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NORTH NEBRASKA TEACHERS TO MEET

First Will Come Declamatory Contest. Followed by Three Days of Teachers' Meetings.

SOMETHING DOING ALL THE TIME

March 28th, 29th, and 30th are the dates fixed for the thirty-second annual meeting of the teachers of North Nebraska, and the second meeting of the organization at Wayne. They accepted the invitation to come last year and liked it so well that they were glad to again partake of the hospitality and educational advantages offered here for this great gathering of a thousand or more teachers.

This season, as last, the citizens and Public Service club will cooperate with the members and officers of the association for a great meeting. The homes of Wayne will be thrown open to the visitors.

First, on Thursday afternoon and evening will come the oratorical contest in which about thirty of the high schools of this corner of the state will participate, and oratory will be in the air everywhere. The program for this event is not yet ready, nor is that of the meeting proper yet complete, but below we give the names of some of the instructors who will have a part in the program:

For the general sessions and the sectional meetings, the Executive Committee has secured State Superintendent Mary C. C. Bradford, President of the National Educational Association, Denver, Colorado; Dr. R. L. Lyman, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois; Honorable S. Harris on White, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Colorado, Denver, Colorado; State Superintendent W. H. Clemmons, Lincoln, Nebraska; Professor M. M. Fogg, University of Nebraska; Superintendent A. H. Waterhouse, Fremont, Nebraska; and Professor C. W. Pugsley, Director Extension Service, University of Nebraska. On Friday evening Madame Laure de Vilmar and Mr. Jean L. Schaefer will give a grand opera program, quite out of the ordinary, and admirably suited to the occasion. It is presented jointly by the Public Service Club of Wayne and the Teachers' Association.

FLAG DEDICATION HELD AT ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH

A very impressive flag dedication service was held at the English Lutheran church last Sunday morning. The program was of unusual interest to the members and friends of the congregation. Mr. A. D. Erickson in a few well chosen words presented to the congregation a service flag, the gift of a few members of the church. It was received by the pastor in behalf of the church and sacredly consecrated in the name of God and in honor of the fourteen young men whose stars it bears, then was placed upon the wall beside the pulpit.

The names of the boys were read together with the branch or service to which each belongs, and as each name was read a member of the respective family pinned a star to the white field of the flag. One gold star was placed on the flag in memory of Jens Jorgensen, who died at Camp Funston, January 10th.

The addresses delivered by Profs. O. R. Bowen, I. H. Britell, H. H. Hahn were full of patriotism and were much appreciated by the large congregation present.

The roll of honor is composed of the following names:

Fred K. H. Fichoff, Harris Sorenson, Serg. Raymond Fox, Harvey Hostetter, Carl Juhlin, John M. Gustafson, Rollie Miller, Ralph Bohnert, Peter Chris Pedersen, Serg. George Madsen, Linn Hanson, Fred Lerner, and Jens Jorgensen.

\$225 STRADIVARA AT \$150
\$65 PHONOGRAPH AT \$50

I have a line of these phonographs, new, and prices and discounts run as indicated above. These cabinet phonographs include an assortment of records. These are the only phonographs made with a sounding-board like a piano and violin, and they play any disc record. Automatic stop, and is of high standard, equal if not superior to any phonograph on the market. I will be pleased to demonstrate the truth of these statements to anyone. Call and see and hear at the Ed Ellis racket store in Voget building, Ernest Voget, Wayne, Nebraska.

READING CIRCLE MEETING

A reading circle meeting was held at the office of the county superintendent last Saturday. There was a very good attendance in spite of the bad weather. Teachers in attendance report a very pleasant and profitable meeting.

Community singing, led by Prof. E. E. Lackey, was especially enjoyed. Much is being said about community singing these days. It is urged in every community and district as it is a means of communities getting together as never before in united effort, especially by the singing of our own National, patriotic and Folk songs.

In the forenoon the last six chapters of Strayer and Norsworthy's "How to Teach" were discussed. In the afternoon Prof. Hahn summed up the most important and usable points of the book for the teachers and closed by urging upon all the necessity of such teaching of patriotism and citizenship that will fit the children who are in the schools today for the work of carrying on the government that the adults are doing today. He said, "We are not fighting this war ourselves, we might shirk doing that, but this war is being fought for the coming democracy of the world, which will be made up of the school children of today and those who come after them."

The teachers certainly appreciate Prof. Hahn's word in the reading circle meetings. He knows just how to clear away the difficulties and make things easy.

Miss Mary Ellen Brown, boys' and girls' club worker from the University State Farm, was present and explained and urged the forming of boys' and girls' clubs. There are sewing clubs, gardening clubs, pig raising clubs, corn clubs and egg raising projects.

There are about 45 club members in Wayne county. All were asked to come to the meeting but on account of the storm only nine were present. The six girls were sewing club girls and had been asked to bring some of their work with them. Their sewing was passed around and examined by the teachers. The girls were: Katie Carsten, Esther Pfeiffer, Myrtle Reichert and Rosa Rohlf from district 79; Edna Muhs from district 11, and Helen Neitzke from district 86; all from near Hoskins.

Edna Muhs has earned a certificate of Achievement for completing the first course in sewing.

The three boys were: Ellsworth Wayne Jackson, Erwin McDowell and Orville Meink from the Shales Consolidated school.

Wayne Jackson and Orville Meink had completed the corn growing project and were entitled to a certificate of Achievement.

Any child who completes a project may be excused from the eighth grade examination in agriculture.

Erwin McDowell has completed the pig raising project for which he received his certificate of Achievement, a silver honor medal given by the Nebraska Farm Journal and a free trip to the Junior Farmers' Congress in June 1918, at Lincoln.

The manner in which these three boys gave short descriptions of their projects was much appreciated.

Mrs. Hahn explained very fully the work of the Junior Red Cross, showing all the knitted articles, surgical dressings, comfort kits, etc. that may be made by the children. The work of the club members may well come under the Junior Red Cross work.

HOME GUARD ORGANIZES AT ALTONA—SEVENTY STRONG

A company of Home Guards, 70 strong, is the latest organization in this county and Altona is the place about which the members of the new organization center. Their organization has Gen. Baris as chairman; F. Erksleben, vice-chairman, W. F. Meinke, secretary. Chas. Erksleben, treasurer. The drills will be held Tuesday and Thursday evenings, and the drill officers are: Wm. F. Assenheimer, captain; Harman Assenheimer, 1st lieutenant; Ott Frenzdel, 2nd lieutenant.

No community in the state, perhaps, is developing a better growth of truly patriotic sentiment than this community south of Wayne. With many people of German decent and not a few natives of that country, as they have studied the war came and the question at issue they have almost to a man become intensely American in sentiment, and they are proving it by both word and deed.

Wayne County Coming "Over The Top" With W. S. S.

Another great drive is coming next week and the citizens of this good county, it is safe to predict, both city and country, will subscribe more than the sum asked. Wayne papers this week carry the appeal of more than half a hundred business men, showing their willingness to aid in giving the movement proper publicity without placing that burden wholly upon the press. We might have given the space, but it would have been lacking in the force which comes from an expression of so many of the leading citizens.

To Rollie W. Ley and H. S. Ringland too much credit cannot be given for their untiring and unselfish devotion to the work, as they were named by state and national authorities to look after details relating to the sale of W. S. S. and most worthily and efficiently is the responsibility being met.

The Governor urges all to take a part in this great drive, so very important is it that it be a success. His proclamation is given:

PROCLAMATION

The Secretary of the Treasury has asked the people of the State of Nebraska to loan the government twenty-six million dollars through the purchase of War Savings Stamps during the year of 1918. At the present time, our state has not nearly subscribed its quota, but it has subscribed more per capita of population than any state in the nation. It is the desire of the War Savings Committee that Nebraska shall be the first state to subscribe its entire quota, and to this end, I designate March 22nd as War Savings Day.

I earnestly urge upon all Nebraskans that they assemble on that day in the public places designated by the local committees, and after carefully considering their duty to their country make their pledges for the amount they will purchase during the remainder of the year.

I further urge upon the business houses of the state that they make such arrangements as will enable their business personnel an opportunity to attend the War Savings meetings.

Thousands of the finest of Nebraska's young men have entered the military and naval service of their country, prepared to make their supreme sacrifice if need be, in its defense. Those who remain at home can, as patriotic citizens, do no less than make the small sacrifice necessary for the subscription of our quota of War Savings Stamps.

KEITH NEVILLE, Governor.

March 7, 1918.

BOOKS NEEDED BY OUR BOYS IN TRAINING CAMPS

The book drive for the week of March 18th to 25th bids fair to be a great success. Mrs. Blair, our librarian, is doing everything in her power to get the people of Wayne to understand the actual necessity of books, good books, in our various training camps.

Take the books to the library as it is hoped to get a shipment off in the near future. Make this drive ALL the time instead of just the one week.

The War Service administration hopes, that for every book purchased, at least five will be presented to the libraries.

Mobilize your idle books. Give the book you prize the most; not the one you care for least.

Give your favorite author; the novel that interested you last summer; the volume of poems with a meaning and message for you.

Give the book that causes a pang at parting, like saying goodbye to an old friend. Ten chances to one it will mean more to some soldier boy.

Give the book that is still alive but which you and your family have outgrown. It is the one which should be passed on to the Camp Libraries.

Give your latest war book; you will probably not read it again. The boy in khaki is waiting for it. Reading, it will prepare him for the conditions "over there."

Give books on technical subjects; there is an insistent call for works on aeroplanes, automobiles, gas engines and engineering topics generally. Don't think that the boys are interested only in fiction.

Write your name and message on the fly leaf; it will make the bond seem closer.

Remember that he gives twice who gives quickly. But don't give thoughtlessly. We are judged by what we give.

ERIC THOMPSON BADLY INJURED

Eric Thompson was badly injured Tuesday when he fell from a wagon and crushed his right hip. He was taken to Sioux City Wednesday to St. Joseph's hospital, accompanied by his wife and mother, Mrs. Chris Thompson, and brother, A. C. Last evening Mr. Thompson came home. Examination revealed the fact that a slight fracture of the hip was sustained, and it was put in a cast where it will be held in place for about six weeks. As he could be cared for at home he elected to not remain at the city hospital during the time.

BUSKIRK-OPKIS

Miss Katie Buskirk of Bloomfield and Mr. Otto Opkis of Wausa were married Wednesday, March 13, 1918, at the court house by the Rev. S. X. Cross. The young folks will make their home at Wausa.

MAYOR HARM OF BLOOMFIELD TO SPEAK AT WAYNE MAR. 24

The next great patriotic meeting for Wayne is to be at the opera house next week Sunday evening (March 24th) when a man of German birth will speak. Mr. Harm, mayor of Bloomfield, will bring a message to the people. He is in dead earnest in his support of the cause of America and her allies, and beyond a doubt, is doing as much as any one man in the state to give light to the people of his nationality. He has studied the question, and has the advantage of many in the fact that he first thoroughly understood conditions in Germany and the aim of the rulers of that country—next, he has become a true citizen of his adopted land, and his conception of the blessings of a free people's rights and obligations to their government stands first with him, hence he has pledged his time, his fortune, and if need be, his life to the cause of his country.

His knowledge of the German language and the characteristics of the German people makes his appeal to them of peculiar interest. He may not have all the graces of the orator's art, but he has that which is better, a firm conviction of the duty he owes to his fellowmen and a determination to do that duty. Hear him.

MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENT CAUCUS TO BE HELD

Notice is hereby given that the Municipal Improvement party of Wayne will hold a caucus and convention at the City Hall, on March 15, 1918, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices to be elected at the next general City election, to-wit: Mayor, City Treasurer, City Clerk, Two members of the Board of Education, and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before said convention.

Immediately following said convention, a caucus for the First Ward will be held at the City Hall for the purpose of nominating two candidates for councilmen for said ward; one for a period of two years, and one for a period of one year to fill vacancy. And a caucus of the Second Ward will be held at Beckenhauer's Undertaking Parlors for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for councilman from said ward. And a caucus will be held at Blair's Clothing Store for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for councilman from said ward. And at said ward caucuses such other business will be transacted as may regularly come before the same.

T. B. HECKERT, Chairman.
R. N. DONAHEY, Secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Jones of Carroll were Wayne visitors Monday.

HOME GUARD NEWS

Everyone is responding in fine shape in the HOME GUARD membership drive and if each man will induce one man to join the membership will clear the five hundred mark this week. A great many new men have already signed the roster but every member is urged to bring in at least one new member.

The response of members assigned for night guard work has been fine and each man has taken his turn with a spirit that speaks well for the Home Guard Organization. Every man that has been posted for guard duty this far has responded promptly. The drill work is going good and the men are taking to the work with an enthusiasm that will insure for Wayne a high class military organization. New men are coming to drill every Tuesday and Thursday night. All men wishing to start are urged to be present on these nights and the sooner the better.

Next week the question of uniforms and guns will be taken up and discussed by the members and plans will be worked out for the purchase of the same.

Dues are payable to Mustering Sergeant, B. F. Strahan, so either call at the First National Bank and pay the sergeant or mail the same to him. Dues are fifty cents per quarter and payable at once.

Regular meeting nights at the college gymnasium, Tuesday and Thursday at eight o'clock sharp.

Mr. Meister of the Gem Cafe and Mr. Roskopf of the Calumet wish to inform the guard that hot coffee, sandwiches and pie are absolutely free to the four men on duty each night. This is a very fine, patriotic thing for these two gentlemen to offer and is duly appreciated by the guard members.

Assignments for Guard duty March 15th to March 22nd, inclusive, are:

- Friday, Ahlvers, B.; Brader, Albert; Berry, F. S.; Craven, H. B.
- Saturday, Buetow, Chas. H.; Chapman, G. E.; Chance, A. A.; Dennis, John T.
- Sunday, Buetow, W. H.; Dewey, B. E.; Dempsey, Arthur; Davison, A. E.
- Monday, Davis, A. R.; Dayton, V. L.; DeVille, Edw. J.; Ellis, W. R.
- Tuesday, Ellis, Fred; Elcher, O. N.; Elmung, Frank E.; Fleming, B. S.
- Wednesday, Fitch, Don; Foster, J. H.; Fleetwood, E. E.; Forbes, J. C.
- Thursday, Fox, Clifton; Ferrel, H. B.; Fitch, Earl; Fleming, Keith.
- Friday, Forbes, J. R.; Grunne-meyer, A. G.; Gamble, W. B.; Gilder-sleeve, Lloyd.

DAIRY EXPERT LECTURES AT STATE NORMAL MARCH 16

Both men and women are urged to attend the Milk Demonstration at the State Normal, Saturday, March 16th. Morning, afternoon, and evening sessions.

In the morning, beginning at 9:30, there will be a demonstration showing the making of cottage cheese from separated milk. In the afternoon at 2 o'clock Mr. Krause will lecture along dairy lines, especially the feeding of milk to stock and profit in the dairy business and the men are especially urged to attend this session.

Following the lecture, Miss Finnigan, head of the Domestic Science Department of the State Normal, will demonstrate the use of cheese in various dishes as a meat substitute. In the evening, Mr. Krause will give an illustrated lecture with slides.

Mr. Krause has been lecturing in Nebraska for about eight weeks and Wayne county is indeed fortunate in being able to get so able an authority on Dairy matters. Let there be a good attendance at each session.

CHURCHES OBSERVE WEEK OF PRAYER

Beginning March 18 the churches in town will hold services each evening at 7:30 p. m. These meetings are in keeping with the wishes of President Wilson that we make the month of March a period of special prayer.

Monday evening the service will be held in the Presbyterian church. Rev. D. W. MacGregor will speak Tuesday evening in the English Lutheran church, the speaker is Rev. F. J. Jordan. Wednesday evening Rev. S. X. Cross speaks in the Methodist church. On Thursday evening in the Baptist church Rev. J. H. Feterolf preaches. The last meeting is held in the Presbyterian church with Rev. D. W. MacGregor as the speaker.

It is hoped that everyone will come out to these services.

John McInerney went to Sioux City Wednesday for a short visit.

JUNIOR RED CROSS BRINGS IN \$600.00

Junior Red Cross Will Have Sausage Sum in Treasury to Begin Their Patriotic Work With.

PLAYGROUND FUND ADDED TO

One of the most successful entertainments given for the Red Cross was the one given at the High school last Friday evening. A large crowd was out and everyone reports a splendid time. The people who had the entertainment in charge are to be commended for the hard work they did and for the untiring efforts they put forth, for their patriotism which prompted them to give so much of their time to make a success of the evening's entertainment.

Many people were out to enjoy the oyster supper and the carnival of amusements. The auction sale was perhaps the most exciting part of the evening. And the proceeds of this alone amounted to \$270. The proceeds from the shows and supper amounted to \$330. Making a grand total of \$600.

After the sale was over Superintendent Armstrong gave a short talk taking up the need of playground equipment. A rabbit was put up for sale which brought \$125 to start the fund. Up to date the following have subscribed to aid in making the playgrounds more modern and a fit place for the school children to while away their idle hours:

- Harry Jones \$10.00
- Phil Kohl 10.00
- Mrs. A. A. Welch 5.00
- W. M. Fisher 5.00
- S. A. Theobald 5.00
- L. C. Gildersleeve 5.00
- W. O. Hanssen 5.00
- J. H. Kemp 5.00
- E. S. Morgan 5.00
- J. R. Armstrong 5.00
- J. H. Felber 5.00
- Fred Blair 5.00
- Frank Gamble 5.00
- Ralph Clark 5.00
- J. G. Mines 5.00
- E. Ley 5.00
- H. C. Henney 5.00
- Chas. Heikes 5.00
- A. R. Davis 5.00
- R. Rundell 5.00
- F. G. Philles 5.00
- F. S. Berry 5.00
- Wood Jones 5.00
- J. E. Hufford 5.00

Rollie W. Ley has the list and will give others opportunity to aid in this work.

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FRED S. BERRY, Chairman.
ROLLIE W. LEY, Secretary.

ED. MURRELL CITY ELECTRICIAN RESIGNS

At the meeting of the city council Tuesday evening, Ed. Murrell, who has been in the employ of the city for about fourteen years past, and for more than seven years last past, in charge of the light and power plant tendered his resignation to take effect the first of the month. He has a position offered to take charge of the plant at Carroll. He has made a good record here, and has always kept the wheels going.

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LIVERINGHOUSE—Tuesday, March 12, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Liveringhouse, a daughter.



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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Dr. White, Dentist, Phone 307, residence phone 300. adv-50-tf.

Mrs. Art Aufer of Winside was a Wayne visitor Monday.

Miss Lottie Ostrander of Carroll arrived Saturday to attend teachers' meeting.

W. E. Beaman was a visitor at Norfolk, last week, going over Friday evening.

Mrs. Carroll Orr and Mrs. A. Kostomlatsky went to Sioux City Tuesday for a short stay.

Esther Glasser, who is attending Normal, spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks at Sholes.

Mrs. John L. Coon and Mrs. Herman Krel started Saturday for their new home at Saco, Montana.

Mrs. Geo. Berger was called to Winside Friday to attend the funeral of her cousin, Miss Ruth Jide.

Rev. and Mrs. Fetterolf went to Omaha Monday to attend a meeting of the Church Extension Board.

Miss Mildred Weber of Wakefield visited over Sunday with her cousin, Miss Myrtle Anderson, at the Normal.

Miss Stöckelberg, home food demonstration agent, has had her headquarters changed from Wayne to Dakota City.

Dr. Prinity of Creighton was a Wayne business visitor Saturday. We have an idea he was called here by the teachers' meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Glenn returned to their home at Omaha Saturday after a pleasant visit at the John Bush and Ray Purdue homes.

Chas. Gates, who has been employed at the Boyd barber shop, has bought a shop at Bancroft and went there Monday to take up his work.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peters of Bloomfield were visitors at Wayne Monday enroute to California where they expect to spend several months.

Leslie Welch, who is in training in the aviation department at Fort Omaha, arrived here Saturday for a brief visit with his parents, Judge and Mrs. A. A. Welch. Accompanied by his mother, he went to Sioux City Sunday to visit his sister, Mrs. Harry Armstrong. He expects to be ordered to a southern training camp soon.

Lon Hunter went to Sidney Sunday on a business trip.

Mrs. Dorothy Nelson went to Sioux City Monday for the day.

B. W. Wright went to Cheyenne county Sunday on a business mission.

Prof. and Mrs. E. L. Coleman of Sholes were Wayne visitors Saturday.

Mrs. E. L. Mabbott and son Lyle visited Sunday with friends at Wakefield.

Al Neison of Beatrice, arrived Sunday and will work at the Herald office.

Miss Clara Lejdtke who teaches at Hoskins spent Sunday here with home folks.

Miss Florence York of Wakefield visited over Sunday with Miss Frances Beckenhauer.

Mrs. Peter Larson and daughter Christine of Randolph were Wayne shoppers Saturday.

Miss Sadie Perry went to Dakota City Monday for a visit with relatives for a short time.

Mrs. W. A. Clark and daughter Hazel went to Creighton Saturday to visit relatives over Sunday.

Geo. Fortner and L. W. Roe were Fremont visitors the first of the week, going over Sunday morning.

Miss Florence Monahan of Gretna returned to her home Monday. She had been here on a business trip.

Mrs. P. Dixon went to Burke, South Dakota, Saturday where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. E. T. Slaughter.

M. C. McRae of Bushnell, South Dakota, is enjoying a pleasant visit with his sister, Mrs. C. M. Madden and family.

Mrs. F. Collins of Carroll went to Sioux City Monday to visit her father, Patrick Coleman, who is ill at a hospital there.

John McNerny came home from Fort Riley, Kansas, Saturday on a few days furlough to visit home folks and old friends.

Mrs. S. S. Arnold of Des Moines, Iowa, arrived Saturday evening to visit her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Ahern, and family.

Mrs. George Heady returned Monday from Hartington where she has been visiting her father, W. M. Southwick, and other relatives.

Mrs. Ralph Metzinger of Scribner was a Wayne visitor Saturday. She had been to Randolph to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kesler.

Misses Katie Carstens, Edna Muhr, Esther Pfeiffer, Myrtle Reichert, Rosa Rohlf, and Anna Carstens, all of Winside, were Wayne visitors Saturday.

Mrs. C. O. Benson of O'Neill, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. G. J. Hess, went to Norfolk Saturday where she will visit another sister before she returns home.

W. P. Brown of Lewiston, Montana, who was called here on account of the serious illness of his father, W. S. Brown, returned to Montana Sunday on account of important business matters.

The Pierce Call tells quite a tale of bootlegging and drunkenness at that place recently, and after telling of the broken bottles and smashed signs, closes by admitting that under the dry law of Nebraska they "understood" that the culprits were arrested and fined.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thurow, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lass, their nephew and niece, returned to their home at Luverne, Minnesota, Friday. They report that their part of that state has had less snow this winter than here, but some pretty cold weather.

Mrs. Eric Thompson went to Omaha Friday for a few days visit.

Miss Margaret Heberer of Hoskins was visiting here Saturday.

Miss Clara Fry of Winside was a business visitor here Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Hansen went to Pendleton Friday to visit her home folks.

Mrs. Walter Hurlbert of Carroll was a business visitor here Saturday.

Miss Clara Jensen went to Winside Friday to visit home folks over Sunday.

Mrs. M. McIntaffer of Carroll was an Emerson visitor the first of the week.

Mrs. Lou Barney of Norfolk arrived Saturday to visit Mrs. J. F. Arnold.

Mrs. W. F. Jonson of Hoskins visited over Sunday at the L. C. Nettleton home.

Miss Margaret Dennis came home from Crofton Saturday to visit Sunday with relatives.

William Bailey went to Emerson Monday where he will work on a farm this summer.

Mrs. A. L. Nurenberger and daughter Ruth of Wakefield were Wayne visitors Saturday.

Mrs. L. W. Nichols returned to Norfolk Monday after visiting Mrs. Chas. White and other old friends.

Mrs. Mary Vaughn returned to her home at Bassett Monday after a visit here with Mrs. Carrie Bruner.

Miss Myrtle Davis returned to her home at Wakefield Monday after a visit here with her brother Ben W. Davis.

Mrs. Henry Hansen returned to her home at Holstein, Iowa, Friday after a visit here with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hansen.

Miss Ada Englund went to Sioux City Saturday to meet her mother from Elk Point, South Dakota. They will both spend Sunday there with friends.

Miss Ina Lundberg, who attends the Normal, went to Wakefield Friday to Sunday with home folks. She was accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Herman Lundberg.

Judge A. A. Welch and Court Reporter Ellis drove to Pierce Monday for a little court work, and Tuesday went to Center, where court was due to convene that day.

Rev. F. J. Jordan returned Friday from a trip to Creighton, Pilger, Battle Creek and Tilden where he had been in the interest of the million dollar drive the Baptists are making.

Miss Margaret Bolt returned Monday from Columbus where she has been with her parents for a couple of weeks on account of illness. She took up her school duties at the Normal again Tuesday.

Miss Marjorie Wells, a sister of Mrs. L. A. Fansie, accompanied by a friend, Miss Beryl McKenzie, returned to their home at Sioux City Friday after a very pleasant time here at the Fansie home.

Walter Randol, who is in the Naval Training Station at Great Lakes, Illinois, came home Sunday on a ten days furlough. He is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Randol and old friends.

Mrs. U. S. Conn went to Norfolk Friday evening, returning Saturday.

Miss Ardith Conn, who teaches at Madison, met her at Norfolk and together they spent a pleasant evening. spent Sunday here at home.

Misses Fannie Peters and Mabel Stiefvater of Norfolk accompanied by Messrs. John and George Peters of Verdell were Wayne visitors Friday enroute to Carroll where they visited over Sunday with Miss Kate Peters.

Mrs. Robert Wolfe of Springfield, South Dakota, left for her home Saturday after several days visit here at the H. Griggs home. She was accompanied as far as Sioux City by Mrs. Griggs and daughter Miss Iris, the latter two ladies to spend the day in the city. Miss Iris went to her school at Belden Sunday.

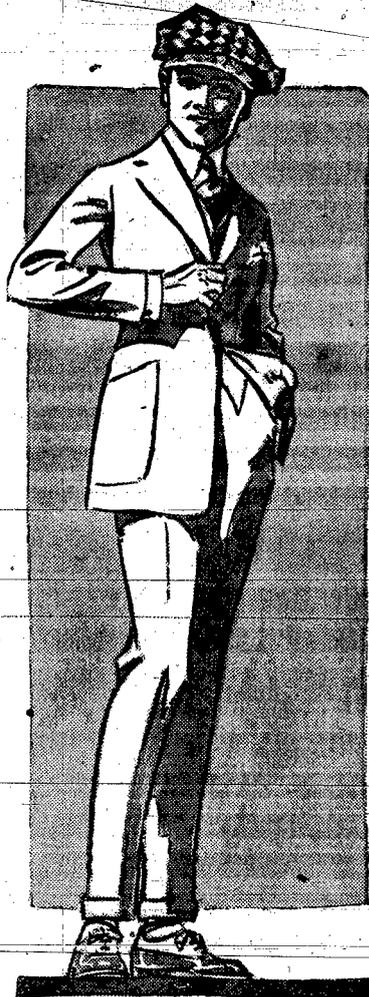
James Mulvey came down from Winner, South Dakota, last week to visit his Wayne friends and relatives, look after business matters, and take his little daughter home with him, the child having been staying for the past few weeks with her grandmother, Mrs. Emma Baker. He visited at Winnebago while here.

Wm. Koch, a sailor from the battleship Michigan, was a Wayne visitor Monday with friends. He had a fifteen days furlough and spent some of the time with his mother, Mrs. A. G. Boldenrow, at Bloomfield. He has been in the service nearly two years and says he likes it fine.

The school of agriculture at Lincoln will close three weeks earlier this spring to enable the students to help on the farms. Commencement exercises will be held Friday evening, April 5. Regent E. P. Brown will deliver the address. Sixty-seven seniors will receive diplomas, including forty-three boys and twenty-four girls.

This is the same number of seniors as last year. Seventeen of the girls have taken the teachers' training course preparing to teach in the rural and village schools.

Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes Economize For You



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SOMEBODY once said to E. H. Harriman—the greatest railroad man the world has ever known, "What's the secret of your success?"

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Choose the best ones you can find and let them do the economizing for you.

We chose these Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes for spring with that in mind. They're made to economize for you; the all-wool fabrics, the fine tailoring, good style, and long wear are the qualities that do it.

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Crystal Theatre

Tuesday, Mar. 19

"German Curse in Russia"

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The Famous Woman's Battalion of Death

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The Money You Pay

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A \$5 Bill in Your Pocket Does Not Increase In Value

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One Thrift Stamp Buys Five Bullets

One War Savings Stamp, one pair of shoes, or two woolen shirts. These stamps are translated into equipment needed by our soldiers who are fighting for world freedom.

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And help put a crimp in the king business with which the world has become tired and sick.

CLARK'S GARAGE

LOWER MAIN STREET

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Save and Serve Buy War Savings Stamps

HELP THE GOVERNMENT AND HELP YOURSELF.

Farmers Union Co-operative Association

CARL MADSEN, Manager.

You Can Buy A War Savings Stamp

On a regular certificate card, have it registered, throw it away, and still your money is absolutely safe. This sort of investment will aid world freedom.

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IS AS CERTAINLY REMUNERATIVE AS IT IS DISTINCTLY PATRIOTIC.

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A NEW LINE OF DISHES JUST IN.

Our Country is at War

Until that war is ended with a peace that assures victory for the United States, all our energies must be devoted to the business of winning. Buy War Savings Stamps and hasten victory.

KAY & BICHEL

FARMING IMPLEMENTS

Help Put Bill Kaiser and His Savage War Lords Out of Business

By buying War Savings Stamps. We can afford to give everything if necessary to win

Wayne Herald

War Stamps Can Never Depreciate

Because every postoffice in the land stands ready to redeem them at full face value, plus interest, at any time. Put your savings into stamps.

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W. R. WEBER, Proprietor.

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Watches, Diamonds and Jewelry

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WAYNE, NEB.



As Mayor Harm Says:

"We had better spend all our money and win the war than keep all our money and lose the war." Buying War Savings Stamps is one way to help.

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Suppose You Loan Something

To the government out of gratitude for having your child in your arms while others' boys are "over there" to give up their lives if necessary for the safety of democracy?

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A New Electrical Supply and Work Shop

Having been doing electrical wiring for some time, I have leased a part of the John S. Lewis building on the west side of Main street, and am opening up a shop there for all kinds of electrical supplies.

Motors, Fixtures, Wires, Irons, Etc.

I am ready to furnish plans and make estimates for all manner of wiring and electrical equipment.

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Work That Pleases

A LETTER FROM EDITOR EVANS OF YEOMAN SHIELD

Somewhere in France, Feb 2, 1918. Dear Yeoman Folk:

Sitting in a Y. M. C. A. hut "somewhere in France" after a hard day's work among our soldier boys, it is difficult to visualize you folk at home and the comfortable conditions that surround you. However, I know and understand the strenuous efforts of Grand Foreman Frink and Jack Murphy to make this anniversary month the greatest in the history of our beloved society. I know that Bro. Davy is exercising the same efficiency, diligence and patience that has characterized his official career; that Doctors Smithers and Winters are carefully scrutinizing applications for membership, guarding against standard risks; that Dennison and Hoffman, splendidly equipped, are guiding the Society through the legal entanglements of thirty odd states. I will not say of Bro. Campbell the fine things I would like to say, for I know that in his modesty he would strike them out, and the Lord knows I am having too much trouble with the censors on this side the water to add another one at home. Nor do I forget the quiet, effective work of Charley Stallcop as he goes about among the Homesteads in his helpful way, nor the services of our Board of Auditors, or special auditors, and the employees in the office. God bless 'em, every one.

I understand with what determination Field Managers Hatley, Stark and Earl Frink have set about to celebrate our natal jubilee by having their states top the list of the "Big Ten." Let me suggest, Bro. Grand Foreman, that you arrange another list of big states on the basis of the percentage of gain in membership—that is the gain in membership as related to present membership. Do this, and perhaps the managers I have named will lose a feather or two out of their caps to Deel of Kansas, Reagan of Colorado, Elliott of California, Snyder of Washington, and doubtless others.

Then there are the district and local deputies, men and women who will vie with each other for places of honor in the "Big Forty" list. I suppose the Board of Directors meet this first week in February to wrestle with the thousand perplexing problems that press for solution. How proud very Yeoman should be of the members of our Board and of our officers who are so successfully guiding our Society through these stressful days of war and business trouble.

Our several thousand Correspondents who are handling millions of dollars, and our loyal members—25,000 of them—come to think of it, when I name and contemplate all

these forces I get a fair perspective of the Great Brotherhood of American Yeomen, although I am four thousand miles away.

In our party of Y. M. C. A. workers is Brother Edwin Philaney, a member of Pioneer Homestead of Minneapolis, so old Pioneer can place an additional service star to her flag.

Space will not permit me to write of our wonderful ten-days' voyage across the waters. I'll never forget, however, that night and day that we were not permitted to undress, were directed to keep life preservers by our side, and were drilled as to the manner in which we should enter the life boats. We felt we were passing through the valley of the shadow of death, for we were in that zone of the sea where submarines attack without warning.

Of the war I shall write little at this time. You are in a position at home to know as much about general conditions as I am here. We spent a week in Paris receiving instructions about our work, then were sent to the field. I am located at a point where there are thousands of U. S. troops. Here there are five "Y" huts and three more in course of erection. The boys are entertained in the huts every night. E. H. Sothern, the famous American actor, who came on our ship to this camp, and will appear twice at each hut, then complete a tour of all our camps in France. Many noted actors, musicians, and lecturers are doing the same thing. Our boys were never so richly entertained at home. They crowd the huts to their capacity every night, and this keeps them out of the towns, and cities and holds their morale at par.

I think, as a whole, our boys are better behaved than they were at home. I want the mothers of America to know that their boys are as safe here as at home. They are not debauching. Opportunity for wrongdoing here is no greater than in America, and the boys here are under military discipline. A soldier cannot go through the paces of drilling every day and lead a fast life. There is severe punishment for drunkenness and other lapses. The towns and cities are under martial law, and where our troops are located we have our own military police.

The Y. M. C. A. huts are very popular with the boys. Here they find all sorts of reading and writing material; there is a piano in every hut and "sing-songs" are going night and day. There are all sorts of games, football, basketball, etc. The boys are required to keep their camp, their barracks, and themselves spotlessly clean. This, with their drills, their letters and their evenings at the huts employ all their time. They must retire at 9 p. m. They are not

allowed to go to Paris. General Pershing and his staff stand firmly against drinking and immorality, as do the American medical corps.

In practically every company there is an organization of boys who have pledged each other, in writing, to keep clean. In one company the boys told me eighty-six had joined this organization, and the number is daily increasing.

I have not received a permanent assignment as yet. Have been but four days among our soldiers. Have spoken at three different huts on "Germany," telling the boys something of the purposes and ideals of that government, that military, monarchical monster that has its lair in the heart of Europe. Today, Sunday, I spoke to them on "The Politics of the Nazarene." There are three religious services a week, Sunday morning and evening and a mid-week service. There are Bible classes in every hut, not so largely attended, to be sure, as the theatricals and lectures, but a goodly number.

As one of the speakers puts it, "the business of the Young Men's Christian Association in France is to offer adequate competition to the devil, wherever and wherever he may be." In other words, we are here to help whip the Kaiser, and help our boys so that when they go clean over the top they may go over the top clean.

H. C. Evans.

WOMAN'S WAR WORK

(By Mrs. J. G. W. Lewis, chairman Woman's Committee, Wayne county Council of Defense.)

Nebraska Needs "Americanization."

From the incomplete returns on registration of alien enemies Nebraska figures reveal the startling fact that there are between 15,000 and 18,000 unaturalized German men in the State of Nebraska. This means that one man in every eighteen in Nebraska is an unaturalized German. These figures seem almost unbelievable, but they are taken as published in the Omaha Bee. Moreover, it is a fact that fully half of the alien Germans whose registration blanks have been received at the Omaha Federal building are former German soldiers. Some of them have been high officers in the great Prussian military machine. If there are this number of unaturalized Germans, what must be the number of all unaturalized citizens when there are counted in the Poles, Austrians, Italians, Bohemians, Russians, Slavs, Greeks, Scandinavian, and other foreigners?

What The Americanization Department of the Woman's Committee Has Done

Dr. Olga Stastny, of Omaha, State Chairman of Americanization Department of the Woman's Committee, Nebraska State Council of Defense, has done a wonderful work since her appointment to that position last August. She herself has spoken to 34 audiences of foreign people, explaining problems of the war, naturalization, etc. As a result of one of these meetings fifty Swedish women of Lincoln took out their first papers and in Omaha following one meeting sixty-five men and women took out their first papers.

With the help of the Foreign Trade Committee of the Omaha Commercial Club, a foreign information bureau has been established in the City Library at Omaha. This is opened once a week and here foreigners come and have explained to them in their own language any questions on naturalization, registration, exemption of draft and questions regarding the war. Instruction is given in the advantages the cities offer for their help as the library, the night school, the Welfare Bureau, the Visiting Nurse Association. Mrs. Left, of

Opening Dates—Friday and Saturday

March 15th and 16th

TO THE TEACHERS: On above dates you will find everything in the new, nifty models of millinery, suits, coats and skirts. You will find just what you are looking for here.

AND REMEMBER: The week of the teachers' meeting, March 25 to 30 we have arranged with two large eastern concerns to have one of the largest displays of ladies furnishings ever brought to Wayne. Every advantage of "big city" shopping brought here for your convenience. We want to please you, that's why we have so many satisfied customers.

Coats and Suits

Nonequal, exclusive line. We have a beautiful showing. All the new models and shades. There will be an advance in price later on and our advice is to purchase early. Then, too, you get your choice from our complete assortment. The suits this spring are made on a new style but are very practical and serviceable. And the prices are within your means.

Waists

Never before have we had such a variety and pretty shipping of waists. You must see to appreciate our showing of Georgettes, Tissues, Chiffons, Crepe de Chenes. For your new spring suit, for wear with a pretty new spring skirt, you need one of these lovely waists.



Millinery

To protect our customers and give them something out of the ordinary we purchased from six different wholesale houses this season. We also have in our employ an expert milliner who will be glad to serve your individual wants. Tailored and Street Hats—an advance showing for spring.

Furnishings

To please the ladies of Wayne we have from time to time put in more of an assortment of Ladies' Furnishings. The nifty, better kind of Underwear, pretty Camisoles, Hose, Toilet Articles, etc. When you are looking for something in this line, remember, you can find what you want here.

We give a 25c Thrift Stamp with every \$5.00 purchase.

MRS. JEFFRIES' LADIES' READY TO WEAR STORE

South Omaha, has for a long time conducted many classes for foreigners.

The work of the Nebraska women in the department of Americanization has been commended very highly by the National Council of Defense at Washington.

Order of Hearing on Petition For Appointment of Administrator

In the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska.

State of Nebraska, County of Wayne, ss:

To Emil Tietgen and Esther Tietgen, and to all persons interested in the estate of Minnie Tietgen, deceased:

On reading the petition of Emil Tietgen praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Henry Lage as administrator.

It is hereby ordered that you, and all persons interested in said matter, may, and do, appear at the County Court to be held in and for said county, on the 23rd day of March, A. D. 1918, at 2 o'clock p. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and that the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this Order in the Nebraska Democrat, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

Witness my hand and seal of said court, this 4th day of March, A. D. 1918.

JAS. E. BRITAIN, County Judge.

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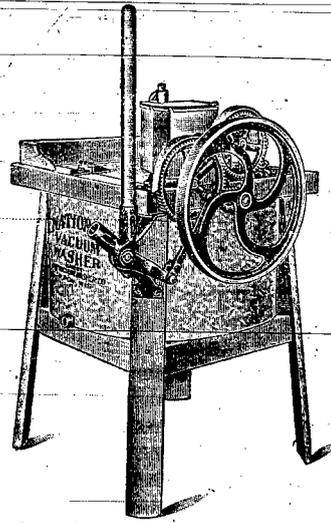
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Pure Bred Shorthorns The foundation cow on which this herd started was Daybreak 3d Five of this tribe now in herd Dale's Czar now at head of herd. Peter Ulrich, Winside.

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WAYNE MARKET REPORT

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

Corn \$1.30 to \$1.40
Oats85
Wheat 1.95
Hay 18.00
Chickens20
Eggs27
Butter Fat45
Hogs 16.00
Cattle \$10.00 @ \$14.00

SEVEN YEARS OLD TODAY

The Democrat, under its present management, is seven years old with this edition. Seven years of hard work, interspersed with pleasure. The friendly attitude of the people of Wayne, their great hearted kindness, their co-operation at all times, makes us feel that the efforts we have made to please, the fight we have made for their interests, for Wayne and for Wayne county's interests, has been appreciated.

We simply take this opportunity to thank all the friends we have made and to assure them of our appreciation. We are giving to Wayne a bright, newsy paper, we are going to continue to make it as good or better, and ask that every one who has aided us in the upbuilding of our newspaper dreams, will continue to give us their support.

WHY WE ARE FIGHTING

Secretary of the Interior, Franklin K. Lane, in an address recently stated the reasons why we are at war with Germany. Among these reasons he says:

"We are fighting Germany because she sought to terrorize us and then to fool us. We could not believe that Germany would do what she said she would do upon the seas.

"We still hear the piteous cries of children coming up out of the sea where the Lusitania went down. And Germany never asked forgiveness of the world!

"We saw the Sussex sunk, crowded with the sons and daughters of neutral nations.

"We saw ship after ship sent to the bottom—ships of mercy bound out of America for the Belgian starving—ships carrying the Red Cross and laden with wounded of all nations—ships carrying food and clothing to the friendly, harmless, terrorized peoples—ships flying the Star and Stripes—sent to the bottom hundreds of miles from shore, manned by American seamen, murdered against all law, without warning.

"We believed Germany's promise that she would respect the neutral flag and the rights of neutrals, and we held our anger and outrage in check. But now we see that she was holding us off with fair promises until she could build her huge fleet of submarines. For when spring came she blew her promise into the air just as at the beginning she had torn

up that "scrap of paper." Then we saw clearly that there was but one law for Germany, her will to rule.

"We are fighting Germany because she violated our confidence. Paid German spies filled our cities. Officials of her government, received as the guests of this nation, lived with us to bribe and terrorize, defying our laws and the law of nations.

"We are fighting Germany because, while we were yet her friends—the only great power that still held hands off—she sent the Zimmerman note, calling to her aid Mexico, our southern neighbor, and hoping to lure Japan, our western neighbor, into war against this nation of peace."

The new draft is to come shortly, and we are told, it will call for 800,000 men. Not all that will be called at once, but it is that as fast as cantonments are emptied and equipment made ready, the new men will be called to training camps and made ready for the trip over the pond. Men who have been in training since the first draft are being taken across in great numbers. Last week Secretary of War Baker went over to confer with army leaders of the other side, and no one of the general public knew that he was gone until he was there; and then it was said that 10,000 men were taken across at the same time, and who of us knew they were on their way?

The packers of meat have been trying to break into the rural press with a bunch of clippings from the papers which they appear to own. Since that failed they have bought a little bunch of advertising space. Well, we have to pay for our meat and pay well—so why pull their chestnuts out of the fire. They evidently made the record they are trying to cover up, and they should stand by and take the consequences, be they ill or good.

Now that the Allies have taken for us about 400 German ships, one of the leading papers of that land of blood demands that as reprisal, the air crafts make it their business to destroy 400 English villages. That is what they call war. Slaughter innocent women and children and aged non-combatants. Show no mercy. Terrorize the world.

It is a wise move, though perhaps too long delayed, when Uncle Sam took the holdings of Germany in this country. That government should forfeit absolutely all property interests in America. German citizens, too, might have their property taken in charge by the government until the war is over.

Roosevelt recovered from his recent illness with one ear out of commission so far as his hearing is concerned, but his voice is as good as ever, we are told.

A GREAT TREAT COMING

Opportunity to listen to a lecture by Honorable S. Harrison White, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Colorado, March 29th, who, no doubt is one of the great platform orators of the country, will be welcome news to Wayne people. He will talk on a vital subject and his speech will be heard by many beside the teachers, at whose convention he speaks. It is one of the advantages of living at a place like Wayne to have the opportunity to listen to some of the great students and thinkers of the country.

SOCIAL NOTES

Minerva Club
Minerva Club met Monday, March 11th, with Mrs. Lambert Roe. Mrs. Jas. E. Britain was in charge of the program. She read a splendid paper on "The History of Universities and Colleges Open to Women in America: Pioneers in Higher Education." Mrs. Britain cited many new and interesting facts concerning her subject, notably, the opening of Oberlin College in 1833 as a co-educational institution, the first of its kind in the United States. Mrs. Lackey read a short article on the comparative weights of the masculine and feminine minds.

Mrs. S. A. Lutgen and Mrs. E. E. Lewis closed the program with a delightful duet, "Dear Little Mother O' Mine," and responded to an encore. The club voted to donate twenty-five finished pillow slips to the Red Cross. Club meets March 25th at the home of Mrs. Grothe, with Mrs. Dean, hostess.

Eastern Star Meets
The O. E. S. met in regular session Monday evening. A large crowd was out and very splendid time is reported. Two candidates, Mrs. Gamble Johnson and Mrs. F. E. Gamble, were initiated into the mysteries of that beautiful order. It was the first time the writer had had the pleasure of meeting with the local chapter and we were surprised at their pretty home and the faultless way they put on the work.

After the regular routine work, an old-fashioned spelling contest was put on and this caused a great deal of merriment. At a late hour the crowd dispersed, feeling that they had spent two very happy hours together.

The writer, lonely among strangers, felt anew a thankfulness for "The Tie That Binds."

The Young Ladies Bible Study Circle had a most enjoyable time Friday evening when they went in a big hay rack load out into the country to the Wm. Gamble home for their meeting. Spirited singing, a splendid lesson, a say-so, when many personal victories were revealed, all blended into a harmonious praise, resulting in two new converts, and a good time for all present. Mrs. T. F. Bracken will be the hostess this Friday evening when all the girls are invited.

The Woman's Home Missionary society met with Mrs. L. M. Owen last Thursday. Mrs. I. H. Britell led devotions and Miss Redmond had charge of the program. They took up the study of a book, "Missionary Milestones." Mrs. Lutgen sang a very pretty solo. Mrs. Richard Helt gave a paper on "Missionary Heroes and Heroines." The next meeting will be with Mrs. A. M. Helt, Thursday, April 5th.

The Queen Esthers met with Mrs. Will Remick Tuesday evening. The young ladies are planning to take charge of an evening service at the Methodist church sometime in April. Monday evening next they will meet with Miss Faunell Senter. On April 1st they will meet with Miss Frances Oman at which time they will entertain the Home Missionary society.

Mrs. J. H. Wright was hostess at a most interesting meeting of the Bible Study Circle Tuesday afternoon. The study was especially helpful and the praise meeting, which was participated in by nearly all present, was free and glad. Mrs. Fred R. Dean will have the next meeting at her home and Miss Cynthia Dean will be the leader of the lesson.

Members of the Helping Hand society and families met last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jens Anderson in honor of Mrs. Anderson's birthday. All came with well filled dinner baskets and spent a quiet, social afternoon. They will meet next Thursday at the Herbert Lessman home and work on Red Cross quilts.

The Central Social Circle are meeting with Mrs. A. Keiper this afternoon. Roll call will be responded to with current events. Five members will conduct a round table talk on "Systems of Housekeeping." The balance of the time will be spent socializing and in sewing on sheets and pillow slips for the Orphan's Home. Luncheon will be served.

The farmers' wives east of town are having meetings each week to sew on surgical dressings. Wednesday they met with Mrs. Clarence Corbin. Next week they meet with Mrs. Jake Johnson. Farmers' wives are pretty busy but they are very patriotic and are never too busy to help in the Red Cross work and surgical dressings.

Douglas King Chapter D. A. R. met with Mrs. J. G. Mines Saturday last. Roll call was responded to by current events. Two new members were tak-

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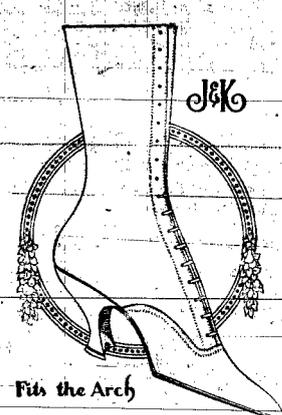
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Come and be fitted early, while we have all the sizes in the different colors. Prices are still moderate and the new styles combine good wear with good looks.

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en in: Miss Kingsbury and Mrs. Will Jenkins. The time was very pleasantly spent.

The Rural Home society will meet with Mrs. M. T. Munsinger Friday, March 22. As this is a change of date, members will please take note. It will be an all-day session.

The Coterie met at the Red Cross rooms Monday to work on surgical dressings. They will meet next Monday with Mrs. L. A. Fanske.

On Thursday next the Pleasant Valley club will meet with Mrs. Charles Ash.

W. S. BROWN
(Contributed)
W. S. Brown was born in the state of Ohio, October 30, 1842, and died at Wayne, Nebraska, Monday morning, March 11, 1918, at the age of 75 years, 5 months, and 12 days. When eight years of age he moved with his parents to Livingston county, Illinois, where he grew to manhood and received his education.

Mr. Brown was married three times. In 1871 he was married to Mrs. Miss Almyra Ziegler, who died in 1866. In 1871 he was married to Mrs. Martha Hart of Ohio. To this union were born eight children, five of whom are living, three sons and two daughters. Lawrence and LeRoy of Wayne, and Wayne, who resides with a sister, Mrs. Bertha Arnold, at Lewiston, Montana, and Mrs. McRae of Bushnell, South Dakota. The children were all here except Wayne who was called away being drafted.

On November 15, 1900, Mr. Brown was married to Mrs. Laura Tidrick, with whom he lived until his death. He took as much interest in his step-children as if they were his own by birth. The step-children are: Mrs. Maud Sheets of Pilger, Mrs. Carrie Owen of Wayne, and Mrs. Hazel Rubbeck of Wayne.

For about thirty years Mr. and Mrs. Brown have been members of the Grace Methodist church. Since they moved to town they have united with the church at Wayne.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Rev. D. W. MacGregor officiating. Interment was made in Greenwood cemetery.

LOTS FOR GARDENS
The high school has just completed a survey of the city of Wayne and have listed all the vacant lots which would be suitable for gardens. Any one wishing to rent any one or more of these can leave their names with Supt. Armstrong of the city schools and he will help you find a suitable garden spot. Every available piece of ground should be planted this spring. Boys and girls and grownups too should be interested in this movement. Be patriotic. Have a little garden of your own.

HIGH SCHOOL DECLAMATORY CONTEST ON FOR TONIGHT

The following is the program for the annual declamation contest to be given this evening in the assembly room of the high school:
High school orchestra.

- A Model Letter to a Friend..... Faith Philleo
 - Abner Barrow's Defense.....
 -Susie Souders
 - Eight Hundred Rubles..... Mary House
 - Mrs. Wiggs' Theatre Party.....
 -Margaret Mines
 - Tom Sawyer's Love Affair.....
 -Edith Huse
 - The Black Horse and His Rider.....
 -Effie Carpenter
 - An Afternoon in a Hotel Room.....
 -Elizabeth Gildersleeve
 - Loretta's Beaux..... Lyda Griggs
- High school orchestra.
Admission fifteen cents; school children, ten cents.

SAVE OLD KID GLOVES TO MAKE VESTS FOR SOLDIERS

Mrs. H. H. Hahn, secretary of the Red Cross, informs us that the local chapter has been asked to make waistcoats for the soldiers and sailors. Save your old kid gloves, kid shoe tops, discarded furniture covers, etc., and bring them to the Red Cross rooms. The smallest pieces will be carefully applied to a firm foundation by stitching. The outside will be made of khaki cloth. Spring cleaning time should bring to light many such articles and everyone should keep this need in mind. The aviation department, especially, needs these warm waistcoats. The work will be taken up at the Red Cross rooms as soon as enough material is collected.

"REACHING FOR THE MOON"

"A whirlwind of action and a riot of fun, and typically Douglas Fairbanks," is the way Manager Nielson describes the new Douglas Fairbanks film, "Reaching for the Moon," produced for Artercraft, coming to the Crystal theatre next Monday night, March 18th. With New York and Italy as backgrounds, extraordinary "film punches" are presented, interspersed with flashes of real comedy. The story allowed spectacular treatment, and Artercraft has produced it on a lavish scale, making it a notable offering, and one of the most pretentious yet issued from the Artercraft studios.

The reproduction of the Venetian settings are well done, with picturesque canals and romantic gondolas. Magnificent settings and an extraordinary supporting cast including such well known players as Frank Campeau, Eileen Percy, and Eugene Ormonde, make this film an exceptional attraction.

DISTRICT COURT CONVENES MARCH 25TH

The jurors of the November term of the District Court for this county are called appear at the court house March 25th to finish up the jury cases which were postponed at the other when the court was in session. This will make the third time since the first meeting in November. At that time farmers were so busy that the jury was not called, and then they came in January for a time, and were dismissed until the March date. According to the bar docket, there are yet quite a number of jury cases to come to trial.

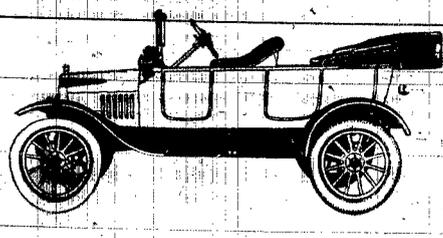
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It's no longer necessary to go into the details describing the practical merits of the Ford car—everybody knows all about "The Universal Car." How it goes and comes day after day year after year at an operating expense so small that it's wonderful. This advertisement is to urge prospective buyers to place orders without delay as the war has produced conditions which may interfere with normal production. Buy a Ford car when you can get one. We'll take good care of your order—get your Ford to you as soon as possible—and give you the best in "after-service" when required.

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We may complain of the high cost of meat, but we cannot find fault with the quality, and but for the intelligent development of the beef producing cattle of today you would now be paying more for meat, and such meat! Think back a quarter of a century to the staid, narrow-backed, lean frame carrying about a couple of horns which told its age regardless of its size, and think of what used to be called meat. Then go to the Central Market in this city and see the fat, broad-backed steer with compact frame, every angle of which is covered with nutritious meat, rich, fat, and tender, killed and dressed in the most sanitary manner, rigidly inspected and prime in every way.

You may have to thank the farmer, the stock breeder, and the man who retails meat for your table for quality. There's economy in eating good meat, cost and food value considered.

The Central Market

Two Phones 66 and 67 Fred R. Dean

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Good cow for sale. Mrs. Fred Sebold.—adv.

Mrs. Fitzgerald of Winside was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Craven went to Omaha Tuesday on a business trip. Miss Amelia Myers went to Carroll Tuesday to visit her parents a few days.

Miss Jenks of the Normal went to Madison Tuesday to spend a few days with friends.

I claim that quality is everything in grass seeds. I buy the best that can be had, says Fortner.—adv.

Remember that B. A. Y. Stuff, Brother? See the Brotherhood of American Yeoman ad, page 10.

Mrs. A. D. Lewis is home after a week's visit with home folks at Newcastle. She came Monday evening.

Mrs. J. C. Pawliski went to Carroll Wednesday where she will spend a week with her daughter, Mrs. A. J. Lynch.

Remember if we cannot fit and please you with your Easter Suit we will not take your money.—Morgan's Toggery.

Theo. Yohman from south of Wayne has moved to Milbank, South Dakota, leaving this week for his new home.

Mrs. Emma Baker and James Mulvey and daughter went to Winnebago Tuesday where they will visit relatives a few days.

Word was received Wednesday that Herbert Welch, son of Judge and Mrs. A. A. Welch, had received a commission of First Lieutenant.

Miss Gertrude McInerney visited here the first of the week with her parents and with her brother John who is home from Fort Riley, Kansas.

Mrs. J. G. W. Lewis went to Carroll Tuesday where she gave a talk on the work of the Woman's Council of Defense at the Red Cross rooms at that place.

Eric Anderson came out from Omaha Wednesday to visit a few days with Wayne friends. He enjoys life at Omaha but likes better still to greet his Wayne friends.

John Soules received a box of cigars from his niece, Mrs. Clarence Ladders. The lady is a successful cigar maker and John says the cigars have a delicious twang.

Get your seed corn tested, Mr. Farmer. If not convenient to do it yourself, perhaps you can get it done at the Normal. In fact, they will be glad to test liberal samples of it for you.

Miss Fannie Stuart of Bloomfield who was operated on at the Wayne hospital for appendicitis a couple of weeks ago, returned to her home Tuesday. Her father, H. E. Stewart, came down to accompany her home.

Gustav and Lina Kramer and Will Monk of Concord autoed to Wayne Tuesday where they took the train to Norfolk where they went to spend some time with relatives. They said the roads were in fine shape between here and Concord.

Miss Kibble, a trained nurse of Sioux City, who has been taking care of Benj. Davis, left for her home Wednesday. She informed us that Mr. Davis was improving rapidly from a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Ganscow of Hartington, arrived the first of the week and have leased the Boyd hotel. They will take possession the first of April. We understand they are old hotel people and will no doubt give Wayne people and the traveling public splendid service.

Last week Patrick Coleman went to a hospital at Sioux City to have an ulcerated eye treated by a specialist, and to have the attention and care of the nurses there. Reports from day to day are to the effect that he is getting along nicely in spite of his nearly four-score and ten years. He suffers some pain from his eye, but his vigor and vitality is sustaining him in spite of the eye affliction, and they tell us he has the freedom of the place, and visits and cheers patients who are able to receive callers. His daughters Miss Margaret or Mrs. Collins are with him most of the time. We expect him back at his office soon.

March weather has been very fine for a few days, but the weather this morning reminds us that spring has not arrived as the ground is covered with snow and the air feels like winter weather. A light rain started in yesterday and last evening turned to snow. However, it's only a short way to real spring with sunshine, green grass and flowers. The first robins have been seen and the boys were out with their marbles the other day.

A few farmers have improved the fine weather and good condition of the fields to sow a little wheat. It is well to take advantage of every opportunity after this season of the year to get a liberal crop in the ground.

Yes, Boys, the Stetson Hats are in Morgan's Toggery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Perry were Sioux City visitors Wednesday.

Al Martin went to Creighton on a business trip Wednesday.

Miss Josephine Carter of Winside visited Wayne Saturday.

Frank Gaertner was visiting and looking after business at Omaha last week.

Henry Gaertner from Randolph was at Wayne Tuesday evening between trains.

Henry Gaertner of Randolph was a Wayne visitor between trains Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rehder returned Tuesday from a trip to the southern part of the state.

Remember that B. A. Y. stuff, Brother? See the Brotherhood of American Yeoman ad, page 10.

Your Easter Shoes—No matter what kind of a shoe you like, men, you'll find it at Morgan's Toggery.

Geo. Box was called to Sioux City the first of the week by the death of his brother-in-law, W. J. Radcliffe.

If you have not been getting good wear out of your boy's shoes try our Boy's Army Shoes.—Morgan's Toggery.

Rev. MacGregor was at Randolph last evening, going as one of the judges in their high school decamatory contest.

Mrs. W. R. Ellis went to Bloomfield Monday evening to visit relatives and former friends and neighbors at that place.

David Longnecker and Miss Lizzie Voeks were united in marriage at the court house last Thursday, March 7, 1918, by County Judge, James Brittain.

The following advertised letters remain in this office for week ending March 13, 1918. M. M. Johnson, Mrs. Henry Porter.—C. A. Berry, Postmaster.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clark leave today for a summer in California, after spending the winter enjoying our invigorating climate, and looking after his land interests here.

J. G. Mines went to Excelsior Springs last week for a vacation trip and is still there basking in the sunshine, drinking of their waters and building up for the years ahead.

T. B. Heckert returned Monday evening from a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Norris, his daughter, at Kansas City. Mr. Norris has a city salesman's position.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Philleo went to Sioux City Wednesday to hear Harry Lauder and to meet Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Philleo, of Worthington, Minnesota, who returned with them this morning for a visit.

F. O. Martin returned Tuesday from a trip to Sidney where he visited his daughter, Mrs. D. C. Nelson, and also helped the W. Y. Miles family get moved and located. Mr. Martin reports all former Wayne people as well, happy and satisfied out there.

It is now time for sowing grass seed, and Fortner has the best of all kinds.—adv.

Among Wayne people who went to Sioux City Wednesday to hear Harry Lauder were, Mesdames W. Rennick, D. W. MacGregor, J. J. Ahern, Harry Fisher, Wood Jones, V. A. Senter, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mason and daughter, Miss Mary, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Philleo, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Hufford.

Guy Strickland, who joined about three months ago, and entered the engineering branch of the service, has been given a promotion, having been assigned to a place as one of the instructors in the school for engineers at Washington. He has been tried out in several departments, and invariably made good. He is now hoping that he will be among those soon selected to go across and do his bit on the other side.

Mrs. Sarah Ahern came last week to remain a time at Wayne, at the home of her son James Ahern, and assist at the store. She left her home at Chicago some time ago and visited for a time with her son John at Camp Funston. She said that the soldier boys are all doing their duty cheerfully and well. She acts on the theory in which she believes, that women must do the work the boys have been doing, hence her place at the store.

The operetta, "One Mid-Summer's Day," presented at the Bloomfield opera house Thursday evening of last week by pupils of the Bloomfield public schools, was one of the finest entertainments ever presented in our little city. The young folks had been carefully drilled and the production as a whole was staged without a hitch. Misses Elsie LeBlanc and Jeanne Pruss handled the solo parts in most excellent shape and all of the children who took the other parts did finely. Miss Moeller had charge of the affair and was ably assisted by Misses Hoy and Mildner of the teaching force. Receipts of the evening were well up toward a hundred dollars, says a Bloomfield paper.

Timothy and clover seed at Fortner's.—adv.

Hubert Gillispie came from Great Lakes training school where he has been for several months past, to spend a 10-day furlough with his mother at this place. He has been given a position in the commissary department, and likes the service very well. A half dozen others from that camp came to visit in this part of the state at the same time.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crossland are at Stanton this week visiting.

Miss Bertha Krel returned to her home at Alberta, Minnesota, today, after an extended visit here with her aunt, Mrs. Lena Hirschert.

M. T. Munsinger went to Tabor and Malvern, Iowa, today where he will visit relatives and old friends for a few days.

U. S. Conn was an Omaha visitor today.

J. H. Kemp went to Emerson today on a business trip.

Dean Hahn and J. H. Kemp will speak at Carroll Friday evening, the former will give a patriotic address and the latter will speak on "Food Conservation."

Blue grass seed for your lawn at Fortner's.—adv.

F. H. Benschhof visits Sioux City this afternoon.

Wm. Morgan is here from Cheyenne county today.

For Rent—Eight room house near College. F. H. Benschhof.

C. N. Nielsen of Norfolk arrived Tuesday for a brief visit with friends.

Mrs. M. J. Masten went to Pierce Tuesday for a week's visit with relatives.

Mrs. Warren Shultheis and Mrs. Wm. Mellor went to Sioux City Wednesday.

Misses Rose Lound and Dorothy Chapman of Winside were Wayne shoppers Tuesday.

The Sidney Telegraph tells us that S. Fishman, well known here, is one of the nominees for mayor of the town of Sidney.

Any kind of grass seed at Fortner's—that is, any good kind.—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hahn have just received word that their son, Lieut. Waldo Hahn, who has been in training in the south, has been transferred to the Aviation school at Omaha, and will visit here this week before reporting there.

Mrs. C. Loub leaves this afternoon to visit her sons and old friends at Grand Junction, Iowa. She has been making her home here with her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Fleetwood, for a year past and will greatly enjoy a few weeks with the friends of other days.

James Finn and wife are proud, indeed, of a new service flag which was presented them by a friend this week. Proud for the reason that it carries three stars, each for a son in the service, and we doubt if there is another father and mother in the county who have given three sons to the government. Two are at Great Lakes training for the Navy, and another took to the air, and is training for aviation work in the south. May they all be spared to come home.

Monday evening Rev. and Mrs. Fischer returned from Sioux City, accompanied by their daughter, Miss Tabitha, who had been at a hospital there for some time for treatment hemorrhages of the nose. For a time she seemed to respond to the treatment, then the complaint returned. Several times her parents and friends gave of their blood to infuse new life in her veins. She came home slightly improved, but the physicians gave no promise of permanent relief. It is to be hoped that the young lady will regain her usual health under home care and milder weather.

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Merchant Tailors Chicago, U. S. A.

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Money puts guns in our boys'
hands; bullets in their rifles;
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With every \$5 worth of Boys' or \$10 worth
of men's wearing apparel for cash.

Gamble & Senter

You sleep in a warm bed; another sleeps in a
trench. Buy War Savings Stamps to help the
man who is "over there" fighting for you.

C. H. FISHER
LUMBER AND COAL

Become a Stockholder
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BUY WAR
SAVINGS
STAMPS

Felber's Pharmacy

Buy War Savings Stamps

As a nation we have staked all on the out-come of the war. As individuals we should do the same for if the nation loses, everyone in America loses.
To win the war, we must give the Government every opportunity to get all the money necessary. War Savings Stamps are an investment that everyone can buy, because they are sold in quantities to meet every purse.
War Savings Stamps raise money quickly for the Government and give to the purchaser the liberal interest of nearly 4 1/2 per cent.
The Government of the United States is asking no favor in offering these Stamps for sale, but rather giving everyone an opportunity to buy a gilt-edge security at a splendid rate of interest. We are urging everyone to buy War Savings Stamps to the limit of their ability.

IMPORTANT NOTICE!

**Meetings Will be Held Friday Afternoon,
March 22, at 2 P. M., to Obtain Sub-
scriptions for War Savings Stamps.**

**All Schools and Business Houses in the
County Have Been Asked to Close at
2 P. M. That Day**

Governor Issues Proclamation

Meetings of all tax payers and wage earners in this county will be held in each school house in the county at 2 p. m. on Friday, March 22, 1918. These meetings have been called by War Savings Director Ward M. Burgess, appointed under the authority of the Secretary of the United States Treasury, and pursuant to the proclamation of the Governor of the State of Nebraska.

The school moderator in rural districts will preside at each school house meeting, and the school director will keep a record of the proceedings. The director will report the names of all persons present and the amount of War Savings Stamps subscribed for by them. He will also report the names of any absent persons and the names of those persons who refuse or neglect to subscribe and the reasons for so doing.

War Savings Stamps (which are United States Government Bonds the same as Liberty Bonds), can be paid for during any month in the year 1918, but it is intended that subscriptions will be signed for them on March 22.

The price of each War Savings Stamp depends upon the month during which it is bought. During March each Stamp will cost \$4.14. In April each Stamp will cost \$4.15, and so on, one cent more each month during 1918. On January 1st, 1923, the Government of the United States will redeem all War Savings Stamps at \$5.00 each, no matter during which month in 1918 they were bought. They cost less during the early months in 1918 than during the later months because the person who buys earlier has loaned his money to the Government for a longer time than if he should buy later.

By way of illustration, note the following table:

**COST OF WAR SAVINGS STAMPS
DURING MARCH, APRIL AND MAY, 1918.**

	Cost in March	Cost in April	Cost in May	And Are Worth on Jan. 1, 1923
1 Stamp	\$ 4.14	\$ 4.15	\$ 4.16	\$ 5.00
20 Stamps	82.80	83.00	83.20	100.00
50 Stamps	207.00	207.50	208.00	250.00
100 Stamps	414.00	415.00	416.00	500.00
200 Stamps	828.00	830.00	832.00	1,000.00

The law provides that no person can hold in his own name War Savings Stamps exceeding \$1,000 maturity value. War Savings Stamps, however, may be purchased in the name of other members of the family, including minor children.

The money invested in War Savings Stamps is not a gift, or a donation, but is a loan to the Government. It will all be paid back with 4% compound interest. If, because of some serious financial reverses, or calamity, it should be necessary to get your money before January 1, 1923, you may do so by giving ten days' notice to any Money Order postmaster, in which case you can get what you paid for the Stamps, with interest to date of payment. The Stamps are tax free; when registered at the postoffice they are insured against loss; they are backed by all the property in the United States; they cannot fall below par in value; they are the most convenient and best paying investment ever offered by our Government.

The Government of the United States expects every school district and county to subscribe its quota of War Savings Stamps.

It is to be hoped that the subscriptions taken at the meetings in this county will show that the people here are loyal American citizens to whom our Government, in this time of need, does not call in vain.

SPECIAL NOTE FOR WAYNE COUNTY

The allotment of War Savings Stamps for this County is \$215,720. This is \$20 for each man, woman and child in the County, as estimated by the United States Census Bureau at Washington for July 1, 1917. This means that the minimum subscription which will be accepted from any person financially able to do so, will be \$20 for each person in the family. Many persons, financially able to do so, must subscribe more than \$20 for each man, woman and child in the family, in order to make up for those persons who are absolutely unable to subscribe for that amount.

The city of Wayne will be canvassed thoroughly on the above date by a committee for this purpose.

All loyal citizens of this community will accordingly devote the afternoon of said day after two o'clock to subscribing for War Savings Stamps and otherwise promoting their sale and assisting the committee of solicitors.

(SIGNED) **ROLLIE W. LEY**, Wayne.

War Savings Chairman for Wayne County, appointed by State Director Ward M. Burgess, under authority of the Secretary of the United States Treasury.

**Mayor's Proclamation
GREETING**

TO THE CITIZENS OF WAYNE:

Friday, March 22, 1918, is War Savings Day by official proclamation of Governor Keith, Neville, and War Savings Director, Ward M. Burgess. All loyal citizens of this community will accordingly devote the afternoon of said day after two o'clock to subscribing for War savings Stamps, and otherwise promoting their sale in large amounts. All who are able should subscribe the limit.

Signed **G. W. LAMBERSON**, Mayor.

**Fifty Million People
Will Buy
War Savings Stamps
You Will Be One
Orr & Orr Co.**
Dealers in General Merchandise

**Better Loan Your
Money**

For War Savings Stamps than lose it by
taxation.

**Wayne Cleaning
Works**

W. A. TRUMAN, Proprietor.

**Every Thrift Stamp
Is a Shot at the
Kaiser**

It's Your Shot—Shoot!

Wayne Bakery

W. L. FISHER, Proprietor.

**Save Your Child from
Autocracy and Poverty**

Buy

War Savings Stamps

FRED L. BLAIR

Wayne's Leading Clothier

**Many are Loaning
Their Lives!**

Won't You Loan Your Money?

Buy War Savings Stamps!

Wayne Motor Co.

A War Savings Stamp

Will Pay a Soldier's Board

for Ten Days

Morgan's Toggery

"The Shop that Grows and Grows."

Pledge yourself to invest in War Savings
Stamps. A quarter dollar buys a U. S. Thrift
Stamp. Start both yourself and others pledging
War Savings Stamps. They are little U. S.
Government Bonds. They are better than cash.
They earn interest.

State Bank of Wayne

Henry Ley, Pres., C. A. Chace, Vice Pres.
Rollie W. Ley, Cashier.
Herman Lundberg, Assistant Cashier.

Your duty as an American citizen is plain,
definite and imperative.

**Buy War Savings
Stamps**

H. B. CRAVEN

Hardware and Plumbing

Remember, you're giving Uncle
Sam only the USE OF YOUR
MONEY for a while. That's let-
ting you off might cheap. Others
are giving THEIR LIVES!

R. N. Donahey

Optician

Where Did You Lunch?

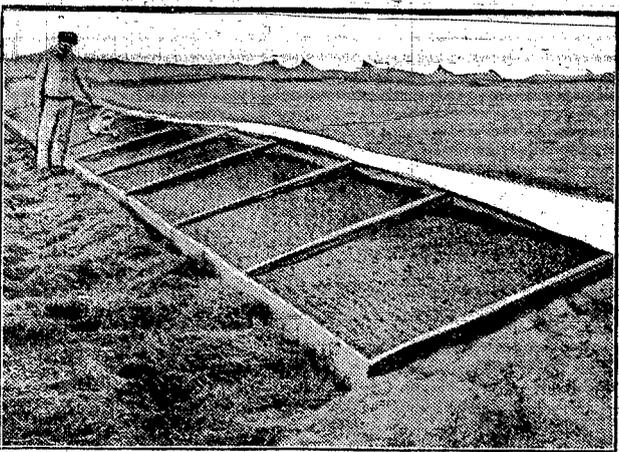
By Annabel Wade

"Hello, Bob."
"Oh, hello, Jane."
"Bob, mother just telephoned from the country that she's coming to town for the day, and I'm going to meet her. Can't you have lunch with us?"
"Why, yes, I guess so. Where?"
"At the Ivy Lane tearoom—you know, in Thirty-ninth street. We've been there."
"Oh, yes; one of those frothy, whipped-cream places—I know!"
"Well, it's all right, Bob—and mother loves their chicken pies."
"I'm awfully sorry, Jane, but I've thought of something. I'm afraid I can't make it. I've just thought of something—an engagement, you know. A business engagement, dear, that I can't very well break."
"Why, Bob, how funny! First you said yes and then you said no. You have to have some lunch, don't you?"
"Yes, but I'll just run in my usual place. It's right in this block, you know."
"But, Bob, please come!"
"I tell you I can't."
"I think you're perfectly horrid, to spoil my day like that!"
"Oh, for goodness sake, don't begin that. I don't see what difference lunch makes. If you're crazy to have me lunch with you, why don't you come down to my place?"
"I wouldn't have lunch with you for anything, Bob Lane. Crazy to lunch with you! I should say not! Not in that greasy little Italian table d'hôte place, anyway."
"Now, Jane, don't go and get all excited."
But Jane had snapped back the reciever on the hook and she heard no more. With wrathful thoughts she hurried into her coat and furs and left the little apartment, where, as she thought sadly, Bob and she had so lately had a delightful breakfast. She hurried downtown to meet her mother.
It was a preoccupied Jane who shopped that morning, and usually Jane liked shopping. That was why Mrs. Carter, her mother, had telephoned that she wanted to buy new furnishings for the living room in her country house and wanted Jane to help in selecting them.
"What's the matter, Jane?" asked Mrs. Carter, as they made their way from one of the shops to the Ivy Lane.
"You haven't taken a bit of interest in anything we've done."
"I'm just upset about Bob. He's acting so strange, mother. He would not have lunch with us today."
"Maybe he had an engagement. You know the Ivy Lane is a mile or so from his office."
"But first he said he would and then he said he wouldn't, and he never acted that way before."
"Probably the poor boy is rushed to death and just can't take time. Do be sensible, Jane."
"But, mother," explained Jane, "he called the Ivy Lane a horrid, old, frothy, frivolous place, or something like that. I think that was hateful."
Mrs. Carter laughed. "Men never like tea rooms," she said. "Where does he usually go?"
"Oh, to a grubby little Italian table d'hôte down in Eighteenth street."
"Well, let's go down there and surprise him. He probably just couldn't stand the thought of lunching in a tea room, crowded with a lot of shoppers. There aren't many men usually at the Ivy Lane, you know."
"So you suppose that was it?" Jane's face cleared a little. "I thought he just didn't want to lunch with me. But maybe that is it. Oh, mother, you're wonderful. Let's go right down to Eighteenth street."
Jane was buoyant. Bob himself had suggested that they meet him at the table d'hôte, she remembered. Yet for a little while she had almost felt jealous of Bob. Jealous! Of Bob! The idea was absurd. And, anyway, what was there to make her jealous because Bob hadn't wanted to lunch with her?
A few minutes later a Jane with spirits restored to their usual cheerful pitch walked down the two or three steps that led from the sidewalk level to the Italian table d'hôte where Bob lunched daily. Jane had been there before, and as the savory odor of the stew on which the chef of the little place specialized met her nostrils she suddenly saw Bob's objection to the whipped-cream sort of lunch she usually got when shopping. A good substantial meat dish—that did make a more staying lunch for a man. And as she served bread and whole-wheat muffins for breakfast and tried to have fish several times a week for dinner, she couldn't blame Bob for indulging in a luncheon each day that could make him forget war-time restrictions.
Jane smilingly bowed to the proprietor.
"I'm Mrs. Lane," she said. "Will you show us Mr. Lane's table?"
The proprietor graciously bowed them to a corner table, where Bob always lunched. But Bob was not there. They sat down and waited. But Bob didn't come. At last they ordered lunch and ate it.

That is, Mrs. Carter ate it. Jane did not. She toyed with a roll and trumbled it with her nervous fingers. And she did not even taste the wonderful stew.

"Jane, you're the silliest girl I ever saw," commented Mrs. Carter, as she ate the good things provided by their Italian host with a relish. "I really think that, with as good a husband as you have, Jane, you ought to show a little self-control and confidence. You are jealous now, aren't you?"
"I am not jealous," flared Jane. "Only why on earth did Bob tell me he was coming here when he didn't intend to at all. He knew I wouldn't come here—I never would have, if it hadn't been for you. All the time he intended to have lunch some place else."
"Of course, what you're thinking, Jane, is that he is having lunch some where else with somebody else, isn't it?"
"Well, I'd like to know how I can help thinking that!"
Mrs. Carter lifted the thick little cup of black coffee to her lips and then ate her last morsel of cheese.
"When your father and I were young, Jane—"
"Oh, please don't go and preach about you and father. Of course, you never got jealous. But father probably never did a thing like this."
Jane pulled her fur collar about her neck. "I suppose that hateful, ingratiating little man knows I'm mad," she thought. But the proprietor bowed with an inscrutable smile as they left the restaurant.
When Jane got home she first decided to make some sandwiches and leave them, with a pitcher of milk, on the dining-room table, and then go to bed with a pretended headache. But after she had thought the matter over a little she went to work to prepare a dinner of unusual excellence.
"I'll just let him know I'm not jealous, anyway," thought Jane. "And I'll never tell him I went to his horrid old lunch place, either. If that proprietor don't tell him—but, then, of course, he won't."
Jane bustled about planning and cooking dinner. Then she dressed in a frock that Bob especially liked, and when he came in was ready to greet him with more than her usual enthusiasm. So intent was she on her effort not to seem peevish that at first she did not notice Bob's grumpiness. But when he sat down opposite her at dinner she saw his frown, an unusual thing with Bob.
"Where did you lunch today?" His first words were disturbingly direct.
"Why—at the Ivy Lane," lied Jane quickly.
Bob looked at her keenly. Suddenly the tables were turned and Jane appeared to be on the defensive. Bob had asked her the one question that she longed to ask him.
"At the Ivy Lane, did you? What time?"
"Oh—at one; yes, at one."
"That's mighty strange," said Bob, and a quick look of distrust came into his face.
"Oh, Bob, don't look at me like that! I didn't have lunch there at all."
"Well, then, why did you say you were going to?"
"I'd like to know what right you have to get cross about where I had lunch. Where did you have lunch?"
"Why, at the Ivy Lane. I hate those tea rooms. But you seemed so out up about it when I said I couldn't come up that I hustled up there, and then you weren't there."
"Bob!" Jane was out of her chair and around at his side in a moment.
"Bob, listen to me. I had lunch down at your grubby little Italian, place. Mother and I thought we'd come down and surprise you—and then you were not there—and I thought—"
"What did you think, Jane?"
"Oh, I don't know what I thought! But I think you're the most wonderful man alive!"
PROFESSOR IN A QUANDARY
Educator, Accused by Wife With Not Kissing Her as He Left House, Blames Self With Short Memory.
Speaking at a dinner, Senator John W. Smith of Maryland referred to the subject of absent-mindedness, and fittingly recalled a story about a professor who had lapses along that particular line.
On returning home to dinner one evening, the professor was met at the door by his wife, who led him into the house with a reproving air.
"Do you know, John," said the good woman, a little poutfully, "that you went away this morning without kissing me good-by?"
"You don't really mean it, Mary?" returned the professor, laying aside his hat and gloves. "Surely you must be mistaken."
"Oh, no, I am not!" declared Mary, with great positiveness. "Not a single kiss did you give me!"
"Is that so?" rejoined the professor, with a thoughtful expression. "Then who in the deuce did I kiss?"
Biding His Time.
"How much is a chicken wuff?" inquired Mr. Erastus Pinkley.
"What do you care?" inquired the dealer. "You are raising chickens of your own."
"Yes. An' every night or so, I misses a chicken. Is giner let it go on till de price rises a few mo' notches an' den I's giner make it a case of grand larceny."
A Splendid Idea.
"Yern always uses such dangerously long haptns."
"Yes, but she's careful to sterilize them."

STARTING PLANTS OF CERTAIN CROPS BEFORE DANGER OF FROST HAS PASSED



Cold Frame With Cloth Cover, Suitable for Growing Plants Not Requiring Warmth of a Hotbed.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
In most sections of the South it is desirable to start plants of certain crops before the danger of frost has passed. The simplest method of starting a limited number of plants is by means of a shallow box in a south window of the dwelling. After the plants appear, the box should be turned each day, to prevent the plants drawing toward the light. A more satisfactory method of starting plants is by means of hotbeds or cold frames. A hotbed 6 feet by 6 feet will be large enough for the average-sized garden and can be constructed rather cheaply. In the colder regions of the South some form of heat should be supplied. Fresh manure from the horse stable will be found satisfactory for this purpose. Turn the manure two or three times before placing it in the bed, in order to make it uniform in composition and mechanical condition. Make the excavation for the bed about 18 inches deep and put in 15- to 18 inches of fresh manure, packing it well by trampling. Arrange a frame over the manure, so the slope will be to the south. Place 4 or 5 inches of good garden loam over the manure and cover the frame with a hotbed sash or heavy canvas, preferably the former. The manure will heat quite rapidly for the first few days. During that time ventilate the bed frequently, to allow the gases to escape and to lower the temperature. The seeds should not be planted until the temperature goes down to 80 degrees or 85 degrees F. After the seeds have been planted, close attention should be given to the watering and ventilation of the bed. The soil should never be allowed to dry out, but it should not be kept water-soaked. Moisture is necessary for the germination of the seed and for the growth of the plants, but an excess of moisture should be avoided, as it stimulates the development of diseases, especially damping-off. Water should be applied early enough in the day to allow the plants to dry before night. Ventilate the beds during the heated portion of the day, but cover them in time to insure their warming up enough to prevent chilling the plants during the night.
In the lower South, cold frames may be used instead of hotbeds, and canvas or cotton cloth covers instead of glass. The illustration shows a type of frame commonly used in the warmer section of the South for starting plants.
Transplanting.
For the best results, plants started in boxes, hotbeds, or cold frames should be transplanted when they reach a height of 1 to 2 inches. Transplanting tends to produce uniform, stocky plants with a well-developed root system. The seedlings may be transplanted to boxes or to the hotbed or cold frame, to stand about 2 inches apart each way. Some growers transplant twice before setting in the open ground. Fig. 5 shows two celery plants from the same seeding. The one at the left was transplanted, while that at the right was allowed to remain in the seedbed until time for planting in the garden.
Hardening Off.
Plants growing in a house, hotbed, or cold frame should be hardened off before they are transplanted to the garden. This can be accomplished by ventilation and exposure to outdoor conditions during the day in good weather. If the plants are in a hotbed or cold frame, the covers may be removed during the day when the weather is good and replaced toward nightfall. After danger of frosts is past the covers may be left off at night. By the time the plants are large enough to be transplanted to the garden they should be thoroughly accustomed to outdoor conditions. Such plants usually withstand the transfer to the garden with little check and few losses.
Setting Plants in the Open Ground.
Before taking the plants from the bed it should be thoroughly watered and the water allowed to soak into the ground. This will insure a portion of the soil adhering to the roots and will prevent serious wilting or the checking of growth. Take up the plants with a trowel or spade and pack them in boxes or baskets in which to carry them to the field.
The land should be in good condition and everything should be ready for quick operation when planting time arrives. Mark off the rows or dig the holes for the plants just before planting to prevent the drying of the soil. If possible, set the plants on a cloudy day or just before nightfall. When the soil is very dry it is advisable to use a little water in the hole. The water should be applied when the hole is partially filled with soil, and the moist earth should then be covered with dry soil to prevent baking. Plants should be set a trifle deeper in the garden than they were in the plant bed. Pack the soil thoroughly around the plants, so as to avoid air spaces.

MR. SIMPKINS PAYS HIS INCOME TAX

By ROBERT McBLAIR.
Mr. Simpkins gazed at the portrait on the wall till his eyes filled with tears. It was a portrait of his father, Colonel Simpkins, who had four times been promoted for valor during the Civil War and had died bravely on the field of action. Mr. Simpkins' throat ached now for two reasons: First, he revered and adored the memory of his father; secondly, his age and his eyes and his game leg wouldn't let him go to war himself. And as he observed the martial bearing and uncompromising gaze of Colonel Simpkins he saw, in imagination, the khaki-clad lads of the new generation marching forth and crossing three thousand miles of sea to fight, maybe die, for liberty.
Mr. Simpkins peered around to make sure that neither Beas nor John (who were at the teasing ages of sixteen and seventeen) were where they could see him, then he straightened and threw his right arm up for a salute. But his gouty shoulder twinged, and he groaned. He couldn't even salute.
"Damn!" said Mr. Simpkins, and with his other hand fiercely twirled his white mustachios.
He turned and limped into the library and sat down creakily before the mahogany desk on which were lying the blanks for his income tax statement, blanks which he had rather grumpily got from the Internal Revenue officer only that day after luncheon on his way home from the club.
Mr. Simpkins' income for 1917 had amounted to just about \$15,000, and he had been rather snappy on the subject of taxes ever since he had discovered that the more income a man has the greater the percentage of it he pays in taxes. He could think of several men who, like himself, were married and had two children, and yet, although their incomes were nearly half of his, they would pay only a small fraction of the amount he paid. He gloomily drew the blank nearer and began filling in the information that it asked for.
As Mr. Simpkins' income was \$15,000 he had to figure out the amounts payable on each of the successive smaller classes of incomes in order to arrive at the total due from himself. He passed over the first class who must pay taxes, that is, single men making over 1,000. His calculation for married men then showed up as follows:
First, they pay 2 per cent. (under the 1916 law) on all income over \$4,000, deducting \$200 for each of their children under eighteen years. In Mr. Simpkins' case this was \$212, which he put down in the "payable" column.
He saw next that, under the 1917 law, married men pay an additional 2 per cent. on all over \$2,000—with the same allowance for children. This added \$252 to his "payable" column.
He then observed that for every \$2,500 jump in his income over \$5,000 he had to pay a Surtax, the percentage growing larger with each jump. This was \$250 more added to his burden. And on top of all this came an "Excess Profits" tax of 8 per cent. on all "occupation" income over \$6,000, making \$720 more.
The total, then, he must pay was fourteen hundred and thirty-four dollars.
"Whew!" exclaimed Mr. Simpkins angrily. "There's young Henry Wilkins, who married Jake Johnson's girl, he makes \$2,000 and he doesn't pay a cent of taxes. I guess this is his war as well as mine!"
Thinking of young Henry Wilkins, he remembered that Mrs. Wilkins went every afternoon to make bandages for the Red Cross and that Henry, who was a lawyer, was aiding the Local Draft Board with his questionnaires.
"Well," he admitted to himself, "that makes a difference."
He thought next of Judge Willoughby, whose income was about \$3,000.
"He only pays \$20," commented Mr. Simpkins, not quite so angrily this time; and then a thought struck him and he sat up rigidly in his chair.
Judge Willoughby's son had been drowned on the Tuscania when it was submarined with the loss of two hundred soldiers.
"Judge Willoughby gave his son to America," muttered Mr. Simpkins.
He leaned forward suddenly and put his face in his hands.
"For a long time Mr. Simpkins sat very still in that position. There was no sound in the library except the ticking of the tall clock and an occasional trill of laughter from the children skylarking upstairs. The square of light on the carpet gradually withdrew itself through the window, and first twilight and then darkness settled in about the quiet, white-haired, sometimes irascible old man.
Mr. Simpkins was thinking things which he would never afterward speak of, he was thinking things that were too sacred ever to be put into words. But some inkling of his thoughts may be found in his rejoinder to Mrs. Simpkins when that placid lady came in and turned on the lights, and asked him whether he was ready for dinner.
"Judge Willoughby's only son was worth as much as fourteen hundred and thirty-four dollars, wasn't he?" Mr. Simpkins demanded of her.
"As his wife, who was not unused to his superficial irritations, watched him in mild astonishment, Mr. Simpkins limped out to the hall and took his old felt hat and silver-headed cane from the hat rack. Letting himself out into the foggy evening, he tapped his way down to the corner, and mailed his income tax statement and check with his own hands.
"Now, God be thanked," said Mr. Simpkins as the lid clanked shut over his pliasive, "I can do this much for my country, anyhow."

FEDERAL INCOME TAX IN BRIEF

The Requirements Boiled Down for Busy Folks.
Returns must be filed on or before April 1, 1918.
Tax due may be paid now or on or before June 15, 1918.
If you were single and your net income for 1917 was \$1,000 or more you must file a return.
If you were married and living with wife (or husband) and had a net income of \$2,000 or more for 1917 you must file a return.
Husband's and wife's income must be considered jointly, plus income of minor children.
Income of a minor or incompetent, derived from a separate estate, must be reported by his legal representative.
Severe penalties are provided for those who neglect or evade the law.
For false or fraudulent return there is a penalty not exceeding \$2,000 fine or year's imprisonment, or both, plus 100 per cent. of tax.
For failure to make return on or before April 1, 1918, fine is from \$20 to \$1,000, plus 50 per cent. of tax due.
Returns must be filed with the Collector of Internal Revenue of district in which you live.
An agent may file return for a person who is ill, absent from the country or otherwise incapacitated.
Each return must be signed and sworn or affirmed by person executing it.
Single persons are allowed \$1,000 exemption in computing normal tax.
A married person living with wife (or husband) is allowed \$2,000 exemption, plus \$200 for each dependent child under 18.
A head of family, though single, is allowed \$2,000 exemption if actually supporting one or more relatives.
Returns must show the entire amount of earnings, gains and profits received during the year.
Officials and employees are not taxable on the salaries or wages received from a state, county, city or town in the United States.
Interest on state and municipal bonds issued within the U. S. is exempt from federal income tax and should be omitted.
Interest on United States government bonds is also exempt, except on individual holdings of Liberty Bonds in excess of \$5,000 per value.
Dividends are not subject to normal tax, but must be reported and included in net income.
Gifts and legacies are not income and should not be included on the return of the beneficiary.
Life insurance received as a beneficiary or as premiums paid back at maturity or surrender of policy is not income.
Payments received for real or personal property sold is not income, but the profit realized (hereon is income for the year of sale).
Amounts received in payment of notes or mortgages is not income, but the interest on such notes or mortgages is taxable income.
From the entire gross income certain allowances are made in arriving at the net income.
Necessary expenses actually paid in the conduct of business, trade or profession may be claimed.
A farmer can claim payments for labor, seed, fertilizer, stock feed, repairs on buildings, except his dwelling; repairs of fences and farm machinery, materials and small tools for immediate use.
The amount of rent paid for a farm may also be claimed as a tenant farmer's expense.
Payments for live stock are allowable if bought for resale. But if bought for breeding purposes cattle are an investment, not an expense, and cannot be allowed.
A storekeeper can claim amounts paid for advertising, clerk hire, telephone, water, light and fuel, also drayage and freight bills and cost of operating and repairing wagons and trucks.
A physician can claim cost of his professional supplies, rent, office help, telephone, expense of team or automobile used in making professional calls and expenses attending medical consultations.
A dentist can claim similar items, except team or auto-expense, which are not necessary in his profession.
Expenses that are personal or connected in any way with the support or well being of a person or family are not allowable.
The costs of machines, instruments, vehicles or implements that are more or less permanent in character are not allowable as an expense. They are investments.
Interest paid on a mortgage or other personal indebtedness is allowable on a personal return.
All taxes paid within the year can be taken out on a federal return, except federal income taxes, inheritance taxes and assessments for local improvements.
Losses sustained in business or through fire, storm or shipwreck or by theft, except when compensated by insurance or otherwise.
Wear and tear of rented buildings or machinery used in business may be claimed.
You can also claim the amount paid to the Red Cross and to other charitable, religious or educational organizations to the extent of 10 per cent. of your net income.

DRAINAGE FOR SWAMP LANDS

Large Tracts Can Be Made to Grow Crops and Meat Animals to Feed Thousands of Soldiers.

(From the United States Department of Agriculture.)
Large tracts of wet land varying in area from a few hundred to thousands of acres in many states in the humid regions, which now produce little or nothing aside from timber, can be made to grow sufficient crops and meat animals to feed thousands of soldiers, if properly drained. These areas are frequently capable of producing exceptionally good crops, the soil is productive, and only for lack of drainage are prevented from being profitable to their owners and an asset to the nation. In almost every tract of this kind there are usually a few owners who feel that the land could be drained to advantage and that a few crops produced on the reclaimed area would pay all the expenses of a drainage system, but too frequently there are other land owners who object to the plan.

RAISE MORE POULTRY

Help Uncle Sam by raising more poultry and eggs.
Uncle Sam wants to double the production of poultry and eggs next season. Will you do your bit?
Are you doing your share to encourage the production of 6,500,000,000 pounds of eggs that will be needed next season?
Eat more poultry and eggs and help to win the war.
Hatch your chicks earlier, thereby getting matured birds. The mature pullet lays the most eggs.
Produce infertile eggs and save \$15,000,000 worth of food.

FIELD PEA AS FORAGE CROP

Well Adapted to Northern Portion of United States for Spring and Summer Growth.

(From the United States Department of Agriculture.)
One of the first crops to be planted in the spring—and in some cases one of the best—is the field pea known in some localities as the Canadian field pea. It deserves even wider use than has been given it according to a recent publication, Farmers' Bulletin 690, entitled, "The Field Pea as a Forage Crop," published by the U. S. department of agriculture.
Since the field pea requires a cool temperature during its growth, it is well adapted for spring and summer growth in the northern portion of the United States and in the comparatively high altitudes of the Rocky Mountain region, and for winter growth in the lower South. It is useful on the farm as a rotation crop for hay, grain, silage or green manure, and the peas may be used in the green state as a vegetable like garden peas.

FARMERS ARE SOIL-ROBBERS

Those Who Formerly Raised Cattle, Sheep and Hogs Are Now Selling Off Grain Crops.

Thousands of farmers in our richest agricultural regions who were at one time growers of good cattle, sheep and hogs are becoming soil robbers. The high price of grain is tempting them to sell instead of feed out the crops.

GET STRAW BACK ON FIELDS

It Contributes Largely to Formation of Humus, Necessary for Continuous Crops.

Be sure and get all the straw back on the farm either in the form of manure or spread out over the fields with a straw spreader. It makes humus and that is what the farmer is after if he is to continue harvesting crops.

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For Women Of All Ages

This store has put in stock shoes to suit the needs of every woman.

Daughter, mother, grandmother, growing girl, stout, thin, rich or poor — all find their shoes here.

We fit with care, no matter what the price may be.

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859 William Ernest Von Seggern
863 William Hugh Griffiths
866 Clyde Robert Pippitt
874 Orval Jasper Puckett
886 Hiram Alexander Wilson
907 David Rees
921 Harrison Stinson
929 Chris P. Hellweg
935 Guy L. Auker
937 Rasmus Nielsen
946 John L. Brudfgam
955 Austin Glasgow Bressler
962 Albert Philip Frank
972 William Henry Muehlmeier
977 Henry Petersen
978 Reinhold E. F. Brueckner
983 Jens Rasmus Jensen
985 Andrew H. Johnson
994 Warren Garret Mitchell
1008 George Fred Harder
1012 Glenn T. Hamm
- Class IV.**
849 Otto Lutt
861 Peter Paul Nelsen
867 Helmer Martin Wahl
870 Wilbur Harold Gifford
871 Otto Walter Max Relimus
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879 Martin Christofferson
881 Herman August Grimm
888 Nels Oscar Granquist
894 Jens Nicholas Kvols
902 Daniel Joseph Stanton
906 Otto August Robert Leu
917 Clarence Omer McClary
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919 Herman John Essmann
928 Walter Bartley Werner
932 John Eggert Rushman
933 Evan Tim Evans
944 Edward Murrill
951 Llewelyn E. Morris
953 Adolph Hugo Perske
963 George Par Hanson
966 Oscar B. Haas
979 Chas. John Lange
980 Arelkie Stephens
982 John Henry Lutt
989 Walter B. E. Doran
992 Philip Harvie Tanner
993 Charles E. Denesia
- Class V.**
352 William Warnemunde
360 Henry Miller
976 Carl Wilhelm Pfeil
997 Max Carl Parsigehl
- Local Board classifications:
Class I.
806 Joseph Moses Bowman
Class V.
14 Orva Ray Martin
584 Fritz Press

FINAL CLASSIFICATION BY LOCAL AND DISTRICT BOARDS

- Class I.**
318 Paul Martin Dreyer
341 Grover P. Larson
476 Otto August Rauss
533 Chester Earnest Selders
794 William Hunter
883 Walter Cubbels
887 Herbert Arthur Edward Peters
889 Harry Roy Baird
961 Herman Henry Damme
963 Roland Adam Henkel
974 John Friedrich Tant
986 George F. Hoelsa
1007 Nels Alfred Bjorklund
- Class II.**
37 Emil Bjorklund
513 Frank Edwin Kurrelmeyer
533 Lindley John Bressler
574 Frank George Conrad Pfueger
707 Raymond Etal Anis Miles
727 Carl Leroy Anderson
855 Clifford E. Munson
857 Carl Edward Elmer Anderson
898 Geo. Otto Arnold Peters
904 Edward Hammer
909 John Fred Horstmann
911 William Owen
913 Ernest Walford Bjorklund
914 Hans Henry Ludwig Ehlers
925 Harry James Minthau
940 Hans Tietgen
- A POLAND CHINA SALE**
Next week the Democrat will carry the announcement of a sale of Big Type Poland China Bred Sows. Phil Dowson, of Endicott, will put the sale on at Wakefield, Saturday, March 30. It will pay breeders to study this announcement if they seek good stock.

WITH THE WAYNE CHURCHES

Baptist Church
(Rev. Fletcher J. Jordan, Pastor)
Preaching services at 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. The school increased its attendance materially last Sunday. Since the warm weather is coming let us be in our place each Sunday. In a standard church seventy-five per cent of the membership of the church ought to be enrolled in the Sunday school.
Next Sunday evening the topic of the B. Y. P. U. service is, "The Art of Living With Others." 1 Peter, 3:16. The meeting starts at 6:30 p. m. The young people of the church should avail themselves of this opportunity to learn to pray and testify in public. Music fills a very large place in the preaching of the Gospel. For this reason each member of the church and congregation who can sing ought to serve God in this way. Choir rehearsal each Thursday night at 7:30 p. m.
Please remember the week of services to be held in accordance with the plan of President Wilson to make the month of March a season of intercessory prayer. These meetings are to be held in the different churches from the 18th to the 22nd of March.
This church voted a little time ago to hold a series of revival meetings beginning the middle of May. The services of Rev. W. T. Sherrod of Fort Worth, Texas, have been secured. He has done evangelistic work in the state for two years.
Strangers and those without church privileges are welcome to enjoy all our services.

Presbyterian Church
(Rev. S. Xenophon Cross, Pastor)
We quote from L. E. Morgan commenting on recent patriotic utterances by Henry Watterson: "The Germans are no longer normal human beings, but are now devil-possessed creatures, absolutely without human sentiment, sympathy or pity. We must fight them as we would rattlesnakes or rabid dogs."
Henry W. Lampe knows the eastern situation pretty well. He lived for several years in Japan. His present home is in Korea. He will speak at this church next Sunday at both services. We have asked him to speak on Missions in the morning and PATRIOTISM in the evening. Both go together.
Professor Church says: "Every German who has participated either potentially or directly in the commission of this horror should be brot of this world horror should be brot to realize that in spite of their boasted claim to superiority as individuals and as a nation there can be no reproach equal to that of being such a German."
It is to be hoped that no one will miss the opportunity of hearing Henry W. Lampe at the patriotic service at this church next Sunday evening. He lives not so very far from Vladivostock. Great war movements are already taking place in that part of the East. He will help clear up our ideas.

Methodist Episcopal Church
(Rev. D. W. MacGregor, Pastor)
Let us all begin the Lord's Day with attending the Sunday school. Classes for all who will come. Parents come with your children and stay for the morning service.
Sermon 11 a. m. "The Young Ruler, And the One Thing He Lacked."
Boy Scouts will meet at 6:30 p. m. Great interest in this department. See how they grow in numbers.
Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Last Sunday evening League was a hummer and the orchestra music was fine.
St. Patrick social Friday evening—don't forget it. One dime is the admission. Music, refreshments, and a jolly good time.
The Intermediate League will meet at 6:30 p. m. in the ladies parlor.
Sermon at 7:30 p. m. "The Little Man of Importance Whom Jesus Called Down." Good singing, good music, at all the services.
Lenten services during the Holy Week, March 25-29. The last five days with Jesus as he approached the Cross. Every member plan to be present at these Lenten services. Just one hour each evening. Each service will bring us nearer the cross.
English Lutheran Church
(Rev. J. H. Fetterolf, Pastor)
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Public worship with sermon at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Mrs. Frank Sederstrom will entertain the Ladies Aid next Thursday afternoon.
Union Lenten services will be held by the four Protestant churches be-

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gining next Monday evening and continuing thru the week. There will be a sermon each evening by one of the pastors. The pastor would like to see a good representation of this church at each of the services. They are meant to be helpful.

German Lutheran Church
(Rev. Rudolph Moehring, Pastor)
There will be Sunday school at 10 o'clock and services at 11 Sunday forenoon. At Winside services will be held at 3 o'clock. Rev. Holzberger of Pierce will conduct the services. All are welcome.

CHAS. H. SCHRAM'S SALE
Last week Chas. H. Schram held a sale of Poland Chinas at the McGrath livery barn in Newcastle and made a good average. Below is a list of the catalogue numbers, purchaser and address, and the price paid:
21, James Clausen, Elk Point, S. D., \$82.50; 33 Chas. Carlson, Obert, \$80.00; 28 Chaussee, Elk Point, S. D., \$66.00; 19 Ike Ellis, Allen, \$30.00; 14 W. M. Wright & Son, Allen, \$165.00; 15 Chas. Carlson, Obert, \$180.00; 25 Ben McCuen, Ponca, \$90.00; 26 Ike Ellis, Allen, \$120.00; 31 N. T. Thomas, Newcastle, \$75.00; 36 James Chaussee, Elk Point, S. D., \$75.00; 23 E. L. Conrad, Newcastle, \$77.50; 27 W. M. Wright & Son, Allen, \$130.00; 17 Wm. Pfister, Newcastle, \$92.50; 13 James Powers, Obert, \$92.50; 32 G. C. Wil-

loughby, Newcastle, \$72.50; 34 Rex Smith, Ponca, \$77.50; 35 Rex Smith, Ponca, \$75.00; 29 W. F. Filley, Allen, \$87.50; 22 Rex Smith, Ponca, \$70.00; 16 Chas. Carlson, Obert, \$97.50; 37 Harry Tidrick, Winside, \$90.00; 40 J. J. Wyant, Newcastle, \$66.00; 11 James Chaussee, Elk Point, S. D., \$115.00; 12 James Chaussee, Elk Point, S. D., \$150.00; 10 Ike Ellis, Allen, \$140.00; 13 B. V. Grosvenor, Dixon, \$108.00; 2 Albert Pfister, Newcastle, \$127.50; 9 Wm. Pfister, Newcastle, \$120.00; 8 Ike Ellis, Allen, \$137.50; 6 Ike Ellis, Allen, \$150.00; 3 James Chaussee, Elk Point, South Dakota, \$137.50; 4 Ike Ellis, Allen, \$132.50; 1. James Chaussee, Elk Point, South Dakota, \$120.00; 7 Oscar Gunderson, Maskell, \$140.00.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS
Wayne, Nebr., March 12, 1918.
The City Council met at the City Hall in regular meeting, there being present all except Harrington.
The minutes of the meeting February 26th were read and approved. The following claims were examined and on motion allowed and warrants drawn:
Nabraska Telephone Co. \$ 8.55
Jacob Reibald, meter returned 15.30
J. W. Nichols, unload coal and Freight 66.61
W. H. Hoguewood, unload coal and gray 26.75
J. W. Nichols, unloa coal and

dray 23.82
F. S. Martin & Co., coal 219.34
Freight 66.61
Frank Powers, dray 3.40
Duncan Electric Mfg. Co., meter repairs 7.71
J. W. Nichols, unload car 182654 coal 24.60
J. F. Sherbahn, labor 12.50
Philteo & Harrington, material 726.24
On the motion the resignation of Ed Murrill was accepted to take effect April 1, 1918.
On motion the council adjourned.

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FOR
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and everything in the Horse Furnishing Line
We also carry a full line of Trunks Suit Cases and Traveling Bags
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LAWYERS
Wayne, Nebraska.

PATRIOTIC MASS MEETING

at the **Wayne Opera House**
Sunday Even'g, Mar. 24

Mayor Harm will speak
Normal Quartet will sing

All the churches unite in this meeting. Let "The Army at Home" get together. We must have Peace with Victory.

Swift & Company Publicity

At a recent hearing of the Federal Trade Commission there was introduced correspondence taken from the private files of Swift & Company, which showed that the Company had been considering for some time an educational advertising campaign.

The need for this publicity has been apparent to us for several years. The gross misrepresentation to which we have recently been subjected has convinced us that we should no longer delay in putting before the public the basic facts of our business, relying on the fair-mindedness of the American people.

The feeling against the American packer is based largely on the belief that the income and well-being of the producer and consumer are adversely affected by the packers' operations, resulting in unreasonably large profits.

Swift & Company's net profit is reasonable, and represents an insignificant factor in the cost of living.

For the fiscal year 1917 the total sales and net profit of Swift & Company were as follows:

Sales \$875,000,000.
Profits \$34,650,000.

This is equivalent to a \$3,465. profit on a business of \$87,500.

If Swift & Company had made no profit at all, the cattle raiser would have received only one-eighth of a cent per pound more for his cattle, or the consumer would have saved only one-quarter of a cent per pound on dressed beef.



Swift & Company, U. S. A.

WHY Take Adjustments?

Because:

They are of proved value;
Make You Well;
Cost You little;
Inconvenience you none.

Because:

They are safe;
Prevent disease;
Restore health;
Save operations.

Not Medicine. Not Surgery. Not Osteopathy.
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Wayne

PRESIDENT CONN OF NORMAL GIVES INTERESTING ADDRESS

Sees Many Changes In Our Laws And Rules of Government—Expressed Views Gathered On Trip East

UNIVERSAL TRAINING COMING

Wayne people who took advantage of the opportunity to hear President U. S. Conn, of the Wayne State Normal at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening, heard a great many things that gravely concern the country and no doubt had many of their pet theories as to the cause and origin of the great world war rudely shattered. Mr. Conn has just returned from attending three great educational meetings in the east—at Atlantic City, Washington, and at Philadelphia. He brought back many interesting facts that came under his observation and hearing among the leading educational men of the whole country and the belief of all was that after the war universal training would be a necessity, that in any event the educational system of the country would be under Federal control, basing this belief upon the various systems used now in every different community and the awkwardness of handling a body of men taken from every part of the country who have had different training, such as the national army of today, and also that the present farming conditions in the United States would have to be completely remodeled. President Conn spoke from the subject, "Democracy on Trial," and proved conclusively that the present world war is a test as to which should rule—autocracy or democracy.

Mr. Conn told of the intensity of feeling found throughout the east. Everywhere the main topic was war. He told of the soldiers being every-

where—on the street cars, the trains, in the hotel lobbies, and on the streets. He gave no definite theory for this unless it be that the eastern cities are a little closer the actual battlefield and that the east coast is wholly defenceless. He told of the scarcity of war news in Washington and that they got their war news at the national capital from the New York papers, the same as we get ours from the Omaha and Sioux City papers. Public buildings under the control of the government are closed to the public where in ordinary times these buildings are open. At the Capitol building things seem to be going along the same routine as in times of peace and that to the casual observer who does not see the current flowing beneath this routine, war would seem to be a remote thing. The city is densely packed, according to Dr. Conn, with employees who are filling in the office needs of the government and he warns persons without a call to stay away from Washington in these strenuous times.

The speaker told us that several of his own theories were exploded after getting in touch with other leaders in educational affairs in the country. While the meetings were called to discuss educational affairs, the current of thought ever present was that of war and what was to be done in the way of assistance now and after the war is settled. The idea that a great many have that this is a war of commercialism is only true in part and that the real issue is the struggle between two great forms of government—autocratic and democratic was proven by Mr. Conn. He told of how autocracy had been in control of the destiny of nations since the beginning of time, of how it had grown deeply rooted in the various nations, and of the belief among all such nations that the reigning powers were especially endowed with divine pow-

er and that Germany, above all nations, had instilled this belief into the people until they firmly believe that the Emperor can do no wrong. The growth of democracy has been a menace to this autocratic belief and that for the past fifty years or more the German empire has been preparing for this great struggle which was foreseen to be inevitable. They have trained diligently and Germany before the war was recognized as the educational center of the world. They realized that education was the foundation to a strong militaristic nation. Mr. Conn, in illustrating this point, spoke of one district in Germany where out of 10,000 children of school age, only 51 were not in attendance and this because of mental and bodily weaknesses making them unfit. They have been taught by government teachers and it has been instilled in them to obey. They know no other thing than to obey. The Emperor is all supreme and propaganda has been systematically spread among the people ever keeping this before them.

On the directly opposite theory does the democracies of the world stand. The people rule and the United States has been a model as a democratic nation, said the speaker. Now has come the test—whether a democratic form of government can survive or an autocratic—whether we can raise an army under our method to cope with the perfect machine of Germany on equal footing in the matter of soldiers, food regulation, and transportation is to be proven. The test is now on, and Mr. Conn said the supreme test was in the people themselves—whether their heart and soul was in the contest or not would be the determining factor. He brought to light defects in our system of government that must be obliterated and impressed the fact that all should stand firmly behind the great organizations of the Red Cross, the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A., and like national institutions. Dr. Conn called attention to our false pride in our safety before the war and asked what would have been the result had Germany singled us out as their first objective when now, after twelve months of feverish preparation we only have a handful of men on the battle line, and these not fully equipped. The lesson is plainly evident, he said, that in case of a draw in the present struggle we would have to be under full military training to be able to combat the autocratic menace we would have before us continually. No matter how the contest ends, we must raise our literacy standard, said the speaker. He told of 500,000 people in New York City alone who could not speak the American language and of 5,000,000 in the United States above the age of ten years who could neither read nor write.

Mr. Conn said that he firmly believed that many of our ideas and laws must be radically changed. Many have come to light under the present crisis. Our school systems will be under Federal control and he believes that universal military training will be one of the established school regulations—not for war purposes but from the observation in this struggle of the ableness of the trained man over the untrained. He is better physically, knows more of the laws of hygiene, and is fitted for a crisis when it appears. The speaker said that the food situation had brought to the minds of all the present system of farming. It must be changed he said, as the system of tenants must be done away with to a certain extent as a tenant has no interest in the community, its schools, churches, roads, nor the farm he is renting except to drain it of its fertility and leave only the impoverished soil. The danger is great in this system and the remedy lies in the owner tilling the soil and returning to it the fertilization necessary to keep it up.

In his concluding remarks Mr. Conn told of his firm belief in the victory of right over wrong in the present conflict—that it would be a long, drawn out affair is certain, as there can be no compromise—it is the test that has been coming for years since the rise of the democratic form of government and the present struggle is to the death as to which shall rule the world—autocracy or democracy. Democracy will come out victorious is the firm belief of Mr. Conn.

IN RECEIVERS HANDS

The Nebraska Electric Company, which took over the light plants at Hartington, Bloomfield, Creighton, Wausa, and Emerson, has got into financial difficulties and has been placed in the hands of a receiver. The plants will be operated by the receiver.

At the time these plants were bought a representative of the company was in Wynot with a view of buying the plant here, but nothing was agreed upon, and it seems just as well that we did not get mixed up with the company.—Wynot Tribune.

Yes, and that is perhaps the same concern that asked opportunity to purchase from the city the plant at Wayne, but were not given the chance. Wayne may not be getting the best possible service for the least

Buy
Another
War Savings
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Telephone Men at Home Are Doing the Work of Those Going to War

Until employees are trained to take the place of those who have joined the colors, these telephone workers who are remaining at home must shoulder the load.

The thousands of skilled telephone workers who have gone into the army cannot be readily replaced.

One man in every six from our telephone maintenance and construction forces is now in some branch of the military service.

Between the various training camps, military and supply depots scattered all over the country, the number of telephone calls has been steadily increasing.

Private business, accelerated by the war, has required constantly increasing amounts of additional telephone equipment and service.

There is also an astonishing demand for telephone equipment for the training camps here and for the armies in Europe, and the cost of telephone equipment and materials is now double what it was three years ago.

These extraordinary demands for telephone service and equipment for government and private needs have come upon the Bell Telephone companies when they are short more than 6,800 trained men who have gone into the army.

In spite of the war and what it has meant to this company in the increased number of telephone messages to handle, the enlistment of so many of our trained men, the shortage of equipment, the scarcity of labor and the high cost of telephone materials—

In spite of all these obstacles, we are meeting the needs of the public for telephone service in a remarkably successful way.



NEBRASKA TELEPHONE COMPANY

possible cost—that is hard to say, but this we feel sure of—the city is giving better service for less money and keeping on the job 365 days and nights the year, than any privately owned concern of which we have knowledge. It is said that Laurel has a day current price that is very low, in fact, too low to be considered permanent until some water power is corralled to make the juice. Perhaps the same concern is at Laurel, and their price may be one of the causes of the receiver.

WHO GOT NIELSON'S GOAT?

Manager Nielson of the Crystal had a pipe dream and decided to start a goat farm. Being a firm believer in advertising, he told a Democrat reporter of his plans. We were amazed because we had always thought he had higher aspirations, such as marrying a movie star or running the Strand in New York or at Carroll, but he told us that goats were his hobby, not other people's goats, but his own. Even Walter Savidge, the carnival king, was in on the scheme. The two gentlemen told us (very confidentially) that their one aim, one thought in life, and their idea of a wonderful life was to get away from the "sordidness of every-day life" and raise goats.

They got their idea at the Red Cross sale when they found they could buy a perfectly good and docile goat for something like \$600.00. So they dreamed they bought a few at this low figure, leased a ranch and had hundreds of the little-wooly animals trisking around in the summer time, or, I believe they said, they "hoped" to see the few they bought grow into hundreds by next winter. We swallowed the bait, hook and all, and decided we wanted no better occupation than to be their press agent.

But, like all dreams, their pipes went out and they awakened to the fact that the Democrat reporter had traveled as far as Sholes one time when our Saturday check had been especially long, and knew all about goats, in fact we specialize along that line about election time each year.

Go back to your show business, gentlemen, write feature dope, and keep putting over good ones, and you'll find that success is success, whether it comes from running movie picture theatres, carnivals or raising goats.

COMMITTEEMAN'S REPORT

The following is the report of a committeeman of funds and donations to the Red Cross offering from a neighborhood southeast of Wayne and should have been included in the report last week but was crowded out:

At the request of W. B. Hyatt, the list is given for publication:
Ben Nissen, cash, \$10.00; Emil Meyer, 4 roosters; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pfiffel, case of eggs; Nels Duellard, cash, \$20.00; Andrew Hursted, cash, \$5.00; George Eichkoff, cash, \$5.00; E. L. Meyer, cash, \$5.00; K. Henry Meyer, bred sow, Henry Eichkoff, cash, \$25.00; Carl Gust, cash, \$5.00; Alex. Scott, calf; August Hale, cash,

\$5.00; Martin Bastian, bred sow; August Erxleben, bushel seed corn; W. L. Weiland, cash, \$5.00; Chas. West, bushel seed corn; Otto Rauss, cash, \$5.00; E. A. Chichester, 6 roosters and \$25.00; Henry Frovert, 4 bushels seed corn; Ed. Hagerman, calf; Fred Erxleben, ton of hay; W. B. Hyatt, cash, \$25.00; Wm. Meyer, 5 Wyandotte roosters.

WAYNE BARBERS SET NEW RED CROSS PACE

Have to let 'em grow next Saturday or cough up a dollar. That is the edict of the Wayne barbers. What are you going to do about it? Have 'em cut, of course—for no one wants to be taken for a populist—not for a dollar, especially when the Red Cross gets the dollar.

Homer Wheaton, Park Mabbott, Wm. Norman and their assistants have pledged the proceeds of their shops to the Red Cross next Saturday, and every shave is to count \$1. for the nurses. They have arranged for the local Red Cross to furnish a cashier for each shop, and the barbers will not stop to take in the money, but just keep cutting whiskers at a dollar a face. If the day is good this move should add several hundred dollars to the fund. Now that the move is started, other barbers and other towns should try to "scrape in" a bit the same way.

BEAUTIFUL BATES COUNTY, Missouri, corn, clover and blue grass farms for sale; write for free booklet, Charles R. Bowman, Butler, Mo.—381f

HARNESS!

The only chance to get a first-class hand made oak tanned leather harness, while they last, at

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Guaranteed right in every way. Heavy harness are almost impossible to be had from the big manufacturers and the small shops cannot make them.

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Wayne, Nebr.

Many Loaned Their Sons— You Can Loan Your Money

Many have loaned their sons to the nation. They have made the supreme sacrifice.

You are asked to loan your money.

Buy War Savings Stamps and you become a share-holder in the United States and worthy of being a citizen of this great Republic.

Not to buy War Savings Stamps is treason to our boys in the trenches. Let them know that you are with them in heart and soul and POCKET.

U. S. War Savings Stamps earn for the holder 4% interest compounded quarterly, or equivalent to about 4½%. This is the highest rate of interest the government has ever paid or probably ever will pay on the money it borrows.

A "War Savings Certificate Stamp" costs \$4.12 now and in five years will be worth \$5, or it can be cashed in any time at the post office on ten days' notice. The 25-cent "Thrifty Stamps" sell for 25 cents and do not bear interest, but they can be turned in as cash on a \$5 War Savings Stamp.

State Bank of Wayne

HENRY LEY, President
C. A. CHACE, Vice President

ROLLE W. LEY, Cashier,
H. LUNDBERG, Asst. Cashier.

Our Boys in France Are Fighting for "Freedom For All Forever"

It is your battle —
Do your share in some way every day
You can help produce and save food
You can help the railroads
The service of every railroad—
of every car—is vital to our Nation
The duty of railroads is increasingly
difficult, and your aid is needed
As the war progresses you will
be more and more affected

Get The Habit Begin Today

Load your car to capacity
Load your freight promptly
Unload your freight promptly
And you will have more cars

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A. W. TRENHOLM
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St. Paul, Minn.

H. M. PEARCE
General Traffic Manager
St. Paul, Minn.

STECKELBERG-SILBER CONCERT GIVES RED CROSS A NICE SUM

Receipts and disbursements from the concert given by Messrs. Silber and Steckelberg in the interest of the Red Cross, also Queen Esther benefit and lunch at the Red Cross Sale March 2nd, are given:

Total receipts of concert.....	\$290.00
Expenses	
Frank Powers hauling piano \$	6.00
Boyd Hotel room and meals	4.00
Wayne Herald tickets & programs	5.50
Wayne Democrat advertising	1.50
James Brittain opera house	10.00
Expenses for Mr. and Mrs. Steckelberg and Mr. Silber	59.89
	\$86.89
Total expenses.....	86.89

Net receipts to Red Cross less expenses..... 203.11
 Rec'd from Queen Esther benefit..... 10.00
 Rec'd from lunch at Red Cross sale, March 2nd..... 137.78

Total turned to Red Cross sec. \$350.87
MRS. ROLLIE LEY,
 Chairman Assistant Finance Committee, Red Cross.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Herman Ritzke and baby left Monday for their home.
 Miss Fannie Stuart of Bloomfield who was operated upon for appendicitis two weeks ago, returned to her home Tuesday.

Miss Minnie O'Kieffe underwent a major operation Monday. She is getting along nicely at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Mosher of Sioux City brought their three months old baby to the hospital Monday and had it operated on for double hernia. The little one is doing nicely.

Dr. McIntyre brought Mrs. Elizabeth Smith to the hospital from Winside Tuesday for treatment.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE WAYNE COUNTY BANK OF SHOLES, NEBRASKA, CHARTER No. 1156, in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business February 25th, 1918.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$63,157.09
Overdrafts.....	492.77
Bonds, Securities, judgments, claims, etc.....	1,450.00
Other assets.....	60.70
Banking house, furniture and fixtures.....	1,000.00
Current Expenses, taxes, and interest paid.....	2,815.02
Cash items.....	9.85
Due from National and State banks.....	26,654.24
Checks and items of Exchange.....	2,021.54
Currency.....	4,303.00
Gold Coin.....	7.50
Silver, nickles, and cents.....	898.70
	7,230.74
Total.....	\$102,870.41

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$11,000.00
Undivided profits.....	2,359.91
Ind. deposits subject to check.....	39,264.77
Demand certificates of deposit.....	100.00
Time certificates of deposit.....	42,866.25
Certified checks.....	12.04
Cashier's checks outstanding.....	4,519.70
	\$7,092.76
Bills Payable.....	2,000.00
Depositor's guaranty fund.....	387.74
Total.....	\$102,870.41

State of Nebraska, County of Wayne, ss:
 I, W. E. Philby, Cashier of the above named bank do hereby swear that the above statement is a correct and true copy of the report made to the State Banking Board.
 W. E. PHILBY
 ATTEST:
 W. H. ROOT, Director.
 A. E. McDOWELL, Director.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of March, 1918.
 (Seal) J. E. PHILBY,
 Notary Public.

THOUSANDS APPLY FOR JOBS IN WASHINGTON

Washington, D. C., March 13.—That American men and women are eager to accept every opportunity to help in the nation's greatest undertaking is evidenced by the responses received to the announcement of the United States Civil Service Commission of the need for general clerks. The Commission sent out a call for clerks to be employed in the departments in Washington, and January 5, February 9, and March 9, were set as examination dates. About 35,000 persons applied for admission to these examinations. A large percentage of the applications came from persons whose sole purpose in seeking the work was to help keep the war machine moving. This prompt and heavy response has made it unnecessary to hold further examinations for general clerk in the near future. Examinations for stenographers and typewriters and for clerks in certain special or technical lines are still being held.

The most pressing need of the Government service in Washington right now is for a large number of well-qualified stenographers. The Civil Service Commission urges persons who are equipped to pass the stenography part of the examination to apply at once. Examinations are held at least once a week in 450 of the principal cities. Definite information and application blanks may be obtained from representatives of the Civil Service Commission at post offices.

FLOUR SUBSTITUTES.

Potatoes are no longer a substitute for wheat flour. The substitutes are: hominy (not canned), corn grits, corn meal, corn flour, edible corn starch, barley flour, rolled oats, oat meal, rice flour, buckwheat flour, potato flour, sweet potato flour, soya bean flour, and festeria flour and meals. These are the only substitutes for flour and nothing else must be substituted. Don't evade these rules and don't ask for a special permit to evade them.

Hoarding is Illegal

I have reason to believe there are people in Wayne county who are violating the government's anti-hoarding law. I recognize the fact that most of the hoarding is committed through ignorance rather than through intentional violation of the law. Any town person who has more than one sack of flour on hand or any country person who has more than two sacks is violating the law and is subject to either two years imprisonment or \$5,000 fine, or both. Any person having flour on hand in excess of the amount stipulated, should at once dispose of the excess amount. The merchants will buy this at current market price. It is my opinion that nearly everyone is anxious to be a good patriotic citizen and zealous to obey and observe the laws. Anyone having flour on hand in excess of the amount permitted is hereby urged to take such excess amount to his dealer at once and thus avoid embarrassment and suspicion. Anyone returning excess flour should get a statement from his merchant to whom it is taken, to the effect that he has disposed of all his excess flour. This statement is to be sent to me. The party disposing of excess flour should execute an affidavit to the effect that he has only the amount permitted by law on hand. Said affidavit is to be sent to me.
 J. H. KEMP,
 County Federal Food Administrator

B. A. Y. TO MEET REGULARLY

The Wayne Homestead of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen met last Saturday evening and after the business session enjoyed a social hour with a "Hoover" lunch. Among other things considered was the resignation of Mrs. C. Clasen as correspondent and the election of Mrs. Inez M. DeVillie to the vacancy. It was decided to hold meetings regularly, two Friday evenings each month, and tomorrow will be regular meeting. You will be welcome whether a member here or of some other homestead.

THOSE NEW SPRING STYLES PUT A CRIMP IN OUR PLANS

When the spring styles begun to put in their appearance in the windows, the Democrat reporter was amazed. We had figured that perhaps the fashion-makers were patriotic along with the rest of us. In fact we read in one of the big eastern dailies some time ago that the fashions were to change very little, if any, this spring, that milady could slightly remodel her last year's spring toggery and be "right smart" up to the minute, that there could be no better way to get our money in the right channels than to save a little on our Easter array. We had visions of altering and cleaning our perfectly good last year's suit and thought of Liberty bonds in which to put the money we annually spend for spring clothes. Imagine our surprise when we saw the new spring styles—a radical change in every line. That somebody's patriotism has slipped a cog is very evident. Some people might suggest that we ignore the change and wear our full skirt while everybody else hobbles, but only a mere man could be so foolish. "Better be dead than out of style" may sound foolish but it contains a world of truth. Any one who has spent ten years in the business world knows that to be abreast of the times is an actual necessity. That the style of last year must be exchanged for the one of this year, fickle tho it may be, that even a cheap cotton serge looks better to the public if made up in this year's style than a last year's beautiful broadcloth, is an undisputed fact and we must bow to fashion's decree.

If we must save on food and the saving becomes a real hardship for the working people, then WHY not put the screws on some of the great eastern style shops which are forever FORCING us to throw away good clothes to bow to their money making schemes?

The visions of Liberty bonds and thrift stamps slowly fade because we must work and to make good in any public position we MUST be a slave to the dictates of an unpatriotic bunch of style makers.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Furnished by Forrest L. Hughes, Bonded Abstractor, Wayne, Nebr.
 C. M. Christensen & wife to Ralph Clark lots 1-2, block 5, Lakes add to Wayne, \$4500.00
 Thomas B. Hughes & wife to E. W. Davis, 2 acres, lot 8, Taylor's add to Wayne, East 32 rds N½ NW¼, 13-26-3, North of lot 8, T. add to Wayne, \$7000.00

David Koch & wife to Max E. Stahl, E½ NE¼ 33-26-2, \$10,000.00
 Ella M. Cherry & husband to Lawrence Longnecker, S½ SE¼, 4-25-2 (less school house site) \$11,760.00
 G. C. Davis & wife to Will I. Baker, NE¼, 14-27-1 (except railroad right of way) \$21,252.00
 Milo Krompke & wife to Axel C. Vennerberg, E½ W½ SE¼, 3-26-3, \$8,800.00

Edmund C. Field (single) to Ernest A. Strate, NW¼ 20-25-2 & S½ SE¼ 18-25-2, \$18,000.00
 Lenora Sohl & husband to John H. Gilman, SE¼ 5-27-1, \$19,000.00
 Olivia Linder & husband to William Stageman, lots 7-8, block 2, Helkes add to Wakefield, \$3,000.00
 David Longe & wife to Theodore Longe, W½ SW¼ 29-26-5 (less schoolhouse site) \$11,692.00
 David H. Lange & wife to Fred Utecht, N½ NE¼ SW¼ & W½ SW¼ 33-26-5, also a piece of ground 5 rds x 32 rds NW¼ 33-26-5, \$18,180.00
 Frank S. Carpenter & wife to Carl O. Kuhn, part NW¼ & N½ NE¼ 5-26-5, \$5,500.00

Henry G. Leisenring & wife to C. A. Berry, E½ of lots 4-5-6, blk 7, Crawford & Brown's add to Wayne, \$2,760.00
 William H. Stageman & wife to Sattie Rector, SW¼ 4-27-1, \$21,000.00
 Wilhelm Kruger & wife to Edgar C. Surber, E½ SE¼ 5-26-1, \$9,600.00
 Ellen Ahern (widow) to John Ahern, SE¼ & S½ NE¼ 11-27-2, \$30,000.00

Henry Kay & wife to Roy G. & Alvin Fredrickson, SE¼, 21-26-4, \$26,400.00
 John D. Luers & wife to Fred S. Utecht, NE¼ & NW¼, 21-26-4, \$36,000.00
 John D. Luers & wife to John Elmer, E½ SE¼ 16-26-4, \$12,000.00
 John Horn & wife to L. R. Winegar, NE¼ 4-27-1, \$2,300.00

Milo Krompke & wife to Axel C. Vennerberg, N½ S½ NW¼ 5-26-4, \$8,000.00
 Ransoni, A. Collier & wife to John L. Williams, SW¼, 5-27-1, \$17,200.00
 LeRoy V. Ley & wife to E. J. Britton & Bressler's add to Wayne, \$3,500.00
 E. J. Ayker & wife to Earl H. Merchant S 75t lot 1, block 9, Britton & Bressler's add to Wayne, \$2,950.00
 Nels H. Hanson & wife to Peter E. Lundahl, N½ SW¼, 18-26-5, \$10,400.
 E. W. Quilen & wife to Chris Hansen, E½ N½ NW¼ 10-25-2, \$5,600.00

Ruth Anderson & husband to Ludwig Rehms, lot 12 & East half lot 13, Weibles 1st add to Winside, \$3,400.00
 George F. Gabler & wife to John

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public auction at the
Wayne Pavilion
Saturday, Mar. 23
 Commencing at 1 o'clock, the following property:

Horses and Mules

Team of blacks, mare and gelding 4 and 5 years old, weight 2950; team of brown mules 4 years old, weight 2200; team of geldings, 4 and 5 years old, roan and gray, weight 2900; team of grays, 4 and 5 years old, mare and gelding, weight 2600; team of blacks, mare and gelding, 3 and 4 years old, weight 2800; team of bays, mare and gelding, 3 and 4 years old, weight 2700; team of bays, 5 and 7 years old, weight 2600; one team, sorrel and bay, weight 2500; one team gray and bay, 9 and 7 years old; one good No. 1 saddle horse. These horses are all broke and sound and in good condition in all respects.

Cattle

Fifteen head of good pure bred Shorthorn bulls aged from 11 to 23 months; four roans and eleven reds; twelve head of 1- and 2-year-old heifers. Some of these are bred. All of the cattle are out of a pure bred sire and most of them are out of pure bred cows. The heifers are bred to the pure bred sire, Jack Oxford.

NO BY-BIDDING

Herman Ridder, Owner

D. H. CUNNINGHAM, Auctioneer

Loeb sack SW¼ 6-25-3, \$21,500.00.
 John C. Davis & wife to Phillip G. Burress NE¼ 35-27-2, \$22,400.00.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

George Steele has moved back to Wayne county, from Van Tassel, Wyoming, and is settled on the Hosteter farm southwest of Wayne.

Wm. Cullen of Winside died at an Omaha hospital Wednesday following an operation. E. W. Cullen of Winside and Mrs. J. H. Massie of this place were with him there.

A message was received at noon today by Miss Florence Beaver from Adj. General McLean, carrying the sad intelligence that her brother, Herbert, had been wounded in action in France. He is a member of the 6th Field Artillery of Nebraska.

Mrs. C. T. Ingham and Miss Genevieve Roberts went to Coleridge today where they will visit Miss Ruth Ingham and tonight attend a play in which Miss Ruth is the leading lady, "Under Two Flags." The play was put on a week ago by home talent for the benefit of the Home Guards and the receipts amounted to over \$300. Many people then were turned away because the opera house could not accommodate them and the players were urged to put it on again tonight. They will also play Crofton and perhaps other towns in the interest of the Home Guards.

OVER \$7,000 FOR RED CROSS

Prof. O. R. Bowen informs us that he, as chairman of the committee at the Red Cross sale, has turned over to the treasurer, W. M. Orr, the sum of \$7,200.00. There are outstanding accounts to be settled yet and the sum of \$319.00 in the bank. It is thought when the final summing up is made that there will be something over \$7,000.00 to turn over to the Red Cross.

ODESSA TAKEN BY GERMANS

News dispatches today tell that German troops have captured Odessa, the great Black Sea port of Russia, and that it surrendered without a shot. Treachery may safely be charged as responsible for recent events in Russia.

KNOWS A GOOD THING

G. W. Alberts has moved from the south part of the county to his new farm near Wayne. Mr. and Mrs. Alberts are much pleased with their new home and also with the splendid opportunity for their boys to attend the good schools in Wayne.—Stanton Picket.

"THE GERMAN CURSE IN RUSSIA"
 One of the greatest pictures of real war will be put on at the Crystal Tuesday, March 19th. "The German Curse in Russia" will tell you the story of modern warfare, of the horrible atrocities practiced by the German army. Told in pictures taken by Donald Thompson, a reporter on the New York World. It makes no difference what you have read, what you have heard, these pictures will give you a better understanding of real conditions. The date is Tuesday, March 19. Plan to see this picture.

LOST: POCKET BOOK
 E. Henderson lost a pocket-book Wednesday evening. Finder please return for reward.—adv.

I have some choice alfalfa seed—buy the best—Fortner. adv.

BARTOSH-FLACK

Invitations were received this week announcing the marriage of Miss Rose Bartosh to Mr. Clifford Jay Flack, at Los Angeles, California. Miss Bartosh is well known here at Wayne, having attended the Normal, and she was the first person to receive a state certificate to teach. This was in 1911. Miss Bartosh was a Dodge girl and after teaching here for several years she went to California, where, we understand, she has been very successful in her chosen line of work. She finished the Normal course in California.

BEAUTIFUL BATES COUNTY, Missouri, corn, clover and blue grass farms for sale; write for free booklet, Charles R. Bowman, Butler, Mo.—36t

For Sale

One of the Finest Farms in Wayne County

It is located in Leslie precinct, contains 391 acres; improvements extensive and in good condition. Price is below par, and the terms easy. For further particulars see

Nye & Albertson, Agents

Phone 110 Pender, Nebraska

Sickly Girls

THERE'S A REASON for those morbid spells, headaches and pains; that irritability, nervousness; those disturbed painful functions from which so many girls suffer. Beware! They likely signify deeper trouble, which, if neglected, may mean lifelong misery.

Mothers, heed these danger signals promptly, don't neglect them. Build up the delicate functions of your growing daughters—fit them for robust, healthy womanhood, with

Dr. Dye's Mitchella Compound

that splendid, harmless, herbal TONIC for women, successfully used for forty years. Try it for your daughter, yourself or your ailing mother—all can profit by its use. A dollar package from your drug store will last three weeks. Be sure you get a copy of Dr. Dye's valuable Booklet—it's FREE—call at:

J. H. FELBER ROBERTS DRUG CO. A. G. ADAMS

A New Lot of Novelty Goods

just received at

Ed Ellis' Feed Store

I have just unpacked an elegant line of new goods consisting of aluminum pans, kettles, nickel covered copper teakettles and other cooking utensils; iron and granite ware besides many new and useful novelties for kitchen and household use.

I also have secured a line of odds and ends and broken sets of dishes of excellent quality, which go at prices less than today's wholesale cost.

Voget Building, Main Street Wayne, Nebr.