23, 1917, Mr. John Damme and Miss Martha Ehlers were united in marriage, Rev. Rudolph Moehring officiating. The ceremony was in the presence of a few relatives only, and following it, the party drove to the home of the bride's parents, south of Winside, where a reception was attended by a goodly number of friends and relatives. The groom is a son of Wm. Damme, and will bring his bride to one of the Damme farms south of Wayne which he is conducting this year. All wish them much of joy.

A Liberty Loan Program

As suggested by the war loan committee there will be a special sermon on war conditions and the war loan in the Methodist church Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Laymen will be asked to take part in the service. All business men and farmers especially invited to attend.

Advertised Letter List

Letters—Mildred Barnes, F. A. Boyesen, Grover Draper, C. A. Berry, Postmaster.

Social Notes

A farewell picnic was given by the girls of the Bible Circle at the hospitable home of Mrs. F. R. Dean Saturday evening in honor of several of the girls who are not planning to return next year. Miss Emma Abbott whose sweet singing has been a source of delight to the girls, Miss Marguerite Nielson, who has been all the year at the Bracken-home and has added much strength to the work, and Miss Ina May Brayton, Mrs. Dean's niece, whose leadership has been of untold value to the Circle, were each remembered with tokens of love after the lesson on answered prayer led by Mrs. Herbert Rigg. Many prayers follow these splendid young women and we expect to hear great things for their future. Misses Nora and Cynthia Gilbert will be hostesses next Saturday evening.

Mrs. E. B. Young was hostess at a well attended meeting of the Bible Study circle Monday afternoon. After the inspiring lesson on the Holy Spirit and prayer for many objects, the war sufferers having a large place in the petitions, many mothers remembering their boys who have gone or are going and the usual heart-to-heart talks by all present, Mrs. J. E. Abbott who has been a valuable and greatly beloved member of the Circle the past year and is now leaving for Crawford, was presented with a beautiful embroidered tray cloth by the circle women as a token of their esteem for her. Mrs. Liveringhouse will entertain the Circle next week and all are invited.

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. Boyce last Friday afternoon meeting opening with singing. Mrs. Dean led the devotional exercises. Members responded to roll call with current events. Mrs. Fortner gave a reading; Mrs. Wollert gave a musical reading assisted by Mrs. Boyce and Miss May Hicox gave a piano selection with encore, which was very much appreciated by those present. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Elmer Noakes Friday June 1.

Last Monday afternoon from 3 to 6, Frederick S. Berry Jr. entertained about three dozen little boys and girls in honor of his seventh birthday. The little folks had a merry time playing games and listening to victrola music. Light refreshments were served, the favor were tiny flags with candy tied in with red, white and blue. The little guests departed after leaving tokens of their good will.

Mrs. C. A. Chace entertained a few friends Tuesday afternoon, complimenting Mrs. George Philico of Worthing, Minnesota, and Miss Margaret Selleck of Lincoln. At 5:30 a delicious two course luncheon was served.

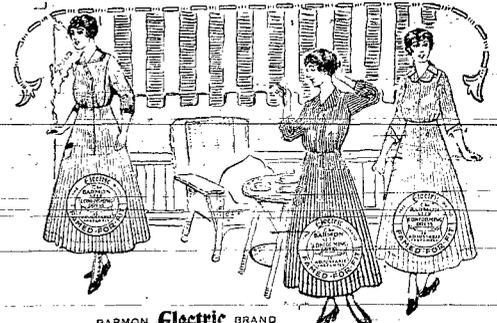
Miss Nita Foster entertained a party of eight of the young lady friends of Miss Emma Abbott at the Foster home Tuesday evening, and all enjoyed this farewell party given for their friend.

The Pleasant Valley club met with Mrs. Will Gamble last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Carl Thompson read a very interesting paper on "Sanitation". There were several invited guests present and Mrs. McCheeny was taken in as a member. At five o'clock a two

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course luncheon was served. Mrs. Elmer Noakes will be hostess the third Thursday in June, the 21st.

The Rural Home society postponed their meeting this week on account of the May Festival at the Normal. They will meet next Thursday with Mrs. Eph Beckenhauer.

Miss Fay Redmond entertained a few of her friends at the home of her uncle W. D. Redmond Saturday at a six o'clock dinner followed by a theater party.

The P. E. O. held a short business meeting Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Perry Theobald. This is the last regular meeting of the year.

Junior High Has a Good Time

The last week of school was a very pleasant one for the Junior High school students. The fun began on Monday evening, when the botany class went on a flower excursion and hike.

On Tuesday the tenth grade girls were guests at a delicious three-

Turning the Clock Ahead

The Methodist people in Wayne have turned their clock ahead thirty minutes and on after Sunday June 10 the Sunday school will convene at 10 o'clock with the regular preaching service at 11:00.

Pay your subscription today.

The Nebraska Democrat

The State Normal Commencement

This is commencement week at the State Normal, and the program printed last week is being followed, and it is a most interesting week not only for the faculty and students but for all who are privileged to attend.

Sunday evening the Baccalaureate sermon was given before an audience which filled the auditorium completely. Rabbi Emanuel Sternheim of Sioux City delivered a most able address, using for its title the "Reconstruction of Religion for Humanity." His texts were: "I see that all things come to an end; but Thy commandment is exceeding broad."—cxix Psalm. "During thirty years I sought for God, and when at the end of that time opened my eyes, I found that He was seeking me."—Bayard Bastami (an Eastern Saint.)

The thrust of the discourse was that a reconstructed religion, which seems now to be in the process of forming might not strengthen an organization of the churches, as such, but that it is vital that it bring "to chastened humanity a conception that is the final analysis the command of God is exceeding broad." It expressed the belief of the speaker that church organization and creed are not the real things to be sought, but to establish and feel man's relation to God to be that of personal intimacy and fellowship. Religion is natural to man, and is eternal. A reconstruction which would place religion in a new relationship to man, not merely an aspect of religion; a religion which expresses righteousness in everyday life.

We would be glad to have given the sermon complete, but that was not possible this week, but may be in some later issue of this paper.

Wednesday was devoted to field day sports, and they were of necessity handicapped by the fact that nearly all of the young men have been called away, either to the training camp of the army or navy or the farm.

All of today is devoted to the May Festival, beginning with May revels by the class in physical training early this morning, followed by an Artists' Recital at 10:30, and another at 1:30. This evening at 8:15 will be the grand recital, "Hiawatha," by a chorus of artists and the Beethoven Trio.

The program follows, for the graduating exercises for Friday:

Ten a. m., at Auditorium
Processional... Mrs. J. T. House
Music... Selected
Normal Ladies Quartet
Invocation... Rev. A. S. Buell
Vocal Duet... Selected
Messrs. Coleman and Lackey
Address, "America as a World Power".....
Hon. Henry H. Wilson
Flute Solo..... Herman Siems
Awarding of the "Mines Gold Medal" and the "Frank S. Morgan Cup"

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President U. S. Conn
Benediction... Rev. S. X. Cross

Awful Destruction by Submarine
Flour and sugar gone down—

Eggs are shelled, Grape juice and catsup bottled up, Olives doomed to be eaten whole, salmon laid on the shelf, Crackers canned and put in packages.

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WAYNE MARKET REPORT

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

Oats 83c
Corn 1.52
Spring Wheat 2.75
Eggs 30c
Butter 35c
Hogs 15.00
Fat cattle \$7.50 @ \$10.20

When the revenue law is finally passed we hope that it will be so shaped that the taxes exacted from the people will all go to the government. We want the law to prevent, as far as possible, any plan which will permit monopoly to levy a tax upon the consumer.

Nebraska looks dry. When they can fine a man \$100 for giving a drink to a friend or friends, and make it stick most people will cut out the treat habit as being too expensive. In fact, a real friend would not accept a drink when it might cost the donor so much in good cash besides the good liquor laid by as a reasonable amount for his own consumption. And as to the boot legger, it sure looks as if he would have all kinds of grief in any community where any one wants the law enforced. The way of the transgressor will surely be hard.

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Natives Scarce—Not Many Old
Sheep Here—Woolled Ewes Go at
\$15.55.

Union Stock Yards, South Omaha,
Nebraska, May 23rd, 1917.—A good
heavy run of cattle showed up for
Tuesday, about 400 loads or 10,000
head. There was a good demand from
both local packers and shippers for
fat cattle, but owing to the large supply
gave buyers the upper hand and
their bids were mostly all of 10@15c
lower than Monday and the bulk of
the early trading was done on this
basis. Quality of the offerings was un-
usually good on the average, but neat
toppy long fed heifers were somewhat
scarce. Good to choice 1,150 to 1,450-
pound heifers sold at \$12.40@13.00,
while the fair to pretty good year-
lings and medium weight heifers went
around \$11.65@12.35. Strictly good to
choice heifer stock sold around
\$10.25@11.25 and the bulk of the fair
to pretty good cows and heifers went
at a spread of \$9.00@10.00.

Quotations on Cattle: Good to
choice heifers, \$12.40@13.25; fair to
good heifers, \$11.75@12.35; common to
fair heifers, \$10.25@11.50; good to
choice heifers, \$10.40@11.40; good to
choice cows, \$9.85@10.85; fair to
good cows, \$8.75@9.75; canners and
cutters, \$7.00@8.50; veal calves, \$9.00
@13.50; beef bulls, \$7.25@10.25.

A very generous run of hogs put in
its appearance here Tuesday, early
estimates placed the supply at 104
loads or 12,000 head. Shippers started
out by buying a few hogs that were
fully steady to if anything a little
higher, while packers hung back for
awhile, but by midforenoon they were
filling some of their urgent orders at
steady prices. Up to 11 o'clock what
sales had been made were about
steady.

Sheep and lamb offerings for Tues-
day were of just about the same size
as the previous day, estimates being
placed at 19 cars or 4,500 head. On
the fed lambs, both of woolled and
shorn varieties the market was active
at strong to 10c higher figures. Wool-
led lambs reached a new high mark of
\$20.25, and the bulk of the clipped
lambs sold at \$16.80 and better and a
new record of \$16.25 was hung up.
Mates of the California spring lambs
that brought \$19.25 Monday reached
\$19.00, a flat 35c upturn.

Quotations on sheep and lambs:
Lambs, woolled, \$19.25@20.10; lambs,
shorn, \$15.75@16.00; spring lambs,
\$17.00@19.25; yearlings, shorn, \$13.00
@15.25; wethers, shorn, \$12.50@14.25;
ewes, shorn, \$11.75@14.00; ewes, cull
shorn, \$8.50@11.25.

At Randolph the citizens are do-
ing something practical. The use
of an acre and one-half of ground
has been donated by W. R. Cain,
and the business men cut the seed
and engaged a trusty span of mules
and driver to plant the same, and
when harvested and marketed the
Red Cross is to have the proceeds.
Seed potatoes were donated, and
the work of tending the crop is to
be gratis.

The Norman Stallion Valiers

a horse well known
at Wayne and vicini-
ty, weight 1750, and
a fine individual,
will make season of
1917 at the

LIVERY BARN
one block west of depot

TERMS—\$12.50 to insure
mare in foal.

Chas Maden
Proprietor

BRITISH EXPERT LAUDS RAILROADS OF UNITED STATES

Tells Congress Committee That
They Lead World.

NO GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP

It Would Mean Political Control and
Loss of Efficiency—Declares That
Crisis Confronts Country on Account
of Transportation Situation—Lowest
Freight Rates to Be Found In United
States.

Washington, May 14.—That the United
States is face to face with a serious
crisis in its commercial affairs, due to
the conditions by which its transporta-
tion system is confronted, was the opinion
expressed by W. M. Acworth, Eng-
land's leading authority on railroads,
before the Newlands joint committee
on interstate commerce at a special
session held here to enable the com-
mittee to hear his views before his de-
parture for London this week. Two
steps are necessary, according to Mr.
Acworth, to avert this crisis and to
solve the threatening railroad problem
confronting the country.

The first is to allow the railroads to
charge freight rates sufficient to meet
the great advance in operating ex-
penses which is taking place and to
enable them to command the credit
necessary to provide the extensions
and improvements needed to meet the
growing demands of business. The second
is to do away with the multiple
and conflicting systems of regulation
that now hamper railway operation
and to provide one centralized regula-
tory agency with such local subdivi-
sions as may be necessary.

Higher Rates a Public Necessity.

Mr. Acworth's views on the transporta-
tion situation in the United States
were expressed in answer to questions
by members of the committee, who
asked him to apply his knowledge
of railway conditions throughout the
world and of the experience of other
countries with government ownership
to the present problem before the United
States.

"The fundamental factor in the situa-
tion is very simple," said Mr. Acworth.
"It lies in the fact that you cannot
get three-quarters of a cent's worth
of work done for less than three-
quarters of a cent, no matter whether
the agency performing it is a govern-
ment or private enterprise. Freight
rates must advance when the cost of
performing the service advances as
it is doing at present, just as the price
of bread or meat or any other com-
modity increases with increased cost
of production."

In answer to a question Mr. Acworth
said that he thought American
freight rates had been at much too low
a level for several years past, that they
had reached this low point during the
period of cutthroat competition among
the roads and had since been held
there by regulating bodies. Unless relief
were afforded to the carriers very
promptly, he said, the result would
be a tremendous loss to the people of
the whole country through insufficiency
of transportation facilities.

Weakness of Government Ownership.

On the subject of government own-
ership of railroads Mr. Acworth said:
"It is impossible to obtain satisfac-
tory results on government railroads
in a democratic state unless the man-
agement is cut loose from direct polit-
ical control. Neither Australia nor
any other country with a democratic
constitution—perhaps an exception
ought to be made of Switzerland—has
succeeded in maintaining a permanent
severance. In France, in Belgium, in
Italy, parliamentary interference never
has been abandoned for a moment.
The facts show that government in-
terference has meant running the rail-
ways not for the benefit of the people
at large, but to satisfy local and sectional
and even personal interests."

Prussia, Mr. Acworth said, was the
best example of an efficient govern-
ment railway system, and he pointed
out that military considerations were
treated as of paramount importance in
the Prussian railway system. While
American freight rates had been re-
duced nearly 40 per cent in thirty
years, rates in Prussia were nearly as
high as at the beginning of the period.
While the charge for moving a ton of
freight one mile in the United States
was a trifle over three-quarters of a
cent, the rate in Prussia was 1.41
cents.

As illustrating the difference in rates
between government and private roads
Mr. Acworth compared the railroads
of New South Wales, Australia, with
those of Texas. While the amount of
traffic to each mile of line was about
the same in both cases, he pointed out,
the Texas railroads performed for the
public four times as much service as
the government owned roads of New
South Wales. The charge in Texas
for hauling a ton of freight one mile
was less than 1 cent, while in the Aus-
tralian state it was well over 2 cents.

"American railroads lead the world,"
said Mr. Acworth. "Nowadays when
men in any other part of the world
want to know how to run a railway
they come to the United States and
study your railroads here. The Amer-
ican railroads are entirely the result
of private enterprise, and I think they
go a long way toward proving the case
against government ownership."

How to Answer Questions on Registration Cards!

Read Carefully before you go to the registration table. Here is what you will be asked. Study the questions. Prepare answers in your mind

Questions will be asked for you to answer in the order in which they appear on this paper. These questions are set out below with detailed information to help you answer them.

Do not write on, mark, or otherwise mutilate these instructions. Do not remove them. They should be carefully read so that you will have your answers ready when you go before the Registrar.

All answers will be written on the Registration Card in ink by the Registrar, who should be careful to spell all names correctly and to write legibly.

1. Name in full. Age in years, _____
This means all your names spelled out in full.
State your age to-day in years only. Disregard additional months or days. Be prepared to say "19", or "25", not "19 yrs. 3 mos.", or the like.

2. Home address. _____
This means the place where you have your permanent home, not where you work. Be prepared to give the address in this way: "232 Main Street, Chicago, Cook County, Illinois," that is give number and name of street first, then town, then county and State.

3. Date of birth. _____
Write your birthday (month, day, and year) on a piece of paper before going to the Registrar, and give the paper to him the first thing. Example: "August 5, 1894."

If you do not remember the year, start to answer as you would if someone asked your birthday, as "August 5th." Then say "on my birthday this year I will be (or was) _____ years old." The Registrar will then fill in the year of birth. Many people do not carry in mind the year they were born. This may be obtained by the Registrar by subtracting the age in years on this year's birthday from 1917.

4. Are you (1) a natural-born citizen; (2) a naturalized citizen; (3) an alien; (4) or have you declared your intention to become a citizen (specify which)?

(1) If you were born in the United States, including Alaska and Hawaii, you are a natural-born citizen, no matter what may have been the citizenship or nationality of your parents. If you were born in Porto Rico, you are a citizen of the United States, unless you were born of alien parentage. If you were born abroad, you are still a citizen of the United States if your father was a citizen of the United States at the time you were born, unless you have expatriated yourself.

(2) You are a naturalized citizen if you have completed your naturalization; that is, if you have "taken final papers." But you are not a citizen if you have only declared your intention to become a citizen (that is, if you have only "taken out first papers"); in the latter case you are only a "declarant."

You are also a naturalized citizen if, although foreign born, your father or surviving parent became fully naturalized while you were under 21 years of age, and if you came to the United States under 21.

(3) You are a declarant if, although a citizen or subject of some foreign country, you have declared on oath before a naturalization court your intention to become a citizen of the United States. Receipt from the clerk of the court of the certified copy of such declaration is often called "taking out first papers." You are not a declarant if your first paper was taken out after September 26, 1906, and is more than 7 years old.

(4) You are an alien if you do not fall within one of the three classes above mentioned.

5. Where were you born? _____
First name the town, then the State, then the country, as "Columbus, Ohio;" "Vienna, Austria;" "Paris, France;" "Sofia, Bulgaria."

6. If not a citizen, of what country are you a citizen or subject? _____
This need be answered only by aliens and declarants. Remember that a "declarant" is not yet a citizen of the United States. If an alien or declarant, state the name of your country, as "France," "Japan," "China," etc.

7. What is your present trade, occupation, or office? _____
This does not ask what you once did, nor what you have

done most of the time nor what you are best fitted to do. IT ASKS WHAT YOUR JOB IS RIGHT NOW. State briefly, as "Farmer," "Miner," "Student," "Laborer (on farm, in rolling mill, in automobile, wagon, or other factory)," "Machinist in automobile factory," etc. If you hold an office under State or Federal government, name the office you hold. If you are in one of the following offices or employments, use one of the names hereafter mentioned:

"Customhouse clerk," "employed in the transmission of the mails," or "employed in an armory, arsenal, or navy yard," "mariner, actually employed in the sea service of citizen or merchant within the United States."

8. By whom employed? Where employed? _____
If you are working for an individual, firm, corporation, or association, state its name. If in business, trade, profession, or employment for yourself, so state. If you are an officer of the State or Federal government, say whether your office is under the United States, the State, the county, or a municipality. In answer to the question as to where you are employed, give the town, county, and State where you work.

9. Have you a father, mother, wife, child under 12, or a sister or brother under 12 solely dependent upon you for support (specify which)? _____
Consider your answer thoughtfully. If it is true that there is another mouth than your own which you alone have a duty to feed, do not let your military ardor interfere with the wish of the Nation to reduce war's misery to a minimum. On the other hand, unless the person you have in mind is solely dependent on you, do not hide behind petticoats or children.

10. Married or single (which)? Race (specify which)? _____
This does not ask whether you were once married, but whether you are married now. In answer to the question as to your race, state briefly whether "Caucasian," "Mongolian," "Negro," "Malayan," or "Indian."

11. What military service have you had? Rank? Branch? Years? Nation or state? _____
No matter what country you served, you must give complete information. In answering these questions, first name your rank, using one of the following words: "Commissioned officer," "Noncommissioned officer," "Private." Next, state branch in which you served in one of the following words: "Infantry," "Cavalry," "Artillery," "Medical," "Signal," "Aviation," "Supply," "Marine," "Navy." Next state the number of years' service, not counting time spent in the Reserve. Finally, name the Nation or State you served. If you served under the United States or one of the States of the United States, name your service in one of the following terms: "National Guard (of such and such a State)," "Militia (of such and such a State)," "Volunteers of United States," or "Regular Army (Navy) of United States."

12. Do you claim exemption from draft? Specify grounds. _____
Because you claim exemption from draft, it by no means follows that you are exempt. For the information of the War Department you should make a claim now if you intend to prosecute it. Some persons will be exempted on account of their occupations or offices, some on account of the fact that they have relative dependent upon them for support. Your answer touching these things will be important in supporting the claim you now intend to make in your answer to the present questions. Be sure, therefore, that the grounds you now state are in conformity with your answers to questions 7 and 8. In stating grounds you claim as exempting you, use one of the following terms: If you claim to be an executive, legislative, or judicial officer of the State or Nation, name your office and say whether it is an office of the State or Nation. If you claim to be a member of a religious sect whose creed forbids its members to participate in war in any form, simply name the sect. If you are employed in the transmission of the United States mails or as an artificer or workman in an armory, arsenal, or navy yard of the United States, or if you are a mariner employed in the sea service or any citizen or merchant within the United States, so state. If you are a felon or otherwise morally deficient and desire to claim exemption on that ground, state your ground briefly. If you claim physical disability, state that briefly. If you claim exemption on any other ground, state your ground briefly.

County Registrars

The following named men have been appointed registrars for Wayne county, all have volunteered, and receive no pay. These men will be at the usual voting places of the respective precincts between the hours of seven o'clock in the morning and nine o'clock in the evening on June 5th, 1917, where all young men who shall have attained their 21st year and who shall not have attained their 31st year, must register.

- Hoskins Precinct—W. C. Behmer, A. L. Templin.
- Garfield Precinct—J. L. Williams, C. W. Anderson.
- Sherman Precinct—Spencer Jones, W. H. Closson.
- Hancock Precinct—Harry Tidrick, Otto Miller.
- Chapin Precinct—George S. Faran, Lloyd A. Prince.
- Deer Creek Precinct—James E. Hancock, M. S. Linn.
- Brenna Precinct—A. C. Dean, Walter A. Peterson.
- Strahan Precinct—True Prescott, Henry Klopping.
- Wilbur Precinct—Andrew Stamm, W. H. Buefow.

Plum Creek—W. F. Assenheimer, Frank Erxleben.
Hunter Precinct—S. E. Auker, Lloyd Gilderleeve.
Leslie Precinct—David Herner, Amos Longe.
Logan Precinct—F. R. Dilts, Eph Anderson.
Winside—Walter Gaebler, Daniel B. Carter.

Wayne 1st Ward—W. O. Hanssen, Grant S. Mears.
Wayne 2nd Ward—O. C. Lewis, P. L. Mabbott.
Wayne 3rd Ward—James E. Brittain, LeRoy V. Ley.

Real Estate Transfers

Reported by Forrest L. Hughes, Bonded Abstractor, for the week ending May 21, 1917.
Alford C. Lantz to Gust H. Press, west 62 feet of lots 7-8-9 in block 4, in Bressler & Patterson's 2nd addition to Winside, \$4000.
Fred G. Philleo and wife to John Harrison, se quarter of sec. 20, twp. 26, range 4, \$26,000.
P. D. Corel and wife to Herman Fleer, e 50 feet of w 100 feet of lot 1 in block 7, Original Winside, \$1.

Pennsylvania is the first state to condemn the glass milk bottle. The carrier which will likely take its place will be made of light cardboard coated with paraffin. One special advantage gained by using the paper bottle is that all light is shut out from the milk—a condition almost necessary if milk is long to be kept sweet and pure.

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.

Read the advertisements—they may save money for you.

Fortner's Feed Mill

Has just received a car of
OIL MEAL

A car of Tankage on the way.
Plenty of Bran and Shorts.
Some Hay yet.

SEE FORTNER FOR FEED

He gives service to his patrons and prices everything right.



It has been demonstrated by the baker and the housewife that a small loaf of bread is not as economical as a larger one, hence when flour prices advanced, bakers quite generally quit baking the 5-cent loaf, and as it continued to advance it is found that the greater economy is found in eliminating the 10-cent loaf, and putting more bread and less labor, which is the same as money, into a loaf, and thus giving greater value.

This W. L. Fisher of the Wayne Bakery has done, and he now has a set of pans in which to bake the larger loaf for his many patrons. He asks you to try a loaf of the enlarged size.

THE Wayne Bakery

is the birthplace for all manner of choice bake goods—cakes, pies, doughnuts, rolls, buns; also has a department for ice cream, cool drinks and lunches. An ideal place for a treat.

Notice of Registration

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the fifth day of June, A. D., 1917, at the usual voting places in each precinct of Wayne county, Nebraska, all young men who shall have attained their 21st year and who shall not have attained their 31st year, must register.

A board of registrars will be found at the usual voting places in each precinct.

The hours for registering will be between the hours of seven o'clock in the morning and nine o'clock in the evening of the same day.

Do not look for any further notice, as this President's Proclamation is all the notice that is necessary, and the said Proclamation has been issued and published.

Failure to register subjects you to arrest and imprisonment.

Witness my hand and seal this 22nd day of May A. D. 1917.

Chas. W. Reynolds,
County Clerk.

For Sale

Several good second-hand rugs, different sizes. One 9x12. Call phone No. 168—adv. 21-tf.

CALL ON

Wm. Piepenstock

FOR

Harness, Saddles and everything in the Horse Furnishing Line

We also carry a full line of Trunks, Suit Cases and Traveling Bags

Prices Reasonable

Right-About-Face-Now

Is your pay spent before you get it?

Does it all go to somebody else, leaving none for yourself?

Are you struggling under a burden of debt because you got things "charged" thus spending ahead of your income?

Right-about-face-now. Join the army that is marching to success via the savings bank way. Don't wait to get out of debt before saving. Save first. This will get you out quicker than anything else.

Make this your watchword: Don't run any more bills till the old ones are cleaned up and you have a goodly bank account in the

The First National Bank

Oldest Bank in Wayne County

NEWS OF NEBRASKA

TOLD IN A FEW WORDS

The Lincoln Drug company is the first Nebraska wholesale drug firm to file with the governor an application for a liquor permit under the new law.

The brewery plant at Falls City may be turned into a cereal mill since the state has gone into the dry column. If the step is taken a corporation will be organized to be capitalized at \$10,000.

Henry Burns, until recently a resident of Gage county, was killed by lightning at his home in Franklin county. He was 30 years of age and leaves a wife and three children.

Group Four Nebraska Bankers' association met at Cambridge with over 100 prominent bankers in attendance. John Marvel, Hastings, was elected president for the coming year. E. Van Peterson of Curtis, vice president, and Ford McWhorten, Bertrand, secretary.

Members of the Fremont branch of the Navy league have undertaken to knit a jacket for each sailor on the battleship Nebraska. The funds for buying yarns for knitting has reached \$100. The branch has a membership of fifty.

Teaching of the German language in the public schools of Nebraska, made possible by the Mockett law, will probably be abandoned next year in all schools, according to reports received by W. H. Clemmons, state superintendent of public instruction.

Retail harness makers, in session at Grand Island, elected the following officers: President, William Reuter, Sutton; vice president, E. Berg, Mead; secretary-treasurer, L. C. Mathews, Rising City. A resolution of respect on the late Phil Ackerman was passed.

To encourage its 41,000 employees to invest in the liberty loan bonds, the Union Pacific company offers to advance the money to buy bonds for any employee to the amount of 25-per cent of his annual salary, permitting repayment at the rate of \$5 a month.

A Red Cross auxiliary has been organized at Gothenburg with a membership of ninety and the following officers: Chairman, Mrs. J. S. Walsh; vice chairman, Mrs. C. C. Farrell; secretary, Miss Elizabeth West; treasurer, Mrs. C. Soules.

War censorship that means just what it says is now actually in force at the military posts of Omaha and newspaper men were informed of that fact by commanders at Fort Omaha and Crook. The captain in charge at Fort Crook described this censorship.

Sheriff Atwood of Farwell confiscated two auto truck loads of liquor taken from the Anton Novak premises. Mr. Novak was one of Farwell's saloonkeepers and this liquor was what he had left over after closing May. It was taken to St. Paul and stored to await action of court.

Determined to have some equipment for his car, some cog broke into the J. M. Goodie garage at Stella and stole the right front wheel of a Ford car and three extra casings. The thief, it is thought, had broken a wheel near the cemetery and walked back to Stella and got his repairs and then went toward Falls City.

At a special meeting of the Emerson city board the tax levy for the year was raised from 19 mills to 22 mills. It was thought best to retain the two marshals at \$70 each a month and add the physical care of the streets to their work. No saloon license this year makes close figuring on expenses necessary.

Fire, accompanied by a strong wind, destroyed practically all the business district of Davenport. The first started in a meat market, then burned a restaurant, drug store, dry goods store, bank building, church, livery stable and telephone building. The loss is estimated at \$50,000, partly covered by insurance.

Twenty large sacks of partially spoiled beans, in storage in Omaha for more than a year, have been reported to State Food Commissioner Murschell, who will seize them to prevent their sale. Incomplete information given Mr. Murschell is that the beans are a part of the eight carloads which he condemned last winter. The beans will probably be fed to hogs.

Lincoln citizens have filed with the state railway commission complaint of the service of the Lincoln Traction company, declaring that the latter is conducting its affairs in a high-handed and ruthless manner, so that "murder has been committed, the peace and quietude of the community have been disturbed and assaults have been made."

Sixteen tubercular cattle out of a herd of fifty-five have been supplying milk for the patients of the state hospital for the insane at Lincoln, and three more cattle are under suspicion as having tuberculosis, according to tests made by the state veterinarian. The board of control ordered the examination, not suspecting almost one-third of the cattle were affected.

Attorney General Willis E. Reed conferred with Mayor William I. Farley of Aurora relative to the construction of a septic tank to dispose of sewage. The Aurora sewer has been emptying into Lincoln creek and the attorney general, acting on the report of the state engineer and the state health officer, is trying to have the nuisance abated. Mayor Farley has spent several days investigating conditions in other cities.

Judge Good overruled the motion for a new trial for Leo Phillips of Aurora and sentenced him to a term in the penitentiary of from one to five years. Phillips was found guilty by the jury of assault on Mrs. J. F. Davies. The defense was insanity. The crime had many features which showed it may have been the act of a deranged mind. Mayor Cleary of Grand Island conducted the case for the state, assisting the county attorney.

The Nebraska State Pharmaceutical Association will hold its thirty-sixth annual convention at North Platte June 19 to 21. A most interesting line of entertainment has been provided for all. Included in this is a wild west entertainment and exhibition of "broncho busting." A special feature for the women will be a trip to Scout's Rest ranch, National cemetery, Sioux Lookout mountain and the state experimental station.

The call for increasing agricultural products and cultivation of vacant land has resulted in a tremendous movement in Box Butte county. Thousands of acres that have heretofore lain idle and have never before been under cultivation are now being broken by scores of mammoth tractors. It is conservatively estimated that there is at least a 25 per cent increase in the acreage tilled in Box Butte county this year.

Two barrels and two kegs of high-proof whisky and fifteen barrels of bottled beer were found in the cellar of P. G. Fuscher of Pender by Sheriff Dorsey when he visited the premises with a search warrant sworn out by County Attorney Smith. Fuscher was arrested on a charge of having liquor in his possession illegally, and the "evidence" was stored in the court house pending trial.

The twelfth annual meeting of the Thirtieth Nebraska District of Republicans was held in Emerson. State President Hattie Hoagland of North Platte and State Secretary Emma Talbot of Omaha were among the visitors. Emerson team won the banner for the best secret work. Officers for the ensuing year are: President, Henrietta Brunick, Wynot; vice president, Daisy Lindvahl, Ponca; warden, Minnie Cook, Ponca; secretary, Ruth Kindwall, Wynot; treasurer, Martha Beiersdorf, Emerson.

The finance committee of the grand lodge, A. O. U. W., at Grand Island received into office John Stevens, new grand master, and Leo Mullen, newly elected grand treasurer. Robert Marneil, retiring treasurer, turned over \$63,000. Ralph R. Horth, who has been attorney for the grand lodge for twelve years, tendered his resignation and Edward L. Lambe of Beaver City was appointed to fill the vacancy. The next meeting will take place on May 29th.

Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo will arrive in Omaha the morning of May 24 and remain for several hours. It is presumed that the cabinet member will speak before the Nebraska Conference on Conservation of Food-stuffs, the afternoon he is in Omaha. The conference will be held at the Auditorium from May 22 to 25. Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Vrooman has already accepted an invitation to speak before the conference on the opening night.

"Vigilance committees" are being formed in many of the smaller cities and towns of Nebraska, according to Ensign Rayley, who returned to Omaha with the Union Pacific's conservation special train. These committees have for their object the enforcement of the unwritten law, "everybody do his bit." "The leaders of some of these committees told me that they intend to see that every young man either joins the army or navy or gets busy on the farm," said Rayley.

A large attendance of delegates from all along the Omaha-Lincoln-Denver highway was at the annual state convention at McCook. President C. H. Roper of Lincoln, Secretary R. A. Blake of Hastings and the other official members of the association were present and about a hundred ardent boosters. The election of officers resulted as follows: C. H. Roper, Lincoln, president; first vice president, L. T. Bonner, Imperial; second vice president, A. Laverty, Ashland; treasurer, P. Walsh, McCook; secretary to be named by president and executive board.

COMMISSIONER'S PROCEEDINGS.

Wayne, Neb., May 15, 1917.
Board met as per adjournment. All members present.
Dr. C. T. Ingham is hereby appointed county physician to fill vacancy.

Dr. C. T. Ingham is hereby appointed a member of the board of health to fill vacancy.

The following claims were on motion audited and allowed and warrants ordered drawn on the respective funds as follows:

No.	Name	What for	Amount
312	J. D. Adams & Company,	grader supplies	\$ 15.50
333	J. D. Adams & Company,	freight on grader supplies	4.24
358	Henry Kloppling,	repairing road drag	2.00
361	Nebraska Culvert & Manufacturing company,	road drag	31.75
362	Nebraska Culvert & Manufacturing company,	road drag	23.85
363	Nebraska Culvert & Manufacturing company,	two road drags	47.70
364	Nebraska Culvert & Manufacturing company,	four road drags	95.40
365	Nebraska Culvert & Manufacturing company,	road drag	23.85
377	Hammond & Stephens company,	supplies for county supt.	19.93
385	Dr. E. B. Erskine,	attending Art Merriman and Herman Hag-nod, claimed \$51.50, allowed at	42.50
395	I. O. Brown,	groceries for Mrs. U. S. Horton	16.10
397	Philleo & Harrington Lumber company,	lumber	9.45
398	Philleo & Harrington Lumber company,	coal	175.70
399	Hart-Parr company,	supplies for engine	16.90
400	C. E. Conger,	drayage	.25
401	Nebraska-Telephone company,	April tolls, May rent	19.25
402	Hoskins Headlight,	printing	1.00
404	State Journal company,	supplies for county clerk	23.00
406	Milburn & Scott company,	supplies for county treasurer	26.00
407	Nebraska Culvert & Manufacturing company,	scraper and grader supplies	15.00
410	Nebraska Culvert & Manufacturing company,	supplies for grader	8.60
412	Nebraska Culvert & Manufacturing company,	supplies for grader	9.00
413	W. H. Hoguewood,	drayage	8.25
415	Willard Fletcher,	drayage	12.00
419	Crowell Lumber & Grain company,	coal	6.90
420	Herrmann Iron Works,	flag staff and freight advanced	101.60
425	Ralph Rundell,	supplies for Arthur Merriman family	14.67
426	Geo. T. Porter,	salary from April 4 to May 4	100.00
432	Geo. S. Farran,	freight advanced	11.81
436	Norfolk Bridge and Construction company,	work on court house	55.85
437	Norfolk Bridge and Construction company,	paving at court house	678.53
439	Henry Rethwisch,	commissioner services	74.00
General Road Fund.			
416	Nebraska Culvert & Manufacturing company,	Armco iron culverts	196.80
417	Nebraska Culvert & Manufacturing company,	Armco Iron culverts, claimed \$447.96, allowed at	439.02
418	Nebraska Culvert & Manufacturing company,	Armco Iron culverts, claimed \$238.80, allowed at	234.03
427	Sam Miller,	road work	3.25
429	C. L. Drew,	hauling dirt	42.50
434	William Pfueger,	grader work	5.25
440	Henry Rethwisch,	overseeing road work	35.00
441	J. E. Mahaffey,	running engine	41.50
443	D. J. Cavanaugh,	road and grader work	63.20
Automobile or Motor Vehicle Fund.			
408	Louis Rehms,	dragging roads	15.00
414	Walter Otte,	dragging roads	4.00
433	Edward Rethwisch,	dragging roads	11.25
438	Charles D. Farran,	dragging roads and road work	11.00
446	Clifford Francis,	dragging roads	8.50
Road District No. 14.			
422	City of Wayne,	road fund	500.00
Road District No. 22.			
359	Tom Hennessy,	road work	17.00
445	T. A. Hennessy,	road work	57.50
Road District No. 23.			
445	T. A. Hennessy,	road work	4.00
Road District No. 25.			
359	Tom Hennessy,	road work	5.00
Road District No. 26.			
445	T. A. Hennessy,	road work	4.00
Road District No. 46.			
442	Harry Brittain,	road and grader work	60.00
444	J. C. Miller,	road and grader work	56.25
Road District No. 48.			
396	Fred Thomsen,	road work	3.50
Road District No. 56.			
423	Laurits Sorensen,	road work	1.00
435	Harry Baird,	road work	3.50
Road District No. 58.			
409	Walter Andersen,	road work	12.25
Road District No. 61.			
403	Floyd Reichert,	road work	7.00
405	Oliver Reichert,	road and grader work	10.75
Special Levy for Road District No. 40.			
431	B. S. Fleming,	road and grader work	66.50

Who Wants to Buy Liberty Loan Bonds?

Our Uncle Sam has kindly sent the Democrat a blank application on which to apply for some of these war bonds, and gives us a range to select from as to the amount we wish to subscribe from \$50 to \$100,000. If we want to invest more, will have to wire in for more applications, probably. Well, just now, we feel more like giving our bond for a bit of the coin of the realm, rather than buying a bond. Not but that the bonds are good, but there are some things we need worse, and really it is possible that our Uncle was simply joking. With the application blank he sent a lot of information about these bonds which are now on the market, and we will pass a part on to our more opulent readers:

A Liberty Loan Bond is a solemn promise of the United States to pay at maturity the amount of the bond to the holder thereof, and to pay interest semi-annually each year from the date of the issuance of the bond until it is fully and finally paid.

The faith and honor of the United States, backed by all of the resources of the Nation and the American people. A Liberty Loan Bond is a mortgage on all the resources of the American people.

There are two kinds of Liberty Loan Bonds. Bearer Bonds are to be issued in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500 and \$1,000. The Bearer Bonds, which are made payable to bearer, have interest coupons attached which are detached by the holder when the interest installments they represent are due, and can be cashed at any bank the same as a United States Treasury note. Registered bonds are to be issued, which are registered as to both principal and interest, in denominations of \$100, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000, \$10,000, \$50,000; checks for the amount of interest due will be mailed out semi-annually to the holders of these registered bonds. Liberty Loan Bonds of the first issue of \$2,000,000,000 are to bear date of June 15, 1917, and to run for thirty years, except that the Government reserves the right to pay them fifteen years after date. If this right is not exercised by the Government fifteen years from date, the bonds will run the full thirty years. These bonds bear interest at 3 1/2 per cent per annum, and the interest is payable semi-annually on the fifteenth day of December and the fifteenth day of June in each year. One special advantage no other bonds, National, State, municipal, or corporate, have is that if the United States during the continuance of this war shall issue other bonds at a higher rate of interest, the holders of these Liberty bonds have the right to exchange their Liberty bonds for bonds bearing the higher rate in interest, dollar for dollar.

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We believe that the more our patrons know about our business the greater will be their confidence in us.

We advertise to tell the people the facts about our business.

We think the people have a right to know what we are doing and why we are doing it—to know how much money we receive from the sale of service and how it is used.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

J. T. Bressler was an Omaha visitor Tuesday.

C. J. Lund and wife are visitors at Sioux City today.

Your summer needs can best be supplied at S. R. Theobald & Co.—adv.

Louis Moran came from Omaha to spend last Sunday with home folks.

Summer underwear for ladies at the store for ladies, says Mrs. Jeffries.—adv.

John Morgan returned the first of the week from a trip to Cheyenne county.

Superintendent Bowen returned Tuesday evening from a business trip to Lincoln.

W. H. Gildersleeve and W. A. K. Neely went to Sioux City this morning for the day.

John Kay returned Wednesday evening from Omaha, where he had been with a car of cattle.

There are some advertisements in this issue of the Democrat which it will be to your advantage to read.

Miss Edna Stringfellow from Norfolk came Saturday to spend Sunday with her friend, Miss Margaret Forbes.

Mike Coleman and his sister, Miss Margaret, autoed to Carroll the first of the week, trying out their new car.

Watch our window display—it is only a sample of what we have in stock, but it is worthy of notice. Mrs. Jeffries.—adv.

Mrs. Fred Martin spent a day or two the first of the week with friends at Council Bluffs, Iowa, returning Tuesday evening.

A petrified buffalo horn has been found at Ponca, and some one asks if the whole place is not petrified? We cannot tell—never been there.

George Johnson and family, from Stuart, who were here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fleetwood, returned to their home Tuesday.

"The larger the loaf, the better the bread" is an old saying and holds true of the new 15 cent loaf of "Best Yet" from Wayne Bakery.—adv.

Monday and Tuesday evenings of this week manager Neilson of the Crystal theatre had an attraction that was very much appreciated by all who attended. It was the Hawaiian Singers, playing and singing Hawaiian and American songs. The company consists of two ladies and four gentlemen, all artists with the ukulele and steel harp. We congratulate Manager Neilson on having been able to secure this company.

Variety Store News

Leave your orders for CUT FLOWERS for Decoration Day. Carnations will be scarce this year and have to be ordered early.

Dressing Combs at any price you wish to pay, 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c. Two especially strong and good numbers are a heavy Pyralin Comb at 25c and very strong Ivory Dressing Comb at 50c each.

Next Saturday will be a special Sale of EMBROIDERY EDGINGS at the Variety Store. This sale includes patterns from 3 to 9 inches wide in flowered, eyelet and convent designs. Every yard 73 cents. Buy now as long as this price lasts and be money ahead.

The Boys' warm weather BLOUSES which you buy at the Variety Store for 39c are double stitched, have shaped shoulders, curved armholes, closed wrist bands, pockets, polo or sport collars. They are made just as good as any mother could make them and cost less.

Another lucky pickup, all white enameled WASHBASINS, 11 1/2 in. x 3 1/2 in. a good 50c seller, Saturday next 39c.

Grass SHEARS to get in the corners, around the trees, under the bushes. Made of good quality tempered steel 35c.

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Breadwinner Play Clothes

Summer Dress Goods

With the approach of hot weather summer dresses will be one of the much needed items. We have an unusually complete stock of new dainty crisp summer dress goods.

Tissue gingham in all the newest wanted patterns, per yard

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Voiles of all descriptions

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Many novelties in silk-finished materials in new shades and patterns of stripes and plaids, priced up to per yard

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Special! Special!

One Lot of Dress Goods valued at 25c and 35c per yard

19c

Summer dresses and jackets at Mrs. Jeffries.—adv.

H. Hinrichs went to Carroll Tuesday evening to visit his parents.

FOR SALE—High grade Red Short-Horn bull. L. M. Owen—adv.—16tf.

Misses Mabel and Maudie Goemann went to Castina, Iowa, for two weeks.

The 15 cent loaf from Wayne Bakery is nearly as large as two 10-cent ones—practice economy.—adv.

The ladies of the Baptist church will hold exchange and apron sale at Roe's grocery, Saturday, June 2nd.—adv.—22-2.

A very complete assortment of dresses for the children as good, and cheaper than you can buy the goods and make them—take it easy, Mother and save money. Mrs. Jeffries.—adv.

A. C. Lantz of Winside has sold his drug store and residence, and will give immediate possession of the store, but will remain in the house for three months. It is reported they will go on a claim in the near future.

Fortner does not yield to the temptation to load his chick feed with dirt when grain prices are high and he never hears of his patrons losing their little chicks, did you?—adv.

The Woman's Club, but recently organized at Wayne, held an interesting and important meeting at the home of Wm. Beckenhauer and wife, Tuesday evening. It was their honor to entertain Mrs. Willis of Randolph, the vice president of the 3rd congressional district, and to the guest was given the satisfaction of being in a position to advise and aid the ladies in the work of completing organizations and starting their work in the best manner possible, as shown by the experience of sister clubs. It is decided that this shall be a Federation organization, believing in the advantages of co-operation and union. It was also decided that the organization should be known as an unlimited club. It was a most interesting afternoon, and thoroly enjoyed by all present.

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Wooltex Pre-Shrunk Skirts

You will no doubt want a white skirt this summer? We are selling the Wooltex line of pre-shrunk skirts this season. They are guaranteed not to shrink. Even the belt is pre-shrunk. This skirt is a safe, sure fitting one and a skirt you will enjoy wearing.

\$2.95 \$3.95 \$5 \$5.95



Kabo Corsets

Will please the women who care. We have a complete line of Kabos and we will do all we can to see that you get the model you desire. Priced from \$1 to \$3.50



Miss Gene Strickland is visiting at Omaha a few days this week.

Under muslins cheaper than you can make them. S. R. Theobald & Co.—adv.

The weather prophesy from the 20th to the 28th is fair, says Mr. Will Weber.

Wm. Beutow and family drove to Ponca Saturday afternoon and visited relatives there until Sunday evening.

We now have our shipment of Oil Meal to supply your needs, at the Wayne Roller Mills. W. R. Weber, Proprietor.—adv.

Thomas Shannon, accompanied by his granddaughter Cecelia Shea, of Sioux City, came Monday evening to visit here and at Carroll and Randolph. After spending the night here with his son John, they went to Randolph Tuesday morning.

To put the 4th Nebraska to full war strength will require the addition of about 600 men, according to a news report. So there is yet room and now is the time if you wish to serve with Nebraska volunteers. About July 15, according to present reports, this regiment will mobilize at some training camp, and it is predicted that it may be among the first to go to the scene of conflict on the other side.

A most complete assortment of lady wear at Mrs. Jeffries.—adv.

Miss Grace Steele was at Sioux City this week visiting her brother, returning Wednesday evening.

Miss Mary Moses of the Normal teaching force, left Wednesday morning for her home at Clinton, Iowa.

I. H. Britell was at Osmond last evening to deliver a commencement address before the high school class of that place.

Julius Landanger and family left this morning to visit folks at Red Oak, Iowa, and after a few days there they will go to Anita to visit the wife's parents, Walter Palmer and wife.

M. Hale, of Marshall, Minnesota, who came Monday to visit a few days at the home of H. B. Huchings and wife, left for his home this morning. He tells us that Minnesota is as early this spring as Nebraska—He had his corn planting done last week. They have not been delayed by wet weather there this spring.

Some juvenile base ball is being played in some of the near by towns, but base ball as it was known five years ago at Wayne appears to be dead. When resurrection comes—if it comes—we would like to see a strictly home team, and the game played for the sport it affords rather than a salary and an opportunity to gamble on results. These latter games cost too much for a small city.

When "Bluebird Day" is again celebrated at the Crystal Theatre on Wednesday, May 30, the attraction will be Ruth Stonehouse, supported by Jack Mulhall and a capable company, in "The Saintry Sinner", a melodrama of the good old fashioned type, furnished by later-day methods and brought up to date. Sensation follows sensation in unfolding gripping story of love, intrigue and vengeance with Miss Stonehouse doling out justice, where the law has failed to act. Embittered by her experience the girl makes the man who wronged her pay the price she sets as her part of vengeance, and the way in which she proceeds constitutes a sensational reflection of gripping episodes, leading up to the very much desired and always acceptable happy ending.—adv.

Once a user of Fortner's Chick Feed you want no other, for there is none better.—adv.

Clud Wright came Wednesday evening from Bertrand, where he has been teaching for the past school year, to visit his parents, J. H. Wright and wife, and his brother Burret. Mrs. Wright is at Norfolk visiting.

Sunday was T. W. Moran's birthday, and he never mistrusted it until he had nearly finished an excellent Sunday dinner which the good wife had prepared, and invited all of the children who could get there to be present as well as her parent, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Coyle and their son Richard. Mr. and Mrs. Lantz were here from Winside, Mr. and Mrs. Huntemer from college hill, and their son, and Lewis Moran from Omaha. The two boys in camp at Sioux City and one working in the shops there were not in at the surprise.

Mrs. W. E. Johnson and children returned Tuesday evening from a few days' stay at Omaha, where one of the little ones was at a hospital for a slight throat operation.

Knox Tipple of Omaha now, but known thru all this part of Nebraska, has been visiting at Stanton and looking after property there, then came to great friends at Norfolk, and from there to Wayne, where he is stopping for a few days. Mr. Tipple has been a successful hotel man, and knows well that the traveling public appreciate a comfortable place to stay and good care accompanied by suitable eats. He says that it has been his observation that the proper thing for owners of hotel property to do is to keep them up to date before a demand brings a new house, for to fix up then is necessary, but not profitable; nor is it profitable for a new hotel to have the older one spruce up and divide patronage so that neither prosper.

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Give the finest creation of the best designer to a poor workman and his finished product will be as a limp rag. Give the same creation to a skilled workman and you will have a suit which will win admiration and have a pronounced individuality as long as it is worn. Let us measure you now.

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Boys and Dollars

Very soon under the new law of Congress, army officers will appear in Nebraska to conscript the boys of army age. How many of them? Nobody knows, but it may be that every boy and man of army age may sooner or later be called to the colors, because, whether we of the west would have it so or not, there appears to be a fast-rising sentiment in the east in favor of sending an army of two million American soldiers to the battlefield of Europe.

And when the army officers shall come to our Nebraska boys we must be prepared to give them up uncomplainingly. And so we will but at the same time the public sentiment of the agricultural west will very earnestly support the demand of Mr. Bryan and Senator Kenyon that congress shall provide for conscripting dollars as well as boys.

Why not?
Are dollars more sacred than boys?

In Omaha lives a childless woman. She is worth half a million dollars. Her name often appears in the newspapers as an advocate of the demand for sending a mighty American army to Europe. Near to this rich woman lives another Nebraska woman, not poor, but in moderate circumstances. She is the mother of five boys, all of army age. When the army officer shall come to conscript the boys of Nebraska how different the price which these two Nebraska women must pay. Upon the dollars of the one will be levied some extra war tax, it is true, but upon the blood of the other will be levied without limit, and all this in the name of love of country.

The supreme sacrifice the world has ever known was the sacrifice on Calvary, where One laid down his life for many.

The supreme sacrifice of modern days will be the sacrificial offering by American mothers upon the altar of the God of War. And if it must be that American boys must be fed to the fires that glow upon that altar, then let us see to it that the flames be fed occasionally with the dollar of the rich who have no sons to offer to the blaze. —Columbus Telegram.

Old Pioneer Gone

Word was circulated around town early Friday forenoon of the death of one of Wayne county's oldest residents, Carl Jochens, who died at his home in our city early Friday morning of heart failure, only being sick a short time.

Mr. Jochens was born in Germany, January 11, 1836, and died at his home in our city, May 11, 1917, aged 81 years and 4 months. In 1870 he was married to Louisa Luek in Wisconsin and to this union six children were born, one preceded him to the great beyond. He is survived by his wife and five sons, Herman, Albert, Adolph, Carl and Fred who all reside on farms near Hoskins, besides numerous other relatives and a host of friends. He was converted and united with the German Evangelical church years ago.

The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon from the German Evangelical church, Rev. Staues of Stanton officiating and the remains were laid to rest in the Hoskins cemetery east of town. —Hoskins Headlight.

From "The Poet's Town"

Mid green glad miles of tillage
And fields where cattle graze,
A prairie little village
You draw away your days,
And yet—a wakeful story
Clings round you as you doze:
One living lyric story,
Makes music of your prose.
Here once, returning never,
The feet of song have trod,
And flashed—oh, once forever!
The singing flame of God!
—John G. Neihardt, in "The Quest" (Macmillan).

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.

A Slice of Bread

A single slice of bread seems an unimportant thing. In many households one or more slices of bread daily are thrown away and not used for human food. Sometimes stale quarter, or half, loaves are thrown out.

Yet one good-sized slice of bread—such as a child likes to eat—weighs an ounce. It contains almost three-fourths of an ounce of flour.

If every one of the country's 20,000,000 homes wastes on the average only one such slice of bread a day, the country is throwing away daily over 14,000,000 ounces of flour—over 875,000 pounds, or enough flour for over a million 1-pound loaves a day. For a full year at this rate there would be a waste of over 319,000,000 pounds of flour—1,500,000 barrels—enough flour to make 365,000,000 loaves.

As it takes 4½ bushels of wheat to make a barrel of ordinary flour, this waste would represent the flour from over 7,000,000 bushels of wheat.

Fourteen and nine-tenths bushels of wheat on the average are raised per acre. It would take the fruit of some 470,000 acres just to provide a single slice of bread to be wasted daily in every home.

To produce this much flour calls for an army of farmers, railway men, flour-mill people. To get the flour to the consumer calls for many freight cars and the use of many tons of coal.

But some one says, a full slice of bread is not waste in every home. Very well—make it a daily slice for every 4 or every 10 or every 30 homes—make it a weekly or monthly slice in every home—or make the waste slice thinner. The waste of flour involved is still appalling—altogether too great to be tolerated when wheat is scarce. Any waste of bread is inexcusable when there are so many ways of using stale bread to cook delicious dishes.

The United State Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., or your State agricultural college will tell you how to use stale bread in many ways.

The Cow a Food Producer

At the conservation congress to be held here there should be a good deal of attention given to increasing the dairy stock of this state. The chemists and other scientists of the agricultural department have of late been calling attention to the dairy cow as a food producer. They say that "a 1,200-pound steer, ready for market, contains only about 360 pounds of actual food. A dairy cow at 2 years of age begins to produce and yield thereafter about 900 pounds of edible nutrients in the year, and will continue to produce the same amount for seven years thereafter; that is, she produces during her actual life 6,300 pounds of human food. In other words, it takes seventeen steers to produce the same amount of human food as a dairy cow produces during her lifetime."

One of the most startling facts is that our stock of dairy cattle is lower today per thousand population than it has been for forty years. The practice has been to get rid of the dairy calves as soon as they can be sold for veal and some action should be taken to stop that sort of business. It is no wonder that butter is beyond the reach of thousands on account of its price and that it is very hard for the poor to obtain milk for their babies. The charge that butter prices are fixed at Egin regardless of the cost of production, should be thoroughly investigated and a better and less costly system for the distribution of milk should be instituted. —World Herald.

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But you may know that these things are definite Willys-Overland accomplishments—else it would never have been possible for us to market those 400,000 cars.

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The Richest Hour

From the Fort Worth Star

A poor but honest friend of ours tells us there was one time in his life when he had everything in the world he wanted. It was about 30 years ago. He was seated in a spring wagon with his wife by his side, on their way to their home in the country. Their furniture was in the wagon.

The pretty bundle of gingham, would have been enough to make him perfectly happy, but when he thought of the furniture he felt that the world was too good to him. There was the No. 7 stove and three lovely joints of pipe. Nobody else in the world had any claim of it. And there was the fine rocker for her and the fine straight chair for him. Two or three elegant pieces of furniture were in the wagon, and there was a 30-piece set of kitchen utensils—a big clothes boiler full of them. The boiler and the utensils it contained cost \$1.50, but you couldn't get the same amount of tin today for double the money. Then there was the richly colored picture given them by the dealer who sold them the bill of furniture. That dealer never failed to give one of these pictures to a couple when they bought their furniture from him. And last but by no means least was the beautiful green bowl and pitcher, a present from a boon companion of his single days, a young man who thought no more of a dollar than if it were so much trash.

Our friend says that in those days she was proud of the little can of baking powder, and just simply adored the genuine tin coffee pot, and felt sorry for every body else in the world. But now she never looks at the old car, or at the suit she has worn three or four times, without pitying herself.

Shorthorn Bulls For Sale

Have 2 thoroughbred Shorthorn bulls for sale—Good individuals and Choice Goods strain. Registered. Henry Cozad, 6½ miles south of Wayne, telephone 221-419.—adv.-15-8-p.d

Board of Equalization

Notice is hereby given that the board of county commissioners, the county assessor and the county clerk will sit as a board of equalization, commencing on Tuesday, the 12th day of June, 1917, for the purpose of equalizing the valuation of personal property of the county, as returned by the precinct assessors. Any and all complaints on the assessment of personal property, or any complaints made on real property which was assessed in the year 1916 showing an error on the face of the assessment, must be made at this time, and all complaints will be heard at this time.

All that are assessed are especially urged to call and inspect the books relative to their assessment, as this will materially aid us in avoiding any gross errors.

The board will continue in session for not less than three days,

and all complaints or protests, must be made at this time.

Witness my hand and seal at Wayne, Nebraska, this 17th day of May A. D. 1917.

Chas. W. Reynolds,
(Seal) 21-3 County Clerk.

Samuel L. Smith, age 87, the pioneer of automobile production, passed away at his home in Detroit, Michigan, Monday, May 7th. To him more than any other one man is south-eastern Michigan indebted for the automobile business. Detroit and Lansing owe him much for establishing them as the homes of this gigantic industry.

He was born in 1830 at Algonac, Michigan, on the shores of Lake St. Clair, but a few miles from Detroit. He early became identified with the timber, lumber, shipping and railroad enterprises of

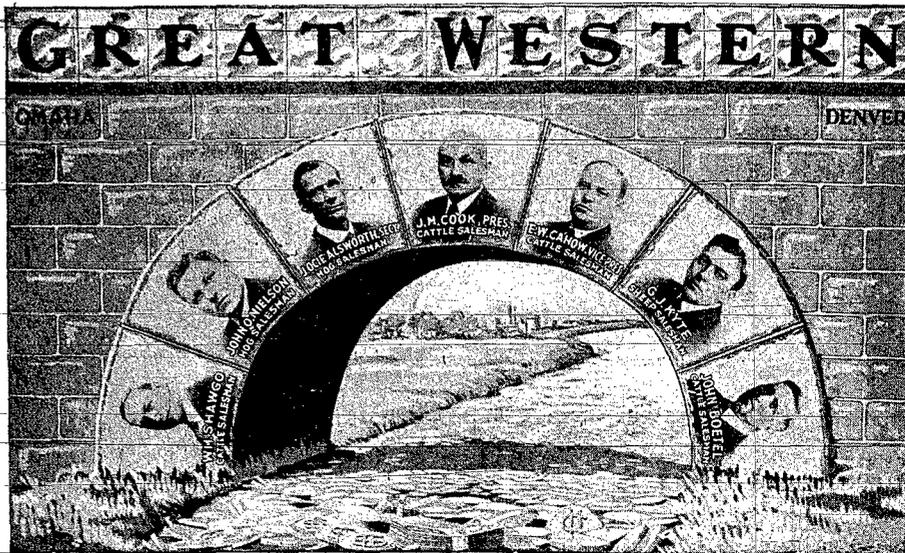
the Lake Superior region, and was prominent in the early development of the famous Calumet and Hecla mines. For many years he was a resident of Lansing, engaged in merchandising and later became interested in mines.

In the meantime Mr. Olds was laboriously working out the problem of the automobile, while making gasoline engines at Lansing. Smith was quick to see the mechanical merits of Olds' invention. The Oldsmobile Company was organized in 1899 with Smith as president and financial sponsor and Olds as General Manager.

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Farmers who purchase additional seed corn to replant winter-killed wheat, clover and alfalfa fields should obtain locally grown seed whenever possible. Experiments at the Nebraska Experiment station and the experience of many farmers indicate that seed brought from a long distance usually does not produce as large yields as where fully acclimated corn is used.

More warrants by 2,196 were drawn for the first quarter of 1917 in the office of the state auditor than during the corresponding period of 1916, amounting to \$59,082.90 above the sum issued the previous year. The total amount of the 17,050 warrants drawn for January, February and March of this year amounted to \$1,857,741.12, as against 14,854 warrants amounting to \$1,698,538.22 for the same months of 1916.

A building has been begun at Ralston for a syrup and canning factory. Claude Skinner, president of the Ralston State bank and former mayor, heads the enterprise. It proposes to make syrup and to put up tomatoes. It has about 125 acres, fifteen of it leased from the Byron Reed Co. of Omaha, leased near Ralston to plant cane for making syrup. Tomatoes will doubtless be grown by contract with farmers and gardeners.

Armed with a search warrant, Sheriff Cole obtained most of the goods which have been stolen in Kenesaw in the last few weeks. The goods were found in the basement of the Hearsy at Kenesaw. Julius Hearsy, aged fifteen, and Ray Currier, aged seventeen, were lodged in the county jail at Hastings. The missing goods were valued at about \$300 and included guns, duck coats, rings, knives, and many other articles.

The forty-fifth annual camp meeting of the Nebraska State Holiness association will be held this year at Epworth Lake park, Lincoln, June 15 to 24. The meeting will be in charge of the national association and the workers will be Rev. C. J. Fowler, president of the national association; Rev. C. W. Ruth, Rev. J. M. Brasher, Rev. J. M. Harris and wife, song leaders, and Miss Stella McNutt.

Two alleged German spies were arrested at Callaway by Justice of the Peace Logan Chiles on instructions of Sheriff Joe Wilson of Broken Bow. The two men were traveling about the country as peddlers and had come overland from North Platte. Suspicion of the authorities was aroused by the fact that the men called upon persons of German names. Pending an investigation the men are being kept under surveillance.

Invitations to civil war veterans are being sent out by the committee in charge of the semi-centennial celebration of Nebraska's admittance into the union, which will be held June 12, 13 and 14 at Lincoln. On June 14 will be the big patriotic parade, in which Colonel T. Roosevelt and General John J. Pershing will take part. All of the veterans of the state are asked to attend and take part in the parade.

Huddled in a loft of a barn near Irvington, Earl Miller, 15, son of Burt Miller, business man, and Harold Lehmy, 16, son of County Attorney M. H. Lehmy, of Pierce, runaway boys, were found by the police. Farmers had reported that the boys acted suspiciously and believed that they might be connected with the Smith murder. The boys said they ran away from home to take jobs on farms in Missouri and not to join the army, as had been expected.

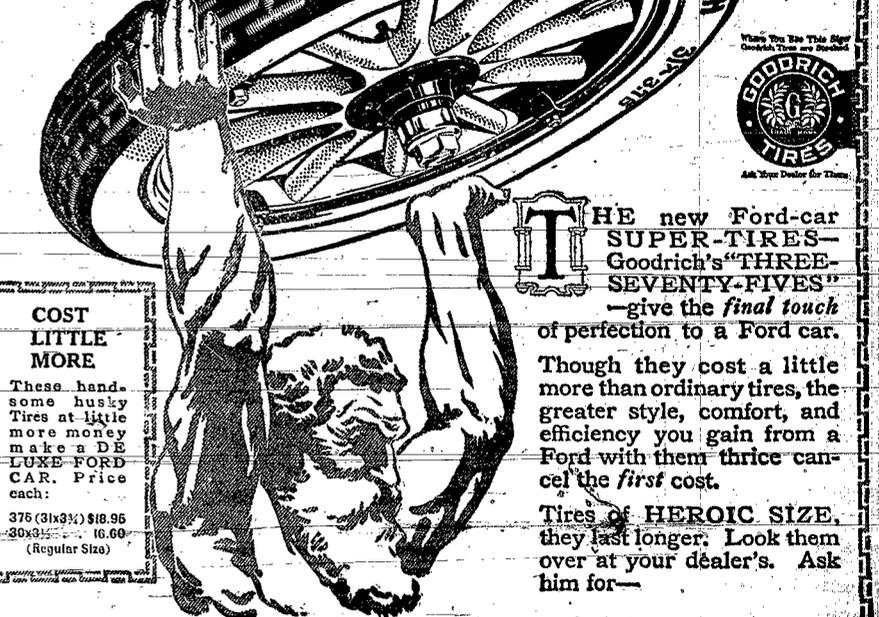
The Rebekah lodge of the fifth district met in convention in all-day session May 1 in the Independent Order of Odd Fellows' hall at Falls City. Seventy-five delegates were present from Pawnee City, Tecumseh, Table Rock, Humboldt and Falls City. The session opened with an address of welcome by Mayor Leyda. Mrs. Bert Simanton was elected district warden, which is a promotive office. State President Mrs. Hoagland of North Platte was present for the entire session and made the principal address in the afternoon. The evening was devoted to the work of initiation of officers and installation.

District No. 2, Degree of Honor, convention at the closing session in Fremont, voted to meet at Schuyler in 1918. The lodge where the convention is held selects the officers. Mrs. Mayme Cleaver, grand chief of honor, of Lincoln, conducted the question box. A number of interesting papers were read at the day's session. Mrs. Francis Olson of St. Paul, Minn., superior chief of honor, gave a short talk, telling of the progress of the work throughout the country. Mrs. Olson stopped on her way from the coast. Seventy delegates, representing eighteen lodges, were in attendance.

Omaha girls of the business world, who have just wound up their campaign for \$20,000 to buy the old South Omaha Country club for a summer home, are not on speaking terms with the high cost of living. The summer camp committee at a recent meeting set a scale of prices for accommodations for members and the remarkable inexpensive charges decided upon when announced proved a pleasant surprise. Room and board, including three meals, will cost only \$5.50 a week. Week-end parties, from Saturday until Monday will cost only \$1.75 for each person, including meals. The girls are still \$250 shy of the required \$20,000.

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NEWS OF NEBRASKA

TOLD IN A FEW WORDS

The Hastings college spring track athletic schedule has been canceled because the greater part of the team has either enlisted in the army or for farm work.

With the joining of Company I, Fourth Nebraska, of Erwin Dunn and Robert Brown, the Kearney company now has twenty-nine men enrolled from the town of Callaway.

Arlowe H. Sutter, 27 years old, on trial for the murder of his wife, Nellie 23 years old, at Lincoln, was found guilty and sentenced to life imprisonment. The crime was committed on March 10 last.

Charles E. Nims, ex-mayor of Humboldt, died at his home in that city. He had been a resident of Richardson county since 1870. He enlisted October 10, 1864, in Company G, First Wisconsin artillery, as a private and was mustered out June 26, 1865.

Four Richardson county young men have enlisted in the navy from Dawson and have gone to Lincoln for examination. Each is the only son in a prominent family. They are Harry Ulmer, Clair Liebhart, L. E. Bacon and R. O. Coon.

Miss Gertrude Keating of Columbus, representing the Red Cross and relief societies, will be the woman member of Nebraska council for defense. Her appointment was announced by Governor Neville. Miss Keating is well known in the state.

The Nebraska pageant, which was to have been presented by Kearney Normal students the last week in May, has been indefinitely postponed. Many of the young men of the school are leaving to fill positions on farms or to join the army or navy forces.

Governor Neville has named T. P. Reynolds of Omaha as the labor representative on the committee of Nebraskans to co-operate with the National Council of Defense. Mr. Reynolds is at the head of the State Federation of Labor. More appointments will be made later.

A local branch of the National Red Cross has been formed at Oakland with the following officers: President, W. W. Roberts; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. W. E. Minier; executive committee, Dr. S. A. Swenson, D. J. E. Wallace, Mr. A. F. Wickstrom and Mrs. A. Samson.

Joseph Oberfelder of Sidney, was elected state consul and A. M. Anderson of Tekamah state clerk at the state meeting of the Modern Woodmen of America held at Norfolk. Lincoln won the 1920 convention. Head Consul A. R. Talbot delivered an address.

A delegation of Omaha men headed by F. A. Gates, M. Bruski and J. E. Lindo, appeared before the state banking board to get some action on their application for a charter for the Citizens' State Bank of Omaha, which has been hanging fire for some time and which has had an airing in the courts.

The Nebraska National Guard is in need of eight surgeons who will be commissioned as first lieutenants and assigned to the medical corps. Applicants must be between the ages of 21 and 35 years and must have had some hospital experience. Applications should be forwarded to Adjutant-General P. L. Hall at Lincoln.

The special good roads meeting held by the Associated Commercial Clubs of Western Nebraska at Gering was attended by over fifty delegates from the Panhandle country. The following communities were represented by delegations: Chadron, Crawford, Oshkosh, Gering, Broadwater, Lewellan, Alliance, Bridgeport, Mitchell, Scottsbluff, Bayard, Northport and Kimball.

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Nance county celebrated Nebraska's semi-centennial at Fullerton May 5. All rural schools and patrons joined with Fullerton citizens, schools, patriotic societies, lodges and clubs, in a pageant. The afternoon program was followed by an evening outdoor exhibition of Nebraska pictures. Miss Chloe Baldridge, county superintendent, had charge of arrangements.

A petition will be presented at the next regular meeting of the Lindsay town board, signed by about sixty freeholders, asking the board to bond the town to the sum of \$10,000 to build a town hall to be used for an all-purpose hall, the place that has been used for hall purposes having been sold and will be used for an improvement house.

Carl A. Anderson, for three years high school teacher at Alliance, has been elected principal of the Avon, N. Y., high school. Mr. Anderson is a native of Wahoo, and was graduated from the State Normal school at Peru five years ago.

The board of education of Spalding has elected the following teachers for the ensuing year: James McGovern, principal, Agnes Richling, assistant principal; Mary De Wolf, grammar; Anna Kerrigan, intermediate; Alice Tracy, primary.

The Union Stock Yards company of Omaha has informed the Nebraska railway commission it is losing money on corn sold to feeders under the recent order of the state board. The company claims the market is advancing more rapidly than it has been allowed to change its prices.

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Phillip Struckhaus a German laborer who has resided at Tecumseh for many years, was taken to the asylum at Lincoln by government secret service men from Omaha. Letter writing is a hobby with Struckhaus. He recently wrote a letter addressed, "Mr United States Court, Omaha," in which he declared his intention of killing President Wilson for not terminating the war against Germany and William J. Bryan for his stand on the temperance question.

Cheaping. In parts of Switzerland the baker's wife carries round the bread in a sort of hamper, and she has not a fixed, immutable charge, but chaffers for a price with the customers. The old English word for this process was "cheaping," which in many places in England has been corrupted into chipping. Chipping Norton, for instance, is really Cheaping Norton, or the place where goods were cheapened—that is, sold by chaffer.—London Standard.

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Sholes Sayings

Emil Tietgen autoed to Calhoun Saturday. Will Mattingly was a Sioux City passenger Friday. Thursday J. L. Davis lost eight hogs with the heat. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bragonier left Sholes Saturday morning. C. Stewart is the man who cleans your face and clips your hair these days. Harry Chapman of Bloomfield transacted business in Sholes Saturday. Wednesday there is to be a newspaper at school, edited by the pupils. Lee Gibson and family spent Sunday at the Brinkman home near Randolph. P. J. Bermet of the firm of Bermet Bros. of Randolph was in Sholes Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Root autoed to Hoskins and spent the day with Fred Luquist's. Miss Pitman was delayed a day last week, but came Friday and gave her lessons. Athol Stevenson was re-elected to the 8th grade in Council Bluffs with a 25 per cent increase in salary. Dr. Tetzey was called twice last week to see Grant Tietgen. We are glad to note that he is much better. Mrs. Cross is visiting at the Guy Root home this week. Guy took his family and Mrs. Cross to Randolph Friday. Charlotte Stevenson was entertained at the Gibson home from Friday night until Sunday afternoon. She reports a very enjoyable visit. Elmer Gibson drove for M. Fritzen last Friday when he attended lodge at Norfolk. Miss Davida Monfort and Miss Warner went along. The committee investigating the water-works system autoed to Magnet last Wednesday to look their plant over. M. Fritzen accompanied them. Bills are printed announcing the dance for Wednesday evening. The Morris Green's Saxophone Orchestra have been engaged and every preparation made for a good time. Hans Tietgen has a ferret for catching rats; but if rats are not plentiful he just as soon take chickens. Two hens and 21 chicks furnished him a good meal Sunday night. Miss Mary Bon of Oakdale, attending the Wayne Normal, visited Miss Warner Saturday and Sunday. Saturday night they went to Randolph and were entertained by the Monforts. Mr. and Mrs. John Horn entertained at a wiener roast last Wednesday. There were ten present beside their own family. Dancing on the front porch to the music of the player piano formed a part of the evening's enjoyment. Mr. H. W. Burnham and his five daughters attended the funeral of Oliver Swain, who lived six miles from Hartington. Mr. Swain was a brother-in-law of Mr. Burnham and had been ill for a long time. Mrs. A. E. McDowell spent the day with Mrs. Burnham.

Commencement at Winside This is commencement week in Winside. The baccalaureate address was delivered in the Methodist Episcopal church yesterday by Rev. Bruce Wylie. Tuesday is the junior-senior banquet, Wednesday is the date of the cantata to be given by the high school, and Thursday the high school play, "Emerald," occurs. Winside graduates four students this year: Gerald Lueck, Mildred Cullen, Pearl Wylie and Lorene Michael. Superintendent V. F. Wilson has not accepted the school for next year, tho he has done excellent work. Roy Reed, a Winside boy, now teaching at Albion, will be superintendent next year.

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LOCAL NEWS

E. C. Gamble and family visited friends near Foster Sunday. Mrs. W. A. Hiscox went to Fremont this morning for a short, a short visit. There is to be a meeting of the Garden Group leaders at the library Tuesday evening. Musing union suits for ladies and children are the best. S. R. Theobald & Co.—adv. Try that new 15 cent loaf of "Best Yet" bread—more for the money—at the Wayne Bakery.—adv. C. H. Hendrickson, wife and son, and Mr. and Mrs. James Britton went to Ponca by automobile last Friday on business. Archie Lindsay and wife went to Winside last week and spent a few days at the home of their son near there, returning Tuesday afternoon. Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Lutgen went to Omaha Tuesday to attend the annual meeting of Nebraska and Iowa physicians, in the sessions there this week. Miss Helen Senter came from Bancroft the first of the week, and after a visit at the home of her brother, V. A. Senter and wife, will go west for a visit. Mrs. Exel Borg comes this week from Allen to visit her parents, S. Taylor and wife for a short time before moving to Aberdeen, South Dakota, where her husband has already gone. Mrs. C. A. Thompson, who has been here for some time at the home of her sister, Mrs. Winterstein, assisting in the care of their father, left for her home at Boulder, Colorado, Tuesday morning.

When you buy the Fortner feed for chicks its all feed.—adv. Tim Collins and family were Wayne visitors Tuesday, coming down to attend confirmation services at the St. Mary's Catholic church, a daughter being one of the class confirmed. They were guests at the Patrick Coleman home. Mrs. Tressell of Ewing, who has been making a short visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. W. McClure, returned home Monday evening. She was accompanied by her granddaughter, Miss Beryle, who will visit at Ewing part of the vacation time. Come to the Lady Ready to wear Store and select a new hat before decoration day, for I am now making special prices. Mrs. Jeffries.—adv. F. O. White, D. D. S., went to Sioux City Tuesday afternoon to learn what he could there of the need and opportunity for one of his profession in the service of Uncle Sam. If wanted, it is possible that he will apply for a place as regimental dentist. C. L. Mitchell and wife of Worthing, Minnesota, returned home Wednesday after a visit with his parents and Mrs. Mitchell's folks, the Allensworth family at Carroll. Mr. Mitchell says from appearance of crops here—we must have had much such a spring, or lack of spring weather, as they have endured in Minnesota.

Mrs. Abbott and son Lee left Tuesday for their home at Crawford, after a residence of several years here, while the daughters attended college. Her sister, Miss Mosher accompanied her, and will continue to make her home there, her daughter, Miss Emma will follow the last of the week. Mrs. Abbott has won many friends during her stay at Wayne who hope that she will again make her home at Wayne. Your straw hat is ready at Morgan's Toggery.—adv. Wm. Weber has sold his residence two blocks west of Main street, on 2nd street to W. O. Hanssen, who is to have possession in less than a month. This is a good property, in fine location, and a well made house which a little remodeling will make modern thruout, and better than one can now secure lumber to build new. Mr. Weber, we understand, is to soon go to his ranch in Blaine county, where wife and sons have been for the past two years most of the time.

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Mrs. J. R. Phipps went to Pender this morning to visit her mother, who is in ill health. Miss Ethel Killan, who has been here from Beatrice, visiting her aunt, Miss Sara Killan of the Normal faculty, returned home Wednesday morning. Chas. McLeod from Stanton was here this week to visit his uncle, C. D. Martin, who is ill at his home in this city, tho late reports say that he is slowly improving. Misses Ina Brayton and Florence Gardner accompanied Fred Dean and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Thompson of Wakefield to Sioux City Wednesday, making the trip by automobile. Dean Hahn left Wednesday on a tour of commencement addresses. He went first to Neligh, then to Leigh and from there to Meadow Grove, returning home Saturday if he has good luck. Miss Joyce Ferguson of Hartington came from a visit at Long Pine Wednesday, and stopped here to visit her sister at the Normal, and also was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Crockett. Dewayne Phillips, who has made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Mac Miller for the past nine years—since he was but about four years old—has gone to Sioux City to live with his sister, Mrs. J. H. Sprague. Mrs. LeRoy Ley and her sister, Miss Nellie Payne, went to Omaha Tuesday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Payne. Miss Nellie who stayed here to finish the school year, will remain with her mother at Omaha. We are showing the biggest line ever in Wayne this season. Get yours now. Morgan's Toggery.—adv. J. E. Blivernicht, who is a graduate of the Wayne Normal, and has just finished his contract as teacher at Hartington, has been elected to a position as teacher in the city schools of Bonesteel, South Dakota. Another shipment of children's and misses Mary Jane pumpe, white, patent leather, gun metal, prices reasonable. S. R. Theobald & Co.—adv. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble were called to Woodhull, Illinois, Tuesday morning by news of the sudden death of Mrs. Gamble's father, Dr. Lowry. No particulars as to the cause of the death are yet known here. Mrs. Overacker, who has been at a Sioux City hospital for a number of weeks, accompanied by her daughter Mrs. W. B. Vail, who had been at the hospital caring for her mother, returned home Tuesday evening, improved in health. Patronize our Free Employment Agency if you want work or need help. Morgan's Toggery.—adv. It is reported that Dale Rickabaugh of this place has received promotion from Co. E, 4th regiment, to the officer's training camp at Fort Snelling. This is good news to his Wayne friends. He is said to have made good at camp in every instance. Mr. and Mrs. Gearhart went to Sioux City Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Gearhart has been here for some time at the home of Chas. Gildersleeve and wife, assisting in the care of their father, David Cunningham. Mr. Gearhart came Monday evening from their home in Indiana. Fortner at the Wayne Feed Mill is making a feed for chicks good enough that dealers who handle it one season want it ever after. Made on merit, it is a repeater. Try it and save all the chicks.—adv. George B. Owen of Longmont, Colorado, was here last week visiting his brothers, Ed and L. M. Owen, and his sister, Mrs. Dorsett. After several days visit he left for home the first of the week, accompanied by his niece, Miss Genevieve Dorsett, who plans to spend the summer in the "Centennial state," hoping that she will return improved in health. They planned to stop at Craig and visit relatives a day or two enroute to the mountains. Rev. W. L. Gaston dropped down from the morning passenger Wednesday morning and greeted a few acquaintances who happened to be at the station. He was on his way to Wynot, where he delivered the commencement address last evening—filling an engagement made before he left Wayne. Mr. Gaston reports that the family arrived safely at Broken Bow and are now settled for the summer, or until the new parsonage building there is complete. No matter what sort of a shirt you want we have it in our big summer stock. Morgan's Toggery.—adv.

Misses Alice Brooks and Mayme Petersen, who have been at the Normal during the school year, have returned to their homes at Pierson, Iowa. Word comes from L. A. Kiplinger now at Harlowton, Montana, that he likes the country and place and is seriously considering the question of locating there. A large number of students will need to be accommodated with room and board in private homes during the summer session, beginning June 4th. If you can furnish board or room, write or phone State Normal School and state in what way you can assist us. U. S. Conn.—adv.—22-2. Wm. Morgan left Tuesday morning to look over the land in Montana, going to Harlowton first and from there perhaps to other parts of the state. From reports there are some very good farm prospects in that vicinity. In fact, Montana has lots of waste lands, also millions of acres of rich agricultural lands, for it is a vast domain. A. B. Clark came Tuesday evening from California to look after farm matters in this part of Nebraska for a few weeks. He says the newspapers talk too much, the western papers telling stories which they credit to eastern papers of the fabulous wages which the farmers are paying for men to plant corn, some placing the figure as high as \$10 the day. Must have been for man, team and planter. Sam Davies has been missed from his usual haunts for a few days, and all are sorry that he had to undergo a surgical operation; but will be pleased to know that he is rallying nicely and promises soon to be back on his job. Expert opinions do not agree as to Sam's affliction. Some call it gout—but the attending physician pronounced it a bunyon, and lanced it, and we incline the opinion that his diagnosis was correct. He was able to be about the home yard yesterday with the aid of a crutch; and also enjoy a ride with a friend, Charlie Martin is looking after his newspaper business.

Among the Churches of Wayne Presbyterian Church (Rev. S. Xenophon Cross, Pastor) There will be a good music program for next Sunday evening under the direction of Mrs. Horace Theobald, chorister. The subject of the sermon will be: "Things Prepared for Love." The Y. P. S. C. E. invites you to attend the meeting of that society on Sunday evening at seven o'clock. Mr. F. G. Philleo has consented to lead this meeting for the Tenth Legion. The "Juniors" will meet Sunday afternoon and give a program which they have been preparing. It will be announced at this meeting whether the Junior meetings will continue. With good roads now, why not come to the Sunday school. Be on time, 11:30. If you cannot come every Sunday, come when you can. Come next Sunday. We desire your presence. The sermon theme at the hour of morning worship will be: "The Sun of Saving Knowledge." There will be special music under the direction of Mrs. W. E. Johnson, chorister. Two current events will help to inspire the services of the coming Sunday—the commencements of our schools and the Memorial day season. All are invited to worship with us. St. Paul's Lutheran Church (Rev. J. H. Fetterolf, Pastor.) The regular session of the Sunday school at 10 a. m. This is the last day of the contest. If you do not have enough points to entitle you to attend the Sunday school social be sure to be present at this meeting. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. In the morning the Memorial sermon will be preached to the old soldiers. The G. A. R. will attend this service in a body. In the evening the subject will be "What is the Greatest Safeguard of the Church?" At 7 p. m. the Luther League meets. The subject is "The Spirit and Our Salvation." Miss Mata Kay is the leader. German Lutheran Church Rev. Moehring, Pastor Next Sunday services will begin at 10:30 o'clock. The Sacrament of the Altar will be administered. There will be no Sunday school. The Pastor will preach at Winside at 8 o'clock. Baptist Church (Patric Committee) Services in the Baptist church next Sunday morning, conducted by Professor Bright. Pastor will be with us Sunday, June 3rd. Give him a full house.

Nebraska Museum of History The city auditorium of Lincoln will be used for the enormous display of historical relics during the Semi-Centennial celebration of June 12, 13 and 14. Among the many collections which are being gathered from every part of the State are the Coffin collection of Pawnee Indian household utensils, costumes and handwork, the Whitcomb collection of Civil War relics, the Searle collection of Philippine relics, the Morrill collection of chipped stone implements, the Hemple collection of guns and coins, Omaha Charlie's collections of Indian relics, Johnson's collection of war clubs, moccasins and beaded work, the wonderful collection of the Daughters of the American Revolution consisting of revolutionary costumes, the Gibson collection of silver and heirlooms, the Gardner collection of badges and hundreds of other smaller collections none the less valuable and interesting. Daylight Fireworks A new novelty for patriotic demonstrations to be introduced to Nebraska during the Semi-Centennial Celebration which takes place in Lincoln June 12, 13 and 14, is daylight fireworks. Gigantic bombs will throw American flags one thousand feet into the air where they will unfold and descend gradually by means of a parachute attachment.

Nebraska Bands Offering Services The streets of the Capital City will resound with martial music from the break of dawn till sleepy time during the Semi-Centennial celebration of the State of Nebraska which takes place June 12, 13, 14. Many bands from over the state are offering their services to the general committee as representatives of their communities. Several of the best bands of the state have already been accepted. It is planned to erect band stands on the principal streets of Lincoln and give the visiting hosts good music all day long.

Nebraska Bands Offering Services

VISITING GOVERNORS

Making Personal Visits. Governor Keith Neville will join with the invitation committee of the Semi-Centennial Celebration in urging the governors of our sister states to be present on the 12th, 13th and 14th of June, the three days of the Golden Anniversary celebration. Perhaps not more than half of Nebraska's population are native born, the remainder, aside from a few foreign born, migrating from the various other states of the Union. The plan of the committee is to have the governors of the various states address their former citizens. Governor Harding of Iowa and Governor Lowden of Illinois perhaps would have the larger audiences. Governor Whitman of New York will draw an enormous crowd because of his fine record as the executive of the most populous state of the Nation. Ex-Senator Burkett while attending a public "pow wow" of republicans in Chicago not long ago extracted a promise from Governor Whitman that he would be in attendance unless unforeseen circumstances should make it impossible. Governor Capper of Kansas, one of the leading men in the agricultural development of the great middle west will be an interesting speaker to the farmers and Kansans. The leader of the Capper agricultural publications he is doing wonderful service to the world in aiding the maximum production of food stuffs. The invitation committee is now on an extended journey to the capital cities of Illinois, Iowa, Kansas, Colorado, Wyoming and South Dakota in order to insure at least the presence of all the executives of the states bordering on Nebraska.

"The Flag Goes By" Hats off! Along the street there comes A blare of bugles, a ruffle of drums, A flash of color beneath the sky: Hats off! The flag is passing by! Blue and crimson and white it shines, Over the steel-tipped, ordered lines. Hats off! The colors before us fly; But more than the flag is passing by: Sea-fights and land-fights, grim and great, Fought to make and to save the State; Weary marchers and sinking ships; Cheers of victory on dying lips; Days of plenty and years of peace; March of a strong land's swift increase; Equal justice, right and law, Stately honor and reverend awe; Sing of a nation, great and strong To warn her people from foreign wrong; Pride and glory and honor, all Live in the colors to stand or fall. Hats off! Along the street there comes A blare of bugles, a ruffle of drums: And loyal hearts are beating high: Hats off! The flag is passing by! —Henry Holcomb Bennett (1863) This poem expresses better than any mere prose could do the spirit that will prevail at the Semi-Centennial Celebration of the State of Nebraska which is to be held in Lincoln June 12-14. Nebraskans will never have a better opportunity to express the allegiance they feel to the Union. The Capital City will be literally painted red, white and blue. National Flag Day comes on the thirteenth of June and the Semi-Centennial committee will enshrine the Stars and Stripes into the hearts of the thousands of patriotic Cornhuskers who will be in attendance.

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GEN. PERSHING TO ATTEND

Nebraska's Foremost Soldier to Attend Celebration. Major General John G. Pershing, Nebraska's foremost soldier, is to deliver the Commencement address of the University of Nebraska during the Semi-Centennial celebration which takes place at Lincoln June 12, 13 and 14. No soldier in the country today is praised more than is General Pershing. He is the idol of his soldiers and highly respected by his associates. His life story is a wonderful tale of the success of persistence, personality and bravery. John G. Pershing was born in Le Claire, Missouri, in 1860. The stirring times must have rooted the military spirit into his nature. He attended public school in his home town and attended the Missouri State Normal at Kirksville. He later taught school until he was appointed to West Point Military Academy in 1882, from which he graduated in 1886. As Lieutenant Pershing he was first stationed in New Mexico and saw his first service in the Indian campaign against Geronimo. He later went through the Sioux Indian outbreaks in the north middle west. He was transferred to the University of Nebraska as commandant of cadets, in 1892. While at the University he studied law and received his degree in 1895. After four years as commandant he became tactical officer at the West Point Military Academy. When the Spanish-American war broke out he went into Cuba with the Tenth Cavalry. After the war he went to Washington and organized the bureau of Insular Affairs. After successfully completing this work he spent four years in the Philippines trying to pacify the rebellious natives. Following this service he was military attaché to the American embassy to Japan. When greater troubles arose with the Moros in the Philippines he was chosen to quell the rebellion. For this efficient service he was appointed a brigadier general by President Roosevelt. He later returned to the Phill-

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Major General John G. Pershing, commander of the United States army, southern division, who will deliver the Commencement address at the Nebraska Semi-Centennial Celebration at Lincoln June 13. General Pershing is a Nebraskan who is coming back to pay homage to the State he loves.