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GUSTAVE KRUSE COMMITTS SUICIDE

Daughter Discovers Body Hanging in Barn Monday Noon And Cuts It Down—Wayne Citizen Fifty Years—Well To Do Man

CAUSE OF ACT NOT ESTABLISHED

Monday just before noon, Gustave Kruse, an aged Wayne citizen, was found hanging in a barn at his home in the east part of the city. His daughter, who has been making her home with him, made the discovery and cut the rope which held him. Wm. Andresen, a neighbor, heard her cry of alarm and came and carried the body to the house. There is much speculation as to the cause of the death, but the daughter, who has long made her home with him, is thought to be the one person who can perhaps give a reason. She was taken to a local hospital immediately after the suicide where she gave birth to a child an hour or two later.

A coroner's jury was empaneled by Sheriff Porter and in the absence of County Attorney Berry, C. H. Hendrickson took charge of the case. The jury is composed of Messrs. John Morgan, P. L. Mabbott, Martin Ringler, W. R. Vail, R. Jones and Ed. Sellers.

On the testimony of two physicians, one of whom pronounced him dead, and the other making more extensive examination, it was agreed that he came to his death by hanging himself with suicidal intent.

The inquest then adjourned for one week that the county attorney might be here to take charge and the daughter might be able to add her testimony.

Mr. Kruse has been a resident of Wayne for about thirty years and has a number of sons and daughters residing in this vicinity. He was a man in comfortable circumstances financially.

The funeral services will be held Friday afternoon from the home or the undertaking parlors.

SUCCESSFUL MEETINGS

The entertainment and patriotic program given by the Lutheran choir and pupils at the Evangelical Lutheran Immanuel School, seven miles northeast of Wayne, was a great success. The patriotic songs, piano music, dialogues, and flag-drills were greatly enjoyed by all present. After the program a delightful lunch was served by the Lutheran Ladies Aid society.

\$183.00 were donated to the Red Cross by the participants of this meeting for the new drive which is to begin May 20th.

Last Sunday afternoon a great patriotic meeting was held at the church of Rev. E. Gehrke. The Hon. E. Richmond, secretary of the Nebraska State Council of Defense, was the speaker. It is manifested that he made many friends at the meeting. Many compliments were voiced regarding his address. Mr. A. Martin, of DuBos, the government seed corn agent, also made a short address. The Lutheran choir and pupils of the Lutheran school enhanced the meeting with their songs and flag-drill. A pledge of loyalty was unanimously accepted by the whole meeting.

HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Norfolk District of the Woman's Missionary society will meet at Osmond, May 18 and 19 in their annual convention. A very interesting program has been outlined. Mrs. Geo. Crossland is president of the society and Mrs. E. S. Blair is secretary. Besides these two ladies Mrs. I. H. Britell, Mrs. Will Rennick and Mrs. Steinfeld will attend the meeting and have places on the program. It will undoubtedly be of great good in helping to plan the work for the coming year and the ladies will enjoy the hospitality of that little city of Osmond and come home enthused to carry on their good work. The Queen Esthers held a meeting at the home of Mrs. Will Rennick Tuesday and will send the following delegates to the meeting: Misses Edna Hanssen, Verna Powers, and Madeline Bohner. The girls are giving \$55 to the society.

Tip-Top, Raisin, Rye, Graham and War bread every morning at the Basket Store—adv.

Security Gull Cans Never Falls—sold and guaranteed by Basket Store—adv.

NELSON ORCUTT DEAD

Word came to Wayne Friday of the death of Mr. Nels Orcutt, for many years a resident of Wayne, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Berry at Sioux City. Mr. Orcutt was for thirty years or more a resident of Wayne, and had many friends here, won by his sterling traits of honesty and kindly disposition to all. He was about 84 years of age, and is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Berry. About 17 months ago he was injured on the street of Wayne one evening in a wet, drizzly night, when he was crossing Main street, and in watching to dodge an automobile he stepped in front of an approaching team, was struck, knocked down and a hip fractured. He was taken to an hospital at Sioux City, where he remained until last January, when he was taken to the home of his daughter in this city. His injured hip had become well enough to enable him to leave his bed for a chair, and he was not suffering from it. Last week another trouble set in which was diagnosed as gall stones, and it was with but little hope of recovery that it was decided to operate to remove the cause of the trouble as the only slight chance of prolonging his life. He rallied from the anesthetic, but did not have vitality to long survive the shock.

The funeral was from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Berry Sunday afternoon, Rev. E. H. Gaynor of the St. Paul Episcopal church officiating and the burial was at Graceland cemetery. A number of Wayne among them being Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Hamer Wilson, Mrs. Robert Mellor and son William, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mears, Mr. and Mrs. True Pescott, Harry Fisher, Clyde Oman and Mrs. Wm. Benson, and Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Trumbauer of Allen.

A citizen of many sterling qualities has been called, and his death will be regretted by many Wayne county people who have had business and social relations with him. He leaves quite a valuable estate, much of which is in Wayne county farms, of which he owned several. We have promise of a story of his life for the next paper.

IMPROVEMENT AT COUNTRY CLUB

At a meeting held by members of the Country Club last week, things were started for the season which will prove that the organization is very much alive after the winter of inactivity. Plans for re-seeding the greens were discussed, the installation of new pumps and shower baths and the installing of croquet grounds and pegs for that famous game known as "horseshoes."

Beginning the first of the week an open golf tournament was started, the players to be classed according to the record they make in the preliminaries, and grouped so that each will meet a competitor in his particular class.

The Country Club is proving a great place for recreation for those who will relax from business long enough to enjoy it. Long may it thrive.

FISHING PARTY

Sunday wasn't an ideal day for fishing—it was too cold, but it proved a delightful day for an outing. Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Donahey, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harahan, comfortably seated in Clark's big truck, hied themselves to a pond near Wakefield and they tell us that they found the finny tribe near enough the surface to fall for their hypnotism. They took plenty of good things to eat and garnished the dishes with the minnows that Clark caught. They report a very pleasant day.

THE CRADLE

REEG—Thursday, May 2, 1918, to Adam Reeg and wife, a son.
HOOKER—Friday, May 3, 1918, to A. L. Hooker and wife, a daughter.
YOUNG—Wednesday, April 17, 1918, to Geo. W. Young and wife, a son.
GIFFORD—Monday, April 22, 1918, to Wilbur H. Gifford and wife, a daughter.
PLEETWOOD—Tuesday, May 14, 1918, to E. E. Pleetwood and wife, a son.

NOTICE

A report is being circulated that we have no plumber. This report is false. It is true we have changed men, but we now have the best mechanic we have ever had. Your plumbing and tinmith wants will receive prompt and efficient attention. Carhart Hardware. 26-11

HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT IN THE M. E. CHURCH TONIGHT

Wayne High School Has Thirteen Graduates This Year—They Are Credit to City

J. J. BOUCHER TO GIVE ADDRESS

Tonight at the Methodist church will occur the annual commencement of the Wayne High school. J. J. Boucher of Omaha, will deliver the address. An unusual program of good things has been prepared. Following are the names of the graduates: Virginia Bowen, Anna Eickhoff, Don Gildersteeve, Hildegarde Gustafson, Wilma Gildersteeve, Knox Jones, Clara Madsen, Russell Prescott, Jane Randol, George Roskopf, Nellie Steele, Clair Shull and Agnes Weber.

Baccalaureate Last Sunday Evening
A large audience attended the high school baccalaureate exercises at the Presbyterian church, Sunday evening, May 12.

The high school orchestra played a selection which was followed by the invocation by Rev. S. X. Cross. Mrs. A. R. Davis sang the solo, "It Was For Me," after which Rev. D. W. MacGregor delivered the baccalaureate sermon to the members of the graduating class, taking his text from Timothy II-15, "Study to Show Thyself a Workman That Needeth Not Be Ashamed."

Rev. MacGregor reviewed briefly the theories of education of the ancient philosophers and the history of education among the ancient nations of the earth. He earnestly recommended that every young student take counsel of Christ, the great Teacher, who recognized the fact that the children of men are teachable beings when he said, "Learn of me."

The lower creatures have limited degrees of intelligence. The eagle's first nest is as perfect as the last. The spider's first web is a marvel of perfection. Birds and insects are not required to learn, but all young men and women need a higher education than the public schools can offer before entering the world's university of hard knocks.

Success or failure rests in one's self. The ethics of success are faith in one's manhood or womanhood, hard toil and honest service.

The Biblical motto of Success is "Honest in business, fervent in spirit, serving the Lord."

The speaker concluded with this advice: "Live to make the world better; out of your best the better grows."

The sermon was followed by an anthem, after which Rev. J. H. Feterolf pronounced the benediction.

THE SENIORS TAKE A HIKE

The Senior class of the Normal stole a march on the faculty Monday morning and left for a hike. When time for the first class came their absence was discovered and the Juniors decided to drape the college in mourning because of their untimely departure. Each Junior wore a crepe band around the left arm to signify their deep grief. Funeral services were held at chapel with Jesse Randol as chief mourner and Ino Olson as the widow. There was weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth, but it availed little. The long, lonesome, weary day wore on (as they usually do) and the Seniors didn't show up until midnight.

In cars, about sixty in number, the Seniors went to the Elkhorn, near Battle Creek for a picnic. They stopped enroute at Norfolk for provisions and spent an ideal day. Heartless they were too as they gave no thought to the tears and heartaches they left behind them at the college. It has been the custom for the Seniors to play such pranks and we trust the class of '18 had one glorious day.

PATRIOTIC MEETING SUNDAY AT THE NORMAL AUDITORIUM

Program of the patriotic services to be held in the Normal auditorium Sunday, May 19, beginning at 3:30 o'clock, under the auspices of the Wayne County Council of Defense, President John T. Bressler, presiding. Community Singing led by Prof. E. E. Lackey. Music, "Laddie and Khaki," Apollo Club. Address, Rev. Rudolph Moehring. "America," Audience. Music, Selected, Normal Male Quartette. Address, Hon. William V. Allen. Music, Selected, Apollo Club.

WAYNE COUNTY TO SEND FORTY MORE MEN TO COLORS

The following men will be entrained within the five days beginning May 25. They will go to Camp Dodge, Iowa:

- Forrest Elmur McNutt
- William Raymond Hickman
- Oscar H. Fleer
- George Alfred Dixon
- Raymond Arrasmith Williams
- Earl C. Douthit
- David H. G. Lueker
- Earl Elver Bruce
- Otto Carl Klippfahn
- Elmer Gustav Machmueller
- Walter Julius Fenske
- Edwin William Damme
- Viggo Alfred Jorgensen
- Carroll A. Orr
- Carl Will
- John Nelson
- Clyde Miles Reynolds
- Ova Totten
- Arthur Dennis Glass
- Walter Herman Lerner
- Frank Lambert Roe
- Henry William Kugler
- Orlando William Horstman
- George Alva Spielman
- Alva Fred Schroeder
- Joseph Emmett Kenny
- Curtis Paul Foster
- John Richards
- James Percy Carpenter
- Eric Axel Wicklund
- Clarence Eugene Taylor
- Jerome Richards Forbes
- William Evans
- William Mattingly
- Gettis Monroe Sherbahn
- Rudolph Joe Bartsch
- Ernest Carl Voget
- Frank Orval White
- Fred Henkle
- Paul Carlisle Williams

E. H. DOTSON SUCCEEDS TO R. N. DONAHEY BUSINESS

A letter from E. H. Dotson, who has been at Chicago securing stock and a new and modern grinding equipment and also doing a bit of post-graduate work, tells us that he has purchased the optical business of R. N. Donahey and will succeed to the business as soon as Mr. Donahey is ready to depart which will be within two or three weeks. Mr. Dotson is not a stranger to Wayne people, having been for number of years in charge of the L. A. Fanske optical business. Mr. Dotson told us that service is to be his motto and accuracy his aim. Wayne people should be pleased to learn that this business is to be continued in Wayne by one who has been said to be qualified and competent by those authorized to pass upon his qualifications.

COOLEY-BRUCE

At Wakefield Wednesday evening, May 15, 1918, occurred the marriage of Mr. Earl E. Bruce and Miss Elizabeth Cooley of that place, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cooley.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bruce of this city, who with their daughter, Miss Claudia, and two nieces, Misses Maude and Lillie Goodwin, went Wednesday afternoon to attend the wedding. Mr. Bruce is superintendent of the Wakefield schools and is one of the Wayne county boys who is called to the colors with the next call, and he will not finish his school before he will be called to report for service, according to recent plans. The Democrat hopes that the groom may soon be returned to his young wife, because need no longer exists for men to go to battle for democracy.

RING BELLS AT NOON IN REMEMBRANCE OF SAMMIES

California has instituted a statewide custom of ringing the church and school bells at noon and every one offering up a prayer for our soldier boys. This should become a nation-wide custom for with the prayers of the people of the United States going to the throne of grace daily for the soldier boys, it will give them the irresistible power to overcome all enemies in their ways. Let the movement be helped along by every one.

INTERSTATE SHOOTING TOURNAMENT JULY 1-3

The Minks shooting tournament is to be held in Omaha, July 1-3. The name of the tournament is derived from the initials of the states represented, viz: Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, and South Dakota. The secretary is H. S. McDonald of Omaha.

THE CHILDREN'S YEAR

Wayne county is to have a measuring and weighing test of children. Our national government through the Children's Bureau at Washington has designated April 6, 1918 to April 6, 1919 as Children's Year—to be a year of unity in action in child saving. As the first of the year's program the Woman's Committee of the Council of National Defense has been asked to conduct a measuring and weighing test of all children under five years of age. This will be carried out throughout the State and County units of the Woman's Committee Child Welfare Department.

The mothers of Wayne county are asked to have their children measured and weighed for the government at Wayne, Winside, Carroll, or Hoskins. Registration cards are furnished by the government free of charge and the information desired concerning each child is: Name, address, nationality, date of birth, is birth registered in county, sex, measure and weight, and notation of general physical condition of child. One-half of the registration card is retained by the parents and the other is sent to the Children's Bureau at Washington. Further information and details for enrolling children for the test will be given in next week's paper.

The publicity committee for Wayne consists of Mrs. M. A. Phillips, Mrs. Kate M. Robinson, Miss Elizabeth Durrie and Miss Pierce. The art classes at the high school and the Normal are preparing posters for advertising the campaign and various articles along Child Welfare lines will be given in our local papers from week to week.

Each county chairman of the Woman's Committee of the Council of Defense has been asked to appoint a standing committee on Child Welfare in her county and the following committee has been appointed for Wayne county: Superintendent J. R. Armstrong, Miss Edith Beechle, Mrs. George Crossland, Mrs. Grace Koser, Miss Pearl Sewell, Mrs. George Porter, Mrs. E. E. Lackey, Mrs. Wm. Buetow, Dr. E. S. Blair, Mrs. C. W. Hiscox, and Mrs. B. M. McIntyre of Winside. Two or three more names are to be added to this committee and they will meet soon to elect a chairman and secretary and to discuss the work of the committee.

BERT SHIVELY DIES AT CAMP OF PNEUMONIA

Laurel, Nebraska, May 15.—Bert Shively, the first Laurel man to die in the service of his country, is dead at Camp Cody, Deming, New Mexico. His death was caused by pneumonia, which attacked him following an operation for appendicitis. He was a member of the One Hundred-Thirty-fourth Ambulance company, having volunteered in April of last year. He was called into service on July 2 and in September was transferred with his company from Camp Eaton, Sioux City, to Camp Cody, where he has since been stationed. He was the son of A. B. Shively, a farmer near Laurel.

The body was shipped to Laurel Wednesday and funeral services were held there today.

DEATH OF MRS. BERT HOOKER

Sunday June Conger and family went to Concord to attend the funeral of Mrs. Bert Gurney Hooker, who died as the result of a cancerous condition which an operation failed to remove. Hers is the first death in the Gurney family and she leaves her parents and ten brothers and sisters to mourn, besides her husband and three sons and a daughter. The oldest son is in the service, but was given opportunity to come and attend the funeral. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Cox, formerly her pastor, and he paid just tribute to the memory of the wife and mother.

The Gurney family formerly lived in this vicinity and many of the early settlers will remember them.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Ray Steckelberg went to his home Tuesday after having been at the hospital several days for medical treatment.
A Hennepfer has been a patient at the hospital for several days.
Elfreda Kruse is a patient at the hospital.
Dr. C. Lutgen of Auburn was a guest of Dr. S. A. Lutgen of the hospital Sunday.
Mr. Sherm Houston of Gen. Kansas, with his son Glenn came Sunday to visit Dr. S. A. Lutgen and to have an operation on his son's nose. The young man is getting along fine.

W. S. N. ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT

Baccalaureate Sunday Evening—Address By Dr. William H. Bass, of Fremont—Class Play Tuesday Evening in Auditorium

FINE PROGRAM FOR FESTIVAL

The eighth annual commencement of the Wayne State Normal School opens with the baccalaureate services, which will be held in the auditorium on Sunday evening, May 19. All the church congregations of the city will unite in the service and the sermon will be preached by Dr. William H. Bass of Fremont, one of the best known pulpits orators in Nebraska. Special music will be furnished under the direction of Professor Coleman, and includes two selections by the Misses Jones and Rahn, and a piano duet by the Misses Figum and Wooster.

Senior Class Play

This event will take place in the Normal auditorium on Tuesday evening, May 21. The class was fortunate in the selection of the thrilling classical theme, Joan of Arc. The wonderful story of plotting, victory, defeat, martyrdom will arouse every particle of patriotism in the hearer and cause every nerve to grow tense with the strain of this amazing drama. It will be presented by a cast of forty characters and staged under the direction of Miss Josephine M. Mack.

May Festival

An excellent program has been planned for Festival Day this year. The patriotic pageant, to be given at eight-thirty o'clock Thursday morning by the class in physical training under the direction of Miss Josephine M. Mack will be a delight to all. A beautiful story is told in song and dance. The Normal Male Quartet will appear at eleven o'clock in a patriotic and classical song recital. At one-thirty Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kaye Smith of Sioux City, Iowa, will render an artistic program of classical and patriotic selections. The Helzer String Quartet at three o'clock will be a pleasing feature of the afternoon program, and "The Wild Rose" an operetta, given by the Girls' Glee Club at eight-fifteen, will be a source of delight to all.

Graduating Exercises

The graduating exercises of the school will be held Friday morning, May 24, beginning at ten o'clock. Special music has been arranged for the occasion and the commencement oration will be delivered by Dr. Titus Lowe, of Omaha. Dr. Lowe, an eloquent and forceful speaker, has recently returned from the battle-front in Europe and will bring a thrilling message to the people of northeast Nebraska.

A class of seventy-four will receive diplomas and city state certificates, and professional life certificate granted those who have had three years of successful teaching experience.

Awarding of Prizes

For the past five years the winners of the "Mines Gold Medal" and the "Morgan Silver Cup" have been announced on commencement day. The medal is offered each year by James G. Mines and is awarded to the student who makes the most improvement in scholarship. The silver cup is the gift of Frank S. Morgan and is presented each year to the young man of the senior class who, in the judgment of the faculty, has been of greatest service to the school. The conditions include consideration of excellence in scholarship, athletics, and other school activities.

Alumni Home-Coming

The alumni home-coming and reunion will be held on Friday, June 14. The executive committee announce the following program: special chapel exercise at 8:45; from 9:00 to 12:00, visiting departments; noon luncheon, the association to be the guests of President and Mrs. Conn; at 2:00 p. m. an informal dedication of the Physical and Industrial Training building will take place, the dedicatory address being delivered by Rev. S. Xenophon Cross; at 3:00 o'clock an athletic contest has been arranged in which the alumni is to be matched against the senior class of 1918.

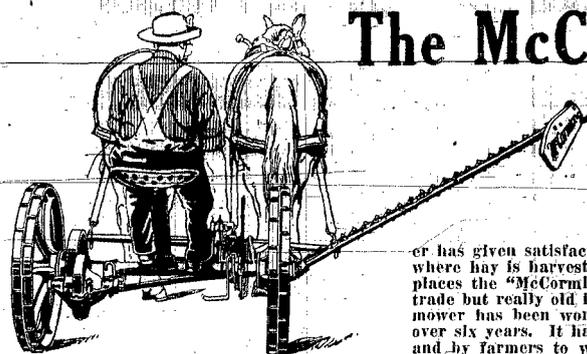
NOTICE

My office will be closed all next week, May 20-25, as I will be at Omaha in attendance at the Nebraska State Dental Association.—Dr. C. A. McMasters. adv.-11

Read the advertisements.

McCORMICK Farm Implements!

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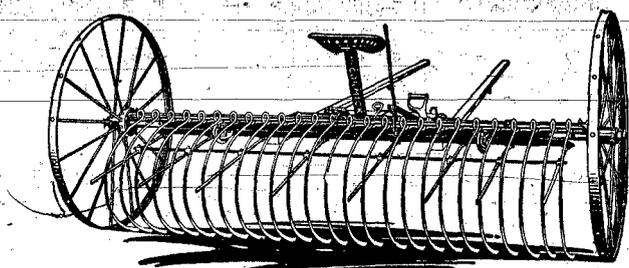
McCORMICK Harvesting Machines are never changed unless decided improvement can be made either in the machine itself or in the work that it does. For the past sixteen years the "McCormick New 4" mow-

er has given satisfaction to farmers in practically every country where hay is harvested. This year the "McCormick No. 6" replaces the "McCormick New 4." It embodies features new to the trade but really old in the point of use. The "McCormick No. 6" mower has been working under the most adverse conditions for over six years. It has been tried thoroughly by expert mechanics and by farmers to whom it was entirely new—and all pronounce it good. The "McCormick No. 6" is not a New mower made over.

It is a new mower with all the good features of the "New 4" embodied and with many improvements that you will like and should have on your machine.

SOME OF THE NEW THINGS—Effective Raising Levers; Flexible Gag Arrangement; New Cutter Bar, which gives it a clean, sheer cut the full length of the mower bar; Removable Wearing Plates; the Pitman has Exclusive Features; External Main Gear; Rigid Frame; Special Features on Coupling Bar; Four Prong Clutch; Counter-shaft Easily Adjusted; Easy to Replace Parts; Spring Tracker Board; Pole is Strengthened; Easy on Horses and Operator.

A McCormick Self Dump Rake



The McCormick Self-Dump Rake will meet your requirements under all conditions. It has gained a reputation in every locality for durability and ease of operation. It dumps quickly, and the teeth return to the ground close to the windrow. As the rake fills, the cleaner rods float above and retard the hay so that it does not roll into a "ropy" form.

IT IS EASY TO DUMP—The rake leaves a neat appearing field due to the ease with which the teeth can be kept in position. By pressure on the foot lever the teeth can be locked down for bunching hay from windrows. It has perfect adjustments for different kinds of hay.

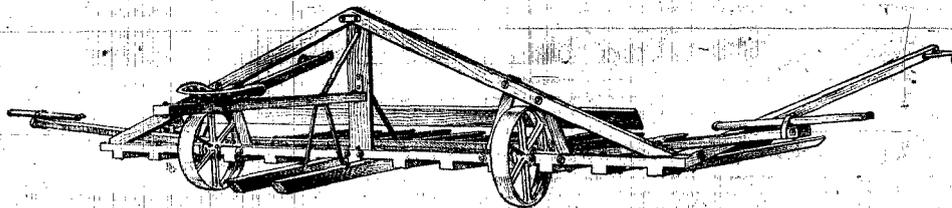
WHEELS INTERCHANGE—The wheels interchange so that when one side of the racket is worn the wheels can be reversed, giving practically the wear of two rake wheels in one. The wheels have staggered spokes and heavy steel tires. They are large and keep the rake running smoothly even on rough ground.

MAIN FRAME AND RAKE HEAD CONNECTED—The good work and lasting qualities of a hay rake depend to a great extent upon the material that is put into the Main Frame. The Main Frame of the McCormick rake is made of angle steel, and, being strongly braced, it resists twisting. The rake head is also made of angle steel, strongly trussed to prevent sagging. The frame and rake head are connected by heavy hinges.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

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Miss Queenie Crayan of Winside was a Wayne visitor Saturday.

Mrs. R. Dotson went to Magnet Saturday for a visit with home folks.

Mrs. H. S. Ringland went to Omaha Tuesday as a delegate to Grand Chapter, O. E. S.

Mrs. Carl Gates went to Bancroft Saturday to visit over Sunday with her husband, who is employed there at present.

Mrs. Fred Steckelberg of Plainview visited over Sunday at the home of her son Herman near Wayne and with Ray who was confined at the hospital with tonsillitis.

Mrs. P. C. Crockett went to Stanton Monday where she will be the guest of her daughter, Miss Hattie, who is a teacher in the city schools at that place. Monday evening the Teacher's club gave a party to which the mothers were invited, and Mrs. Crockett attended.

Richard Coyle spent Sunday with friends at Craig.

Mrs. E. G. Wessel of Carroll was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Weineman and Mrs. Harold Ebersole were Wayne visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Art Linman who has been visiting at Oakland with her mother arrived home Tuesday evening.

Louis Jones of Onawa, Iowa, arrived Saturday to visit his sister, Mrs. J. Nichols and his brother, Jerry.

Mrs. G. E. Whipple of Sioux City returned home Monday after a pleasant visit here with her sister, Mrs. R. W. Helt.

Mrs. J. W. Childs and daughter, Mrs. O. R. Ludvickson of Omaha visited over Sunday with Mrs. Childs' brother, A. L. Hooker and family.

Mrs. E. B. Erskine went to Tilden Saturday for a short visit. Mrs. Erskine has been here for several days with old friends and packing her household goods, preparing to go to Washington, D. C., where she will take a position in the War department while the doctor is in the service.

For Sale Cheap: A good lawn mower. L. A. Fanske. 19-4f.

Mrs. Clara Gustafson went to Wakefield Tuesday for a short visit.

Mrs. C. F. Gifford of Norfolk was visiting here between trains Tuesday.

Wanted—Woman wants work. At housecleaning or washing. Call 151-17-4f.

Mrs. C. M. Vanlaningham went to Anthon, Iowa, Tuesday where she will visit her daughter several days.

Little Miss Marie Pryor of Winside arrived Monday to spend the week with her grandmother, Mrs. M. A. Pryor.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Hughes returned Monday from Tekamah where they had been to visit Mrs. Hughes' home folk.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jacobs went to Battle Creek, Michigan, Tuesday where they will visit relatives and friends some time.

Miss Grace Grimes of the Normal went to Chambers Monday where she expects to see her brother who will soon leave for France.

John Lage shipped cattle to Omaha markets Monday. Mrs. Lage joined him here Tuesday and they will visit at Avoca, Iowa, before returning home.

Mrs. Nova Milner Lowe returned Monday evening from Herman where she visited over Sunday with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lowe.

Miss Hurley, who has been in the employ of Miss Temple in her millinery parlors, left for her home at Woodstock, Illinois, Tuesday. She expects to spend the summer there.

For Sale: Large cupboard, round dining table, rockers, etc. Call Bk 330. adv-19-4f

The state association of Commercial clubs meets at Alliance next Tuesday and Wednesday. Is the Wayne organization to have a representative there? It might be money well invested to pay the expenses of a booster to that meeting.

Mrs. A. A. Wollert returned from Camp Funston, Kansas, Saturday evening where she went to see her brother, Harvey Haas, who has been ill for some time. She found him suffering from a nervous breakdown and the physicians finally decided to give him an extended leave from the service. He is now visiting relatives and will probably come to Wayne later. Harvey's many friends here will hope for his speedy and permanent recovery.

Single-comb White Leghorn Eggs for hatching from pure-breds; 13 eggs, 75c; 52, \$2.75; 404, \$5. Write or phone 1708, Wm. Roggenbach, Wisner, Neb. 17-4f.

County Food Administrators of Nebraska have been asked by the Federal food administrator to make a survey of all the flour in the hands of retailers—and other distributors that might be available for export. In one county fifty tons of flour was found available for export.

Cars should not be parked in front of the City Hall. Some of these days or evenings a fire will call the department out in a hurry and it will be impossible to get by the cars which are always in front of the hall. Park your cars somewhere else and avoid the danger of fire. And while speaking of parking cars, if the city authorities will read the ordinance relating to the same, they will see it daily violated—that part which forbids cars parked slap-dab up against a crossing. It is dangerous to the pedestrian.

M. B. Nielson returned Sunday from a trip to Omaha where he had been to pick out some top-liners for the Crystal. One of the biggest pictures he secured was "Over the Top" by Arthur Guy Empey. This is a special nine-reel feature which has just closed a successful run at the Auditorium in Sioux City. It goes to Omaha, then to Lincoln, and then comes to Wayne on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 11 and 12. This is a story of especial interest at this time and many people have read the book and enjoyed every page. You will have something to look forward to in the dates of June 11 and 12. The programs at the Crystal will be rearranged as follows: Monday, Aircraft; Tuesday, Serial; Wednesday, Bluebird; Thursday, Goldwyn and Paralta; Friday, Paramount. Mr. Nielson assures the people of Wayne that he has secured ALL FEATURES and that there will be no weak programs, and that he puts the Crystal against any theatre in the country, regardless of size of town or theatre, in the class of pictures he puts on.

A. B. Clark is here from California, arriving Tuesday to look after business matters.

Col. Thompson of Lyons was here the first of the week visiting his son, H. G. Thompson.

Theodore Roosevelt will speak in Omaha on the night of June 8, under the auspices of the Omaha branch of the National Security League, an organization which is conducting a national campaign to instill patriotism through education.

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Baptist Church

(Rev. Fletcher J. Jordan, Pastor)
Evangelists Sherrod and Allen of Fort Worth, Texas, began their first meeting in the Revival Campaign, Wednesday evening. They were greeted by a large audience and cordial good will. Services have been held each evening at 8:00 o'clock and each meeting has been increasing in interest. Messrs. Sherrod and Allen are Christian gentlemen and specialists in their chosen profession. They are truly spiritual men and endeavor in each service to put Christ in His right place and themselves in the background. Mr. Sherrod believes that the gospel is the "power of God unto salvation," and preaches that fact with all the energy of his soul. The evangelist is a good student of human nature and presents life in a tactful, pleasing and convincing manner. God is going to wonderfully bless his efforts in our midst if we who are called the followers of Christ rally around him and give him the

necessary support. Mr. E. Otis Allen is a strong chorus choir leader and is most successful in getting the audience to sing the old familiar gospel songs. His solo work is very fine and is increased appreciably by the sensitive interpretation which he gives each selection. He makes one want to sing whether he can or not.

The special meetings will continue all through this week. There will be an inspiring service each evening at 8 p. m. Please remember that we have a meeting on Saturday night as well as other nights. Plan to attend this session as you come to town to do your shopping. Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be a service led by evangelist Sherrod lasting thirty minutes.

Services next Lord's day at 10:30 and 8:00 p. m. Last Sunday evening several signified their willingness to become Christians. We are looking forward to next Sunday as Red Letter Day in our campaign. Pray much in the meantime for the meetings of that day.

Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. Strangers are urged to be present with us in the Bible school.

B. Y. P. U. next Sunday evening is led by the pastor. The topic is Education, the Doorway to Service. 2 Tim. 2:15; Luke 6:40. This subject ought to be of interest to all.

The public is most cordially invited to attend all our services.

Presbyterian Church

(Rev. S. Xenophon Cross, Pastor)

The church service next Sunday evening will be dismissed for the Baccalaureate service at the college. We feel that this is a great union meeting in which all should be interested.

Junior Endeavor will not meet next Sunday afternoon. The object of discontinuing the meeting is to give everyone an opportunity to attend the big union mass meeting at the college chapel. All should be at this great patriotic meeting.

"The Service of Perfect Freedom" will be the sermon subject next Sunday morning. Good music is assured under the directorship of Mrs. A. R. Davis, chorister. All are invited to attend this service. The topic for discussion is one that concerns everyone.

A place for you in the Sunday school. We want you in the regular session of the school, in one of the classes. If, however, you cannot be there, join the Home Department. Mr. Ernest Bernsheim is the superintendent of this department. You can now do the work of any class by means of home study in this department.

The church will help the individual in proportion to the lively interest the individual takes in the church. The church will help the whole community in proportion to the way which the best people of the entire community support the church as a community affair. Said support must include attendance upon the public meetings of the church organization.

Methodist Episcopal Church

(Rev. D. W. MacGregor, Pastor)

Every member and every friend of this church be on hand promptly next Sunday at all services of the day.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. This will be a very special service of interest. Every officer, teacher and

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1.25 voile blouses—

—White only—of cool sheer voiles—very new and stylish in model—Hundreds of them at..... 97c

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—Fine quality Jap silk—white and flesh—so new and fashionable—at the sale price of..... 1.87

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—In white, flesh, pink, maize and coral, excellent quality of crepe, way down in price at..... 3.37

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—Exquisite spring models—very new and dainty—variety of colorings—reduced in price to..... 2.27

—And how the women will hurry for them when these beautiful new mid-spring models—just the thing for immediate and summer wear—when priced at—

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Gabardine—wide color, variety.

—Worth exceedingly more—but rushed in by our New York office for this important coat event—Out of town patrons will come a-hurrying for them.

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—Fancy silk skirts, very stylish, with pockets and belts, all sizes, usually \$5, lower-priced at..... 3.47

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Sizes 2 to 12 years, usually 2.25—
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Women's spring pumps—at lower prices!

—Pumps in patent or kid metal, regularly 4.97, at regular price \$5, now..... 4.37

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Sermon at 11 a. m. Subject: "Is the church living up to the teachings of the Christ?" Epworth League, Intermediate League, Boy Scouts will meet at 7 p. m.

The pastor requests a large attendance of the congregation at the revival services during the week at the Baptist church.

Hear Ex-Senator Allen and Rev. Mohring of the Evangelical Lutheran church at the College auditorium at 8 p. m. Sunday.

Skovgaard, Denmark's greatest violinist, and one of the world's great musicians, now with the New York Metropolitan Concert Company, will be here June 4, at the Methodist church. This company is a combination of Grand Opera singers and performers.

When you hear Marie Kern-Mullen sing "Oh Dry Those Tears" you will know there is more than one Schumann-Heink in the world. Some say she of the two noted singers is the best. Tickets will soon be on sale.

Boy Scouts, No. 3, have succeeded in getting the violinist and his company of stars to give Wayne people such an entertainment as never was heard in Wayne before.

Mrs. Metta Sutherland Stout, daughter of J. R. Sutherland, editor of the Tekamah Herald, who has been visiting with Mrs. MacGregor and family, returned to her home Monday on the afternoon train.

Evangelical Lutheran

(Rev. Rudolph Moehring, Pastor)
Next Sunday is Pentecost. There will be no Sunday School. Services at 10:30. Sacrament of the Altar will be administered.

There will be no services at Win-side in the afternoon. The pastor will give a patriotic talk at the Normal auditorium at 3:00 p. m. Sunday afternoon.

NEBRASKA SPEED ASSOCIATION

The racing season of Nebraska opens in Omaha, June 11-15, followed by Lincoln, Kearney, West Point, and Fremont. The government desires all race meets and county fairs to be held in order to stimulate the breeding of cavalry horses, and because through exhibits at fairs a great many people can be interested in government activities.

Read the advertisements.

A VISIT TO BLOOMFIELD

Katherine Robinson of the Democrat, accompanied by Mabel Sumner went to Bloomfield Saturday evening to spend the week-end with relatives and friends. Sunday was the day set apart by the Home Guards to meet at Bloomfield and there was a large gathered from all over Knox county assembled there to see the drilling and enjoy the day. Nearly four thousand people went to the old fair grounds to witness the drills. Five towns had guards there, all in uniform, looking trim and handsome and formidable. Center, Winnetoon, Creighton, Crofton, Niobrara, and Bloomfield all had Guards out and a splendid showing they made. It would be hard to say which town had the best drilled men.

We visited the Masonic hall and were surprised to see the modern, well equipped home they have. Bloomfield is a surprising place in many ways. Her streets are so clean, her buildings are better than the average country town, that her merchants are alive is evidenced by the beautiful window displays, all of a patriotic nature, her homes are modern, her lawns are well kept. Better still, her people are friendly, so friendly that the glad hand they extend to strangers has the ring of welcome that does not come from the usual "business policy" smile.

The High school, too we visited and heard some pleasing tales of Ex-Mayor Harm's generous spirit toward the kiddies. He gave them several lots for a playground and rigged a part of it with swings and rings and a slide with which to while away their idle hours. He is a big-hearted man, with his faults, perhaps, but loved by the "kiddies" and the people he has helped over many rough places. He is one of the many such men who have made the little city one of the best, if not the best, town in the county.

The visit there was very enjoyable. We met many old friends and made new ones. One thing the town deserves is better railroad service. Their business and the business of other good towns on the branch should demand better service than they now enjoy.

KIRCH-MORDHORST

Miss Anna Kirch of Plainview, and Mr. Charles Mordhorst of Pierce, were married at the court house, Tuesday, May 14, 1918, by Judge Jas. Brittain.

RED CROSS NEWS

The following knitted garments were shipped from the Wayne Red Cross chapter, May 8: 30 sweaters. Since the last report the following have been donated: 2 pair socks, Mrs. Mary Jones, Pasadena, California; 1 muffler, Mrs. Fred Berry. —Mrs. H. S. Ringland.

PAY DOG TAX TO CITY CLERK

The annual harvest of dogs is now due unless you square yourself and the dog by securing the proper credentials from City Clerk, R. P. Reynolds, says Geo. Miner, the Chief of Police and Head Dog Executioner. The price is moderate, and has not gone up with the h. c. of 1.

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WAYNE MARKET REPORT

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

Oats	62
Corn	1.40
Wheat	1.95
Hay	18.00
Chickens	20
Hogs	\$16.30
Butter Fat	41
Hogs	\$16.25
Cattle	12.00@17.00

As a war measure it is quite probable that 2,000 types and sizes of farm implements will be dropped from the list of implements that may be made during the war period for the purpose of conserving material and labor for the more practical and most needed kinds of machinery.

Now that we have some way over the top with the bond purchases, let's do as well or better with this Red Cross fund. This county purchased \$448,400.00 worth of bonds. The annual interest on that which comes to this county will be more than \$20,000. Why not just advance the first year's interest for the Red Cross? In that way you break even.

Arnold Martin, who has made a success of farming a 20 acre farm of stony hill and a little level land in the south part of the state, is now making up an exhibit for the International Dry Farming Congress. After the show, such an exhibit as is suitable for permanent exhibit will be placed at Lincoln in the department of publicity. When that little fellow came from Switzerland to Nebraska and introduced some of the thrift methods which must of necessity apply to agriculture in his native land, he got results which showed the possibilities of Nebraska land.

An exchange says that beet raisers in Western Nebraska are going to receive \$10 a ton for their beets this season. This is an advance of 100% over the price paid when the beet sugar industry was in its infancy and the increase spells vastly increased prosperity for western Nebraska, which has been prospering wonderfully during the last six or eight years. Yes, and the sugar trust was exacting well toward as much for a pound of sugar then as now. If Uncle Sam had not taken a hand in the game, the sugar would now be selling for twice the present price. Let us hope the war brings us some benefits.

Nebraska has a county, Valley, which it is said produces more popcorn than any other like sized district in the world. It is a profitable crop and is shipped to all parts of the United States. When people settle down to farm our fertile land instead of holding it in blocks for

speculative purposes, there will be mighty few parts of the world that can make a better showing in the production of most any product of the soil which can be successfully grown in the central region of the temperate zone. Of course we are not in it for oranges, bananas, lemons, figs and dates, but the real life-sustaining foods that stick to the ribs thrive here.

The Democrat is publishing an article this week, taken from the Brooklyn Eagle and written by Herbert Friedenwald. It treats with rich frankness the much boasted German culture that we have been duped with for years. It has been considered quite necessary to finish one's education in Germany and time was when we held in awe one who "had studied in Germany." Their arrogance, blind conceit, and culture are all treated very thoroughly in the article and in summing it all up they have nothing to show but a wonderful collection of blunders that are the laughing stock of the civilized nations of today. Read what Mr. Friedenwald says under the heading, "Empty Claims of German Greatness." It will interest you and give you the real truth of the matter.

The leasing of the forest reserve for grazing purposes by the government was bitterly fought a number of years ago by the stockmen who had been securing valuable free range there. But under the lease system the matter becomes one of business and not of favoritism and pull. On the business basis the number of animals for which range is provided is increasing. In 1917 the number of sheep and cattle increased 200,000 and 100,000 each, and this season on top of that increase there will be an addition of 500,000 sheep and half as many cattle. The total grazing permits now granted amount to nine million sheep and two million three hundred and sixty thousand cattle and fifty-one thousand hogs. This shows something of the values which Uncle Sam used to let go by default.

Music serves the public today in a way it has never served before. During this great crisis we need something to keep us untied in spirit. "There can be no severance of purpose," says Governor Brumbaugh, of Pennsylvania, "and I know no more potent power to mold the national will than song. Music is the language of the race universal. It has a meaning that finds interpretation and acceptance in all people. Music is supremely significant in arousing and unifying the American spirit. Take, for example, the work of our great singers and artists that are aiding the government in a way that no other class of people can. We certainly need to keep our lives untied, to be happy and ever willing and ready to do in a cheerful manner the tasks laid out for us, and the frequent enjoyment hearing good music will bring about the right condition within us."

STORE BUILDING FOR RENT

My store building on Second street west of State Bank, has just been vacated and is again for rent. For particulars, write or call C. E. Jones, Carroll, Nebraska. Phone 4-16. 19-2t.

Wayne Bakery for all manner of good things in the way of cakes, cookies, pies, and breads—adv.

SOLDIERS' LETTERS WHICH WILL INTEREST HOME FOLK

Soldiers Call German Bluff

The following thrilling bit of war news is an extract from a soldier's letter under date of April 17, written from "Somewhere in France." It shows that our boys are in the game and in the thick of it, and are taking no Hun insults: "Well, the war is still going on and I wouldn't be surprised if it keeps going for some time yet by the looks of things. There will be something going on before long. The Boches captured two Americans the other day. They cut one poor fellow's throat from ear to ear and threw the body on their wire entanglements. They cut the other fellow's head off and stuck it on the end of a rifle with the sign fastened to it. 'Send this guy's nation's over.' And, believe me, the Americans sent them over all right. They went over the top and cleaned out two Hun trenches, never took a prisoner, just killed every Hun they could find."

Interesting News From England

The following letter was written by a friend of the Democrat who has just arrived in England, a member of the Medical Corps:

Somewhere in England, April 15.

The journey across the pond was very pleasant as a whole. I was very busy all of the time, sometimes until midnight. Two days out the Major turned his duties over to me. He had in charge all medical men and their personnel. He recovered, however, and I was placed in charge of the hospital the remainder of the voyage. Of course I looked around the boat and sized up the sea. It put me in mind of a child with chorea, a ceaseless, senseless movement, tossing to and fro. So blue! As I stood by the rail and looked at that broad expanse of water I felt a profound respect for Columbus. He had his nerve with the little old tubs at his disposal. The outfit could be stored aboard our boat and we wouldn't know we had it.

One night and a day it was very rough. The boat rocked and awakened me. I found my clothing hanging on the ceiling, water glasses chasing each other across the room and the bottle after them both. The dresser at the head of the bed dumped its contents into the bed and what didn't fall into my bed struck the bed opposite, the line Captain's. I turned on the light, nailed things down, and went back to bed and slept braced between the wall and a sideboard on the side of the bed—I believe that is what it is intended for. It answered the purpose anyway.

The ship's log said "on subs." The last twenty-four hours some firing was done by the crews. Of course there were rumors. Some were sure they saw them, but probably there were none. Boat drill every day. I had a number of boats to lower and fill and see that they were not over full. An electric winch did the business.

England, what I have seen of her, is a most beautiful country. Natural and artificial. It should be, of course, as this country was old before we were known. Have traveled some by rail and on foot, also on bicycle. Have one furnished.

I was to church Sunday—Episcopal. An old Abbey, dates back eleven hundred years. Walls are massive, some ten foot thick. The main room is one hundred feet in height. I went to the top to see the chimes. The walls are covered with tablets and certain parts of the floor are made of slabs on which are inscribed: "Here lies the remains of —" I looked it all over during the sermon, but didn't see closely. The light was much subdued by the Memorial windows which were high on the walls. One of the sides showed the effects of bullets in the thick walls. This dated back to Cromwell's time. I have forgotten much of English history but looking at these historical spots refreshes one's memory.

I am feeling fine though the weather is cold and cloudy. Tried to rain some today. Just finished making my bed. Last night I was cold and wakeful—think I drank too much coffee. Food is plain, simple and enough. No frills. Eat with my hat on sometimes. It is a great life. The last day or two aboard everybody slept with their clothes on. Personally I slept with mine on for two nights. I wanted to have an even chance. And I'll tell you I slept. This is a great place to sleep. It is supper time here and dark. I am writing by the light of a lantern that has the asthma. So good-night.

MacGregor "Seeing America First" Atlantic Coast, May 7.

I just arrived in camp a few minutes ago. This camp has barrack buildings to live in but tonight I don't know what I am going to sleep on, as my baggage has not arrived, I may have to sit up all night.

When I left you last Thursday I went direct to the train. We pulled out at 2:30 p. m. and were in the fifth section. There were eight sec-

tions, that is, there were eight trains, of sixteen cars in each train, Pullman and diners. It took us five days and five nights to make the trip. I really enjoyed it because there was something new to be seen all of the time, especially after being in camp so long.

We traveled through Texas, Louisiana, Missouri, Illinois, Arkansas, Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Delaware, and New York. I may have left out a couple of states.

In Missouri one of our men deserted us and we haven't caught him yet. In Madison, Ohio, at 10:30 p. m., just as I was going to sleep, we had a big wreck. Our train of sixteen Pullman cars was going at the rate of fifty-two miles per hour through this small town. A piece of a rod that governs the switch broke as we went across. The engine and ten cars passed over all right but the last six cars ran off the track. A large freight train was going in the opposite direction and instead of going in the ditch, we bumped into the freight for a third of a mile before we stopped.

The last car and the caboose of the freight were smashed all to pieces. The train crew on it were only scratched up a little.

Our car (officer's car) was bumped into pretty badly but no one was even hurt. I thought we never would stop rolling from side to side. You came very near starting to draw insurance at once.

We were delayed here six hours and then we arrived at this place second out of the eight sections. In New York one of our boys fell off the train but was not hurt much. He will come to camp on another train because we didn't know about it until many miles away from where he fell. We paraded in Missouri in one town but only long enough to march from the train through the main streets and back to the train.

Whenever we went through a big city all of the trains blew whistles. In Cleveland and in train streets, c. m. In Cleveland, Buffalo, and New York it was terrible. Every place the people waved at us and we would see girls and mothers weeping as we passed by. Perhaps thinking of some one who has gone "over there."

No one knew we were coming and we did not know where we were going. Such is war.

The trip was beautiful! The farther east we came the better I liked it. From New Jersey we took a big boat and sailed across New York harbor and up the East river, past Manhattan Island and Brooklyn. We passed under the famous bridges and saw some of the great buildings—the Woolworth building, the Singer building, and others. Also the Statue of Liberty. I hope I feel as good when I return from France or "somewhere over there" as I did on that trip.

We saw many vessels and warships and as we were passing a large passenger ship everyone was waving at us. One man became so excited that he fell overboard into the river. All of the ships went to the rescue but I thought they never would get him. They finally did.

I hope all the real excitement with deaths and narrow escapés ends on this side rather than when we are going across.

Our section was the only one of the eight that had such varied experiences as we journeyed.

I have written this hurriedly and with a poor pen. You can hardly read it. Will write more next time.

Your loving husband,
Warren E. MacGregor.

P. S. Give my love to all the folks at home.

You'll miss something good, something out of the ordinary, if you miss seeing "Nancy Starts a Boom" at the opera house, Friday, May 17. Admission 35c and 50c—adv.

High School Senior Class Play

"Nancy Starts a Boom"

A Comedy in Four Acts

Friday, May 17th

Wayne Opera House, 8 p. m.

SYNOPSIS: Nancy Lee, unable to pay tuition, is forced to leave school. She secures a clerkship in a store in a small New England town. Through her business ability she creates a boom, and places Woosam on the map. Mrs. Winthrop-Courtney, a charming society leader, after driving Nancy from school, is obliged to witness her own daughter's chagrin when she hears the announcement of the wedding of Nancy Leigh to the man whom she had selected for a son-in-law.

A rich blending of Love, Pathos, and Fun. Come and enjoy the good play.

Get Seats Reserved at Roberts' Drug Store, Wednesday, at 8 a. m.

Admission 35c-50c

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

State Bank of Wayne

Charter No. 443, in the State of Nebraska at the close of business, May 10, 1918

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$487,472.18
Overdrafts	6,883.09
War Saving Certificates	4,436.38
Liberty Bonds	27,082.50
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	9,000.00
U. S. Certificates of Indebtedness	85,000.00
Current expenses, taxes and interest paid	6,929.44
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	1,500.00
Due from National and State Banks	29,810.79
Checks and items of exchange	10,170.87
Currency	14,045.00
Gold Coin	12,120.00
Silver, nickels, and cents	5,090.12
Total Cash	329,236.69
TOTAL	\$950,540.23

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	40,000.00
Surplus fund	15,000.00
Undivided profits	18,676.63
Individual deposit subject to check	474,346.79
Demand certificates of deposit	4,273.91
Time certificates of deposit	392,213.36
Due to National and State Banks	584.85
Total Deposits	871,418.91
Depositor's guaranty fund	5,444.74
TOTAL	\$950,540.23

State of Nebraska, County of Wayne, ss: I, Rollie W. Ley, 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.

ROLLIE W. LEY,

ATTEST:
HERMAN LUNDBERG, Director.
HENRY LEY, Director.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of May, 1918.
MARTIN L. RINGER, Notary Public.

MAY FESTIVAL

Wayne State Normal

May 23rd

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Artists and
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Rates for telephone service should be based upon the cost of materials and labor and the kind of service furnished.

Wages paid telephone employees in this country are practically double those paid in Europe for the same kind of work.

Telephone materials also cost a great deal more in America than abroad and the grade of telephone service furnished here is far superior as everyone who has traveled in Europe knows.

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Phone Black 69 for prices and particulars.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Household Goods Stored.—Ed. I. Ellis.—adv.

Miss Mae Nelson was a Wausau visitor over Sunday.

Miss Clara Smith of Magnet was a Wayne visitor Friday.

Miss Alma Freitchoff was a Sioux City visitor Saturday.

Miss Nita Foster went to Randolph Friday evening to visit friends a short time.

Miss Smothers of the Normal went to Stuart Friday to visit over Sunday with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Prescott of Bloomfield were business visitors at Wayne Friday.

Miss Amanda Lundberg went to Wakefield Saturday to spend Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. W. R. Olmstead and Mrs. Ed. Merrill of Carroll were Wayne business visitors Friday.

Mrs. J. W. Johnson and daughter Bernice came from Pierson, Iowa, Friday evening to visit at the J. R. Phipps home.

Mrs. D. W. Noakes went to Lake Crystal, Minnesota, Saturday where she will spend a few days with relatives and friends.

Mrs. D. C. Main went to Lincoln Saturday to spend Sunday with her son, Hays, who is attending the University. She will also visit at Omaha before returning.

Miss Pearl Aegerter of Randolph was here Monday morning on her way to Omaha, a delegate to some state meeting of a fraternal nature.

Mrs. Randolph Bolt from Plainview was here last week visiting at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Gus Witt. She returned home Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crockett, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Way and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Riese and daughter Pearl were visitors at Norfolk the first of the week.

Mrs. LeRoy Ley and baby came Monday from Gurley for a visit with Wayne relatives and friends. Mrs. Henry Ley went to Norfolk Sunday evening to meet her and accompany her here.

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Mrs. W. H. Gildersleeve went to Ida Grove, Iowa, last week to visit her brother.

Miss Frances Rohwer was here from Sioux City for a Sunday visit with home folks.

Mrs. Ed Fox of Carroll went to Newcastle Saturday to visit over Sunday with her parents.

Harvey Mason came from Meadow Grove Sunday to visit his parents, J. W. Mason and wife.

Miss Blanche Leary of Winside came Saturday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Dotson.

Mrs. S. A. Wright left Saturday to visit at the home of her brother, J. H. Quinn, at Superior. She plans to remain there for a time.

Mrs. Fred Vogel came Saturday from Marion, South Dakota, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weber just south of town.

Prof. J. G. W. Lewis and Miss Charlotte White went to Hoskins Saturday evening where they were on the program at a patriotic meeting.

Mrs. Emma Cajacob, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. White for a few days, left for her home at Calusa, California, Friday. She expects to stop at several points for visits enroute.

Mrs. P. L. Mabbott went to Geddes, South Dakota, Saturday where she was called on account of the death of her brother's wife, Mrs. W. C. Andrews. Funeral services were held there Sunday and interment was made in the cemetery at Plankinton, their old home.

J. W. Gildersleeve came last week from Hill City, Minnesota, to locate here, and will be on the farm of his brother, Abraham Gildersleeve, this season. Mrs. Gildersleeve and the children came several weeks ago, and he remained to get his belongings into a freight car and come with them. They moved them out Saturday.

Mrs. Weekes in Norfolk Press: When we pass the window of a home at which hangs a service flag with one, two or three stars, we know that within these walls are those who have made the supreme sacrifice and have given to their country the boy or boys whose bodies are part of their very flesh. There is Gethsemane. The flag to us is the holy emblem of a sacred sentiment. When we see flying from the top of a city's flag-pole, as we did at Laurel, or look upon the beautiful crimson body with its blue stars glorifying the walls as it does at Sacred Heart here or at the Normal at Wayne we feel edified at the splendid zeal and patriotism of those organizations, municipal, church, school or fraternal body, that recognize publicly the boys who have offered their lives that country, home and the institutions that make this democracy what it is, may live and that their light may be carried to foreign shores. But when we see a packing house, a great telephone company or some other commercial body, large or small, hang forth that holy banner, we feel hurt, ashamed and the sense of having assisted at the desecration of a soul's sanctuary, just as we feel when we find the beautiful picture of Old Glory decorating the exterior of a can of tomatoes or the sacred crimson cross on a bottle of near-beer. Isn't that service flag a token of sacrifice? No, we do not mean a financial loss, business inconvenience. These are not sacrifices. Isn't that service banner the insignia of suffering, sacrifice, civic pride, fraternal significance of unselfish recognition? Don't put the price mark on so holy an emblem. Pay rolls echo no heart beats.

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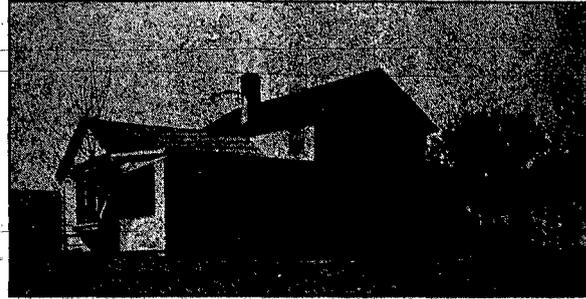
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Modern Wayne Home At Auction!



Having decided to move to Gurley, Nebraska, where I have contracted to build a number of residences and business houses, I will sell my 8-room Kellastone-Stucco finish, fire and water proof residence and a half block lot (150x316 ft.) on First street, four blocks due west of Passenger depot, at Auction

Saturday, MAY 18th

At 2 o'clock p. m.

This house has 50 foot front, 34 foot depth, 16 foot posts, house divided into a parlor, dining room, den, kitchen with breakfast room, bathroom and three bed rooms, with full basement finished in concrete. Equipped with Howard furnace, plumbing complete and electric lights. A brick cave 7x16 feet, with inside entrance, an ideal place for canned fruits, vegetables, etc., and a safe retreat in case of cyclone. A front porch 10x50 feet.

One bed room is an almost out-of-doors room, all windows on south with flower-bench beneath which are 25 cabinet drawers built in. In kitchen and dining room are built-in cabinets and buffet and a breakfast room with windows to east with table and seats. New linoleum on kitchen and bathroom will go with building, also window shades, curtain fixtures, new window screens and screen doors with 1 1-8 screen. House supplied with city water, well water and cistern water.

Outside buildings consist of shop 36x48, chicken house 6x10 with yard 20x40. All buildings will be freshly painted and varnished.

The entire lot is under cultivation, with ideal drainage, mostly sloping to the south.

This house is now open to inspection and I ask anyone wanting an ideal modern home in Wayne, at their own price, to come and carefully examine the property, for it will stand rigid inspection.

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high. He was given a hearing by these officers and learned a lot about patriotism that he had not known before. He entered the council chamber with a bombastic attitude that seemed to mean defeat for the officers of the Council, but they had been up against just such sort of clay before and proceeded to take him from the chart class to the university on what at this time constitutes patriotism. At first he was not inclined to be teachable and undertook to defend his attitude at the hotel and his statements also. He was given a very vivid picture of the county council and its members. He was told about Big Jim Trainor, of Dr. Bennie, Tom Fletcher, and the rest of the fellows who constitute that body. After hearing of the terrible grilling one gets before the county council, he decided that what he was experiencing was a pink

tea when compared to what the others would hand him, so he decided to sign a statement that had been prepared for him and was permitted to go. In leaving he was very careful to state that he had no hard feelings toward the men who had examined him but was surprised to find out that it made no difference to the Nellig parties what he thought of them, as they were doing what they felt was the right thing regardless of what anyone might think of the action.

NOTICE
To George Feddern, Augusta, Ernest C. Bragonier, Olive Bragonier, Brougham Stevenson, Mary Stevenson, real name unknown, wife of Brougham Stevenson, C. M. Ammidown, real name unknown, Mary Ammidown, real name unknown, wife of C. M. Ammidown,

C. W. C. Brandon, real name unknown, and Mary Brandon, real name unknown, wife of C. W. C. Brandon: Notice is hereby given that on the 8th day of May, 1918, the Occidental Building & Loan Association of Omaha, Nebraska, as plaintiff, filed its petition in the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, against the above named defendants, impleaded with other defendants, the object and prayer of which petition is, to foreclose a certain mortgage executed by Roscoe E. Gibson, William M. Gibson and Alice P. Gibson, on the 14th day of July, 1913, in favor of the Occidental Building & Loan Association of Omaha, Nebraska, conveying the West One Hundred (100) feet of Lot Eighteen (18), in Block Five (5), in the original town of Sholes, as surveyed, platted and recorded in Wayne County, Nebraska, as security for the payment of a promissory note, which said mortgage was filed for record in

the Office of Registrar of Deeds of Wayne County, Nebraska, on the 19th day of July, 1913, and recorded in Book 39 of Mortgages at Page 291. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 17th day of June, 1918. Dated this 9th day of May, 1918.

OCCIDENTAL BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION, of Omaha, Nebraska, Plaintiff.

By Ellery H. Westerfield, It's Attorney.

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Reported Weekly By Forrest L. Hughes, Bonded Abstractor, Wayne, Nebraska

(For Week Ending May 13, 1918)

Samuel Barnes & wf to State of Nebraska, lots 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24, blk 25, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$8,000

David Cunningham, et al to State of Nebraska, lots 10 11 12, blk 11, 1st College Hill Add to Wayne, \$350

Kate M. Gaertner & hus to State of Nebraska, lots 7 8, blk 17, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$250

Mary M. Johnson to State of Nebraska, lots 1 2 3 4 5 6, blk 11, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$500

W. E. Wallace et al to State of Nebraska, lots 13 14 15, blk 26, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$375

John N. Short & wf to State of Nebraska, lots 19 20 21 22 23 24, blk 24, lots 9 10 11 12, blk 17, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$2,480

Carrie O. Garrett to State of Nebraska, lots 1 2, blk 25, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$1,900

Henry W. Lessman & wf to State of

Nebraska, lots 5 6, blk 27, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$250

E. B. Chichester to State of Nebraska, lots 13 14 15, blk 24, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$250

Jessie Beckenhauer & hus to State of Nebraska, lots 4 5 6, blk 4, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$250

Emma Hart to State of Nebraska, lots 19 20 21 22 23 24, blk 26, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$2,200

The Citizens Bank of Wayne, Nebr., to State of Nebraska, lots 7 8 9, blk 24, 1st College Hill Add to Wayne, \$500

C. F. Whitney & wf to State of Nebraska, lots 15 16, blk 11, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$250

Dora C. Grimsley & hus to State of Nebraska, lots 7 8 9, blk 26, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$425

Winifred P. Main to State of Nebraska, lots 1 2 3 4 5 6, blk 1, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$390

W. C. Wightman & wf to State of Nebraska, lots 16 17 18, blk 24, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$200

A. S. Mitchell to State of Nebraska, lots 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12, blk 4, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$500

R. H. Skiles & wf to State of Nebraska, lots 1 2 3, blk 24, College Hill

Add to Wayne, \$850

J. G. W. Lewis & wf to State of Nebraska, lots 4 5 6, blk 24, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$175

C. C. Bastian & wf to State of Nebraska, lots 7 8 9, blk 11, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$300

E. C. Perkins & wf to State of Nebraska, lots 13 14, blk 11, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$825

C. D. Martin & wf to State of Nebraska, lots 3 4 7 8 9 10 11 12, blk 27, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$2,500

Andrew J. Ferguson & wf to State of Nebraska, lots 1 2 3 4 5 6, blk 26, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$850

Chas. W. Reynolds & wf to State of Nebraska, lots 10 11 12, blk 26, College Hill Add to Nebraska, \$475

John A. Spere & wf et al to State of Nebraska, lots 1 2 3 4 5 6, blk 26, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$450

S. S. Davis et al to Everett Roberts, w¹/₂ se¹/₄, 5-26-1, \$6,266.66

Ella J. Pile et al to State of Nebraska, lots 7 8 9 10 11 12, blk 14, lots 10, 11, 12, blk 15, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$1,200

Carl Furchner & wf et al to State of Nebraska, lots 17 18, blk 11, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$250

F. C. Crockett & wf to State of Nebraska, lots 16 17 18, blk 26, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$375

Spencer Hardenbergh & wf to I. W. Alter, part of lot 27, Taylor and Wachob's Add to Wayne, \$1,000

Thomas Chris Andersen & wf to Charles E. Lumberry, se¹/₄, 18-26-1, \$16,800

Charles A. Grothe & wf to Jens P. Larsen, lot 9, Taylor's Add to Wayne; lots 7 8, Taylor & Wachob Add to Wayne, \$3,300

Lloyd J. Holcomb to Robert Johnson, lots 10 11, blk 4, Bressler & Paterson's 2d Add to Winside, \$350

David J. Neffleton & wf to Mary A. Barker, lots 16 17 18, blk 18, College Hill Add to Wayne, \$1,900

LAND TAXES AND VALUES VS. SPECULATION PRICES

Because some day in the not far distant future the tax question is bound to come before the people of this and other states for a just settlement, and when that time comes there should be some preparation for a proper understanding of the question, the Democrat is giving place to some opinions of those high in power; men of broad views who are in position to attract attention to their ideas. There are those who differ, of course, and this paper is very willing to give space for the expression of honest effort to inform the people on vital questions:

Land Speculation Versus The Administration

As might be expected, the movement to submit a single tax amendment to the people of California is being opposed. The opposition is organized under the name of "The People's Anti-Single Tax League." But the reasons given for this opposition are surprising. The League objects to the opening to use of 20,000,000 idle acres. It declares as "seemingly patriotic, but immeasurably false" the statement of the single taxers that to do this will help feed and equip the soldiers at the front. Does the Anti-Single Tax League know that in expressing itself in that way it is not challenging the single taxers alone, but President Wilson and other officials prominent in his administration who, since the outbreak of war have insisted on the necessity of putting vacant land to use and increasing the production of crops and other forms of wealth?

The appeal which the Anti-Single Tax League calls "seemingly patriotic but immeasurably false" is substantially the same as President Wilson put forth on April 15, 1917 when he declared it evident to every thinking man that "our industries must be made more prolific;" that farmers should "omit no step that will increase the production of their land;" that young men and old alike should "turn in hosts to the farms and make certain that no palms and labor is lacking" and that "everyone who creates or cultivates a garden helps, and helps greatly, to solve the problem of the feeding of the nation." The League denounces the Single Tax measure because it will take from land speculators the power to hold up workers who want to use their lands. It calls it "confiscation."

Here again it is obstructing the plans of the administration. Secretary of the Interior Lane let it be known what respect is due the alleged rights of land speculators. In a public statement referring to a district containing 700,000 acres of idle lands, he said: "They belong to private owners, and if they do not utilize their property the time may not be far off when our national needs will require confiscation and government cultivation. No one is entitled to that which he does not use."

That last sentence applies as well to the owners of 20,000,000 unused acres in Secretary Lane's own state as it does to owners of similar lands elsewhere. Then again in a letter to Congressman Taylor concerning a bill to stim-

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The Cold Figures of It

ATLANTIC FLEET	254	012	TIRE MILS	1,044,686
PACIFIC FLEET	165	960	TIRE MILS	4,178,744
MOUNTAIN FLEET	155	796	TIRE MILS	1,044,686
PRAIRIE FLEET	198	744	TIRE MILS	1,044,686
LAKE FLEET	217	372	TIRE MILS	1,044,686
DIXIE FLEET	3,285	860	TIRE MILS	1,044,686

TOTAL 4,178,744 TIRE MILES

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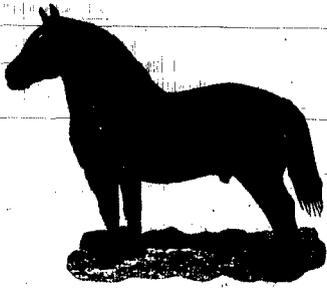
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ulate food production, Secretary Lane declared the first step necessary to be "the securing of the right to use all such private land as is unused." Is the People's Anti-Single Tax League ready to declare Secretary Lane's statement as "seemingly patriotic but immeasurably false?"

Another prominent official who has urged forcing of vacant land into use is Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, Carl Vrooman, who says: "What we need and need badly is a program of taxation which, without throwing additional burdens on the bona-fide farmer, will place land now idle within the reach of men of limited means who possess the ambition and ability to cultivate it."

California Single Taxers are proposing such a tax measure as Assistant Secretary Vrooman declares to be the need of the hour. Many other officials could be quoted along the same line.

Is the Anti-Single Tax League going to oppose them?

DELIVERY OF LOCOMOTIVES BY GOVERNMENT IN JULY

Delivery of the first of the 1,025 locomotives ordered by the Railroad Administration will start in July, and deliveries will continue monthly during the rest of the year. The locomotives are of six standard types, with one heavy and one light style in each type. They vary in weight from 290,000 pounds to 540,000 pounds, and the entire order will cost about \$60,000,000.

The six standard types are expected to eventually supersede the many kinds now in service, which embrace engines built according to 500 or more specifications. According to the Railroad Administration, this is the first real step ever taken toward the wide standardization of locomotives.

An order has also been placed for 100,000 freight cars of standard type to cost between \$250,000,000 and \$300,000,000. Negotiations for the construction of many thousand additional steel freight cars are still pending. The five types of cars ordered represent the standard forms of freight cars adopted by the Railroad Administration.

The adoption of these standard types, it is believed, will eventually substitute a few scientifically worked-out designs for the numerous miscellaneous varieties of cars, representing probably more than a thousand different old styles and specifications now in use, the accumulations of the past.

Saxon "six" car for sale. Enquire at the Democrat office.

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Basket Store News

When a fellow asks you why it is The Basket; selling for spot cash and no delivery, is receiving such liberal patronage, you can put it right down that that fellow isn't posted on prices. He is probably trading at a down town store, his wife has the city (free) delivery up to his house several times a week, pays his account every 90 days, and then tries to kid himself into the belief that he is securing as good values as his neighbor who trades at the cash store.

When you order from Sears Roebuck & Co. you never fail to enclose your little check and when the goods come you go down to the freight house and get them. That's the cash and carry. That's the way the Basket does business, and incidentally we will meet any mail order house prices and give you prompt service.

A farmer made the remark the other day that there were enough men and teams doing free delivery in town, if they were on a farm, could produce enough food stuff to feed the entire population of Wayne county several months. That's why the food administrator advises limited delivery or Cash and Carry.

BASKET STORE PRICES

Friday, Saturday, Monday

- 100 lb. sack chick food . . . \$4.25
- Red River Early Ohio seed potatoes, per bushel . . . \$1.00
- 3 Star Coffee, a 30c per lb. . . 25c
- 40c Coffee, best to be had . . . 3 lbs. for \$1.00
- 1 lb. Calumet Baking Powder . . . 20c
- 15c Jet Oil or Royal shoe polish 10c
- 2 1-3 lbs. pure apple butter, Mason-jar . . . 35c
- 3 yeast foam . . . 10c
- 1 qt. bottle vinegar, pure cider . . . 15c
- 1 qt. bottle ginger ale, 5 bottles . . . 1.00
- 25c Heinz breakfast sauce . . . 18c
- 50c Monarch pure fruit jam . . . 35c
- 1 pt. can ripe olives . . . 16c
- 2 pkgs. condensed mince meat . . . 25c
- 2 No. 2 size decorated lamp chimneys . . . 25c
- Full pack gallon apples . . . 50c
- Full pack gallon tomatoes . . . 50c
- Fancy grade gallon catsup . . . \$1.10
- Not-a-Seed Raisins, full weight . . . 2 for 25c
- 2 lb. can baked beans, tomato sauce . . . 2 for 25c
- 2 lb. can soaked peas . . . 4 for 25c
- Large can sauer kraut . . . 15c
- Santa Clara prunes . . . 2 lbs for 25c
- Palm Olive soap . . . 10c
- 2 cans milk . . . 25c
- Union Leader tobacco, in tins . . . 10c
- Good Japan tea, per lb. . . 40c
- 6 sacks table salt . . . 25c
- Hippo washing powder, large . . . 25c
- Creamery butter, per lb. . . 43c
- 30c red salmon . . . 25c

SATURDAY

AFTER SUPPER SPECIAL

- A 50c Duster Free with one 50c bottle Wizzard polish.
- Cream Cheese, mild, per lb. . . 28c
- Dill pickles, per dozen . . . 20c

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

W. L. Fisher, Phone Red 50. Adv. J. H. Kemp was a business visitor to Norfolk Tuesday.

Mrs. W. J. Rennick was a Sioux City visitor Monday.

Mrs. Al Nelson went to Sioux City Wednesday for the day.

Fortner mixes and sells feed by the pound or ton.—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Jones were Norfolk business visitors Wednesday.

Otto Voget came from Norfolk Tuesday to visit his mother a few hours.

Mrs. Robert Eddie and daughter Eva of Carroll were Wayne visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. J. W. Duncan and Mrs. Ira Newton, of Bloomfield, visited Mrs. Henneger Tuesday.

Misses Gladys and Laura Isom and E. W. Darnell of Winside were Wayne visitors Wednesday.

Wm. Kruse of Highmore, South Dakota, came Tuesday evening for a visit with his brother, August Kruse.

Lots of little chicks these days—get a wire feed pen from Fortner so the larger chicks will not steal their feed.—adv.

Miss Emilie Papez went to Albion Tuesday to visit her parents and a brother who expects to go into the service soon.

Mrs. S. L. Owens and little daughter returned Monday evening from Sioux City where she had been visiting her parents.

Mrs. Arthur Likes went to Norfolk Tuesday to see her mother, Mrs. Maria Wolf, who is taking treatment there for Bright's Disease.

Miss Margaret Goshen, of Bonesteel, South Dakota, who has been visiting Mrs. G. A. Lamberson for a week, left for her home Tuesday.

I have just received a large list of Colorado land in the Julesburg territory that is priced right. Can go and show this land at any time.

Mrs. Agnes Kiplinger came Sunday from Dallas, Texas, to visit Wayne friends and look after some business matters. She is a guest at the A. R. Davis home.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Fox went to Carroll Tuesday to visit their daughter, Mrs. J. H. Smith. They expect to go to Garnet, Kansas, to visit relatives before returning.

V. L. Dayton was at Omaha Friday evening to attend a meeting of the Nebraska breeders of Holstein cattle, an association of which he is one of the state officers.

"Nancy Starts a Boom" is the name of the class play to be given at the Wayne opera house, Friday evening, May 17, by the members of the class of '18. Admission 35c and 50c. Don't miss it.—adv.

Harry Craven left Wednesday afternoon expecting to return today with Mrs. Craven who has been at Rochester, where she underwent a serious operation. All hope that she comes home to be restored to perfect health.

Don't forget the class play to be given by the Seniors of the High school, Friday night, May 17. It is a comedy in four acts to be given at the opera house. You will miss a good one if you miss this. Admission 35c and 50c.—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Williams of Randolph, who went to Hot Springs, Arkansas, several months ago, thinking the baths there would benefit Mr. Williams' health, returned Tuesday evening. Mr. Williams suffered a paralytic stroke recently and was brought home in a serious condition.

It is economy to grind feed, especially now that grain is so costly. Two bushels ground are said to have the feeding value of three bushels unground—how can you increase your grain value faster? Fortner is prepared to do the grinding that will make money for you.—adv.

Wm. Morgan is here from Cheyenne county. He tells us that their daughter, Marjorie, was taken suddenly ill three weeks ago and the case being diagnosed appendicitis, she was taken at once to Omaha where she was in a critical condition for three weeks, but is now convalescing.

Mrs. A. W. Parker arrived Tuesday from Fort Sill, Oklahoma, with her children and will visit her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Owens, for several weeks, then go to Cody, Wyoming to stay with her husband in the service. The Major left the first of the week for France with his regiment from Fort Sill.

Mrs. Ida Clossen Clark, of Sholes, went to Omaha Wednesday to meet friends from Camp Cody, New Mexico, who are enroute from San Francisco, California, to the camp. Mrs. Clark informed the Democrat reporter that Miss Olive McBeth, a former teacher of expression at the Normal, is leaving for France soon as a stenographer, letter writer, and entertainer for the soldiers. She has been a teacher at Silver City, New Mexico.

Take the cream to Fortner. adv.

Mrs. Henry Suhr is visiting at Sioux City today.

Soda-flavored as you like it—at Wayne Bakery.—adv.

Mrs. L. B. Palmer was here from Hubbard Tuesday to visit and look after business matters.

Mrs. E. F. Paine returned to Sioux City today after a pleasant visit here with Mrs. H. M. Crawford.

Miss Martha Weber came over from Norfolk Tuesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weber.

Mrs. H. H. Richmond of Scottsbluff is here visiting her father, C. D. Martin, and her brother, F. O. Martin.

Mrs. H. S. Hancock and Mrs. Anson Miles of Bloomfield were calling on friends here Wednesday.

Mrs. S. O. Anderson, of Chadron, arrived Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Spike.

Economy simply means buying Campbell's Tip-Top Bread—arrives every morning. Basket Store.—adv.

Friday night is lady's night at the Yeoman, and the ladies tell that it will be a great treat for the brother archers.

For bargains in Real Estate and City property see W. L. Fisher. Office over Berry & Berry's abstract office. Adv.

Mrs. Warren Shultheis and Mrs. Robert Mellor went to Fort Riley today to visit Warren Shultheis, who is in the medical corps.

Mrs. Henry Klopping left this afternoon for Fort Riley to see her son Bryan who will leave the latter part of the week for France.

Misses Mabel Middleton and Lucille Tuttle went to Laurel today to attend the funeral of Bert Shively who died at Camp Cody, New Mexico, May 13.

I have some good Iowa farms, 25 miles from Sioux City, close to town, best of soil and lays good. Price \$150 per acre on good terms. W. L. Fisher, over Berry & Berry's office. Adv.

Panama hats cleaned and made to look like new at the Wayne Cleaning and Dye Works. Owing to the scarcity of labor, I advise you to have the work done now and save delay later. Adv. 19-11.

Ice cream, cakes, pies, etc., for your picnic refreshments may be obtained at the Wayne Bakery without having mother and sister too weary to enjoy the outing—try it the next time. Wayne Bakery.—adv.

Editor Peck of the Randolph Times was a caller at this office Friday. He was called from his home at Randolph by the news of the sudden death of a relative at Council Bluffs, Iowa, and with Mrs. Peck was on the way to the funeral.

Invitations are out inviting relatives and friends to the country home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Griffith, Wednesday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock to witness the marriage of their daughter Edna to Dr. Elmer G. Peterson, of Rawlins, Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith from near Carroll left this morning by automobile to visit relatives in Kansas.

Mrs. S. Fox of this place accompanied them. Topeka and Garnett are two of the places they will stop at and a number of other points.

A great deal of time has been put in on the high school play this year and you will miss a treat if you miss it. "Nancy Starts a Boom" is the comedy they are giving. See it at opera house, Friday, May 17. Admission 35c and 50c.—adv.

Mrs. Frank Gaergher and son Francis and daughter Florence came from Dubuque, Iowa, where the lad had been attending college when taken ill. Mrs. G. and daughter were with him several weeks before he was able to accompany them home.

Revival meeting have been going on for over a week at the Baptist church and in spite of many other things going on at this time, a goodly number of people have been in attendance each night. Evangelists Sherrod and Allen are interesting men and are doing a great good here.

On Friday, May 3, President and Mrs. Conn, accompanied by Miss Mack, Miss Marsaline Lewis and Miss Gertrude Tienken, motored to Madison to attend a cantata given by the pupils of Miss Ardath Conn, supervisor of music and art in the Madison public schools. Miss Tienken, with Miss Lewis at the piano, danced a solo impersonating a rose.

Henry Rethwisch from Carroll was at Sioux City with a car of beef from his pens and came home with a wind of pork money. Chas. Denzler from the same port was at Omaha with a car of cattle the same day and from the report of weights and prices his cattle sold for \$212.38 each, which is a pretty good price for 1242 pounds of steer. Some one tells us the price per cwt., who is good at figures, and who has to buy beef at the meat market.

What appeals stronger to one than a dish of delicious ice cream in such weather as this? The Wayne Bakery serves the right kind and just as it should be served.—adv.

The Wayne State Normal

Senior Class Play

"Joan Of Arc"

Normal Auditorium

Tuesday, May 21, 1918

Under the direction of
MISS JOSEPHINE MACK

Admission - 26c and 55c

Seats on Sale Friday Evening at the Roberts Drug Store

Ice cream and cool soft drinks at the Wayne Bakery.—adv.

Wm. Assenheimer of Akona was a visitor at Sioux City Wednesday.

George Fortner is looking after his Cheyenne county land this week.

List your city property with me. W. L. Fisher, office over Berry & Berry's office. Adv.

A farewell meeting for the Young Ladies Bible Study Circle is meeting Thursday evening from 5 to 7.

Mrs. F. L. Richards came from Fremont Tuesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Shull, for a short time.

Security Call and Pig Food—places back in the milk what is taken out by the separator at one-third the price.—Basket Store.—adv.

Owing to a bit of machine delay today's Democrat is a little late, and several items which should have appeared are still on the hook.

Miss Florence Wright returned Wednesday from Creighton, where she has been teaching, and has closed a successful term of school.

Wm. Rennick and Joe Munsinger returned Wednesday by automobile from a trip to Lansing, Michigan. They found all kinds of roads, and the worst were not in Nebraska. One day they drove in a rain and only made 150 miles, which was but a little more than half the distance made their best day. Illinois won the prize in their opinion for the worst roads.

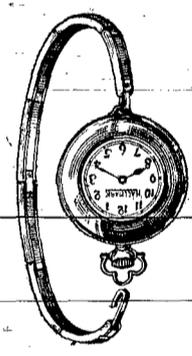
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DOCTORS CALLED TO SERVICE

"Every able bodied doctor under fifty-five years of age who can pass the examination is needed in the government service," says Major Jump of the Surgeon-General's staff in Washington, who recently visited Omaha to attend the annual convention of the Nebraska Medical Association. The convention was one of the most largely attended in the fifty years history of the organization, although one-third of its members are in service. Col. John M. Bannister of Omaha was elected president, and Dr. H. J. Lehnhoff of Lincoln, chairman of the council.

If you have any land or city property to sell or trade list it with me as I am prepared to handle all kinds of Real Estate deals. W. L. Fisher, over Berry & Berry's office. Adv.

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EMPTY CLAIMS OF GERMAN GREATNESS

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Herbert Friedenwald in the Brooklyn Eagle: "The German nation—the most capable nation in the world—is more richly endowed with talents and faculties than even the Greeks and Romans were."

So says the preface to a "Universal Edition" of one of Beethoven's sonatas that has been recently issued in Leipzig, officially subsidized, and recommended by the imperial and royal department of public instruction of Austria-Hungary.

"This study of the sonata Op. III," the preface declares, "was written during the first year of the world war. In the supreme distress of this conflict, so criminally imposed upon the German people, Beethoven, with a few other great names, appeared to us as a truly tutelary and consoling spirit—as the most precious talisman of a nation whom the enemy powers, themselves so backward, have dared to insult by calling it barbarian. In this world war Beethoven has taken part in many a battle. He has won victories. Harder battles are preparing for the German people, and those also Beethoven will help us to win."

The preface does not remark that Beethoven's ancestors came from a village in Belgium near Louvain! No. The commentator overlooks that significant fact. And it is a fact that must be taken into account in any audit of modern Germany's claim to a rich endowment of "talents and faculties."

The modern German kultur that massacred the inhabitants of Louvain, burned its famous library, and destroyed its beautiful old buildings

—that kultur still pretends to be the culture of Beethoven. It is a typical German pretense. * * *

Since Germany turned to kultur it has produced no Beethovens. It has had no musicians to rank with those of other nations. It has had no one to rival the Russians, Tschaiakowsky and Moussorgsky and Rimsky-Korsakoff, or the French—Massenet and Cesar Franck and Debussy, or the Italian Mascagni and Puccini and Wolf-Ferrari. It has not even produced the great singers, violinists and pianists of our century.

Of the modern violinists, Isaye is a Belgian, Kreisler is an Austrian, Elman and Zimbalist and Helfetz are Russians, and Spalding is an American. Of the pianists, Paderewski is a Pole, Hoffman is an Austrian, Godowsky is a Russian, Harold Bauer is an Englishman, Bloomfield-Ziesler is an American and Carreno is a South American. Of the singers, Sembrich is a Pole, Schumann-Heink is a Bohemian, Gluck is a Roumanian, Galli Curci, Caruso and Scotti are Italians, Mary Garden is Scotch-American and Homer and Farrar are Americans. The most distinguished of present day cellists are Casals, a Spaniard, and Gerardy, a Frenchman.

The boasted musical culture of modern Germany has trained neither composers nor the artists to interpret composers. Beethoven has become the "tutelary and consoling spirit" of a nation that is capable only of destroying the home of Beethoven's ancestors.

There is an art that has been added to culture, since kultur was developed. The very idea of a German practitioner of that art is laughable. One cannot think of a German interpretative dancer without a smile. Isadora Duncan is an American. Her rivals, Pavlova, Lopokova and Mord-

ini and Nijinsky are Russians, Ruth St. Denis is an American and the fairy-like Gence is a Dane. * * *

In no period of the world's history has there been a German painter to rank with the great masters—with Rembrandt, Michael Angelo, Raphael, Da Vinci, Titian, Rubens, Van Dyke or Velasquez. In the arts of sculpture and architecture, those two glories of Greece and Rome, no German has excelled. The sculpture of Berlin is the joke of civilization. Could anyone who has seen the monstrosities of modern German architecture think of going to Berlin, as thousands go to Paris, for his education? Could a nation with any sense of grace and beauty be capable of such abominations as the sculpture of the Sieges-Allee? "When we get to Berlin," the French officer said, "we'll take an awful revenge. We'll leave it exactly as it is."

It was Goethe who wrote of Berlin: "To tell the truth, we all lead a miserably isolated existence here. We meet with but little sympathy from the common herd around us. * * * Personal intercourse and vivi voce interchange of thought is a matter of rare occurrence. * * * Only imagine, however, a city like Paris, where the cleverest heads of a great kingdom are grouped together in one spot. * * * Where every thing that is of most value in the kingdoms of nature and art from every part of the world is daily opened to inspection, and all this in a city where every bridge and square is associated with some great event of the past, and where street corners have a page of history to unfold. And withal not the Paris of a dull and stupid age, but the Paris of the 19th century, where for three generations such men as Moliere, Voltaire and Diderot have brought into play a mass of intellectual power such as never can be met with a second time on any single spot in the whole world."

And it was Alexander von Humboldt who called Berlin "an intellectual desert, an insignificant city devoid of literary culture."

Germany never has had a Shakespeare. It has had no one to rank with Dante or Milton or Moliere. Goethe has been its greatest name. In the modern art of fiction it has produced no world figures to rival the masters of France and Russia and England. Where is its Balzac or its Tolstoy! Where, in drama, is its Ibsen? In all the arts but music the German nation has been less "richly endowed with talents and faculties" than any other civilized people of our day. Outside of its claim to being "the most capable nation in the world," it has not even invented its own fairy tales. Grimm's Fairy Tales are adaptations from the Slavic. All that the Grimms did in many cases was to change the logical unhappy ending of the original stories and give them the weak sentimental German conclusion of "happy ever after." * * *

It is as adapters of the discoveries of others that German scientists, too, have made their way. There has been among them no Galileo, no Francis Bacon, no Isaac Newton. Germany has prided herself on her contributions to chemistry, but the French Lavoisier is by all regarded as the founder of modern or quantitative chemistry. Dalton, the Englishman, established the atomic theory; and Mendeleef, the Russian, discovered the periodic law which classifies the elements according to their weight. And the "new" chemistry dates from 1896, when the Frenchman Becquerel of the fourth generation of a great family of great chemists, showed that compound of uranium evolves some sort of radiation which impresses a photographic plate, and thus paved the way for the epoch-making discoveries in radioactivity of Madame Curie.

In the great work that has been done to develop the evolutionary theory no German can claim to have been a pioneer, and he would be bold, indeed, who accorded pre-eminence to Haeckel and Weissmann, as against Lamarck and Darwin and Alfred Russel Wallace, or the Swiss Mendel, or the Dutch Hugo De Vries, on whose investigation the wonders wrought by Luther Burbank are so largely based.

With all the attention paid by German scientific men to the minutiae of investigation we might have expected that theirs would be the credit for the modern germ theory, but this great contribution to civilization was left to the genius of Pasteur to make. He is best known among laymen for his discovery of a cure for rabies, but notable as this is, it was the least of a long series of gifts with which he enriched the world. He revolutionized chemical biology; he created chemical pathology; and he established the germ theory of infection. His great pupil and successor was Metchnikoff, a Russian. Is it not retributive justice that while Pasteur's bitterest opponents were German, ultimately one of the foremost of German pathologists, Koch, was enabled to make his discoveries only by adopting Pasteur's theories

and following out his observations? Of the many discoveries and inventions that have made the 19th and 20th centuries perhaps the most memorable of all time, hardly one is of German origin. Germans did not invent the steam engine, nor, with their notorious facility for adapting the discoveries of others, did they apply it to railway or to ship transportation. England and the United States had the genius to present these contributions to civilization. The typewriter is not German, nor the telegraph. These and the trans-Atlantic cable we owe to an American. As is well known, that instrument of convenience, the telephone, owes its origin to Alexander Graham Bell, a Canadian. Without the epoch-making experiments of Langley, supplemented by the genius of the Wright brothers, the world might have had to wait many years for the perfection of the airplane, which has been put to such significant use in the present war, though the practice of utilizing it for the purpose of murdering women and children had its origin in the German brain. The utilization of gas for illuminating purposes is an English discovery, and we are indebted to our English Brush and to Edison for the electric light, as we also owe to the latter the phonograph. We need hardly be reminded that the submarine is American and that Marconi gave us the wireless. The Germans perfected only that greatest failure of this war, the Zeppelin. * * *

Let us not deprive the Germans, however, of a credit that is justly theirs. They first employed poisonous gas to make the horrors of war more horrible, and, with characteristic stupidity, they employed it on the western front, where the prevailing winds are so constantly against them that the allies now smother them at will in a reproduction of their own villainy. Also, a German, Otto, invented the gas engine, and Daimler, the internal combustion engine, using a product of petroleum as fuel, although it was Panhard, a Frenchman, who first saw its possibilities as applied to motor vehicles.

Sugarless Desserts (From the Goldenrod)

Sugarless desserts was a problem assigned to a member of the advanced cooking class and Miss Hazel Olson worked out several recipes, which, after being tried by the class, were voted successful. Miss Olson took as her proportion: 1 cup of sugar equivalent to 1 1/4 cups syrup minus 1/4 cup liquid. The recipes follow:

YUM-YUM PUDDING
1 cup cooked cereal (left over); 1/2 cup Karo syrup; 1/2 cup milk; 1/2 cup raisins, 2 eggs.

Put all together into a double boiler. When smooth turn into a buttered baking dish and bake 40 minutes. Serve with cream.

KARO ICE CREAM
1 1/2 cup cream; 1 1/2 cup milk; 1 1/2 cup syrup; 1 pinch salt 1 1/2 teaspoon vanilla.

Mix milk and cream. Add syrup, salt, vanilla to cream mixture. Freeze and serve plain or with English walnuts chopped over the top, or with Honey Brazil.

MARSHMALLOW CREAM
1 tablespoon granulated gelatin; 4 tablespoons cold water; 1/4 cup boiling water; 1 cup Karo syrup; 2 egg whites; few drops fruit coloring; 1/2 cup shredded pineapple; 1/2 cup chopped English walnuts; pinch of salt.

Soak gelatin in cold water. Add boiling water. Beat egg whites very stiff, adding pinch of salt. When gelatin is cold add it very slowly to beaten egg whites, beating constantly. Beat in the syrup slowly. Add flavoring and nuts. Mold one-half of mixture in pan lined with oiled paper and color the remainder a pink color. Put a layer of shredded pineapple (drained) on the mold then put over it the pink mixture. Chill, and serve with whipped cream.

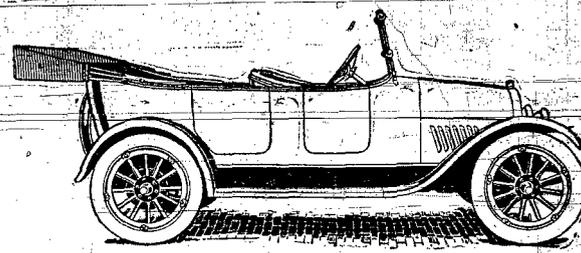
LEMON PIE
1 cup Karo syrup; 1 cup milk; 2 tablespoons cornstarch; 3 eggs; rind and juice of 1 large lemon; pinch of salt.

Cook Karo, milk and cornstarch together in a double boiler for 15 minutes. Beat the yolks of 2 eggs and 1 whole egg slightly and stir smooth with first mixture. Add the lemon juice and rind of the lemon and the salt. Cook one minute. Fill the paste while hot and bake in a quick oven. When cool make meringue of the whites of the two eggs and return to the oven to brown.

APRICOT MOUSSE
1 1/4 cups dried apricots; 3 1/2 cups water; 2 cups cream; 1 tablespoon gelatin dissolved in 1 cup of water; 1/2 cup syrup.

Wash and soak apricots. Cook in same water. Remove skins and run through strainer. Heat syrup and water; add the dissolved gelatin and fruit pulp. Chill; as mixture thick-

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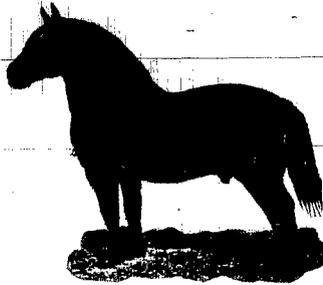
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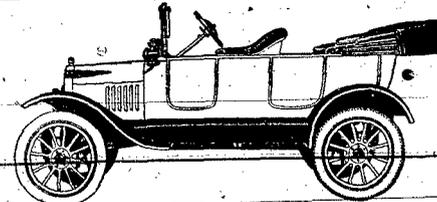
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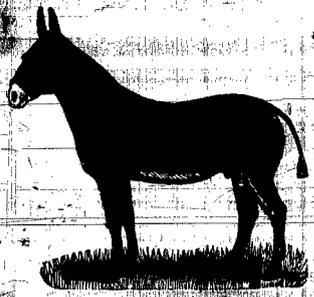
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THE LIBERTY LOAN AND THE NEWSPAPERS

The relation of the newspapers of the country to the Liberty Loan and other governmental efforts is expressed in the telegram of Secretary McAdoo to the editors assembled in New York last week in attendance on the meeting of the Newspaper Publishers' Association:

"Will you be good enough to express to the members of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, now in session, my sincere wish and warm appreciation of the great service they have rendered to their country by their consistent, unselfish and patient support of the successive Liberty Loans, which have been offered by the Treasury Department.

"These loans could not have succeeded without the support of the newspapers, and it gives me great pleasure to make this acknowledgment. An enlightened public opinion is the chief asset of a democracy. By keeping the people of America informed on public events and transmitting word of the Government, the American newspapers have performed a public and incalculable service to the Nation. I know that the service will be continued and that the newspapers will do their full share in assisting America to win this war for democracy and justice."

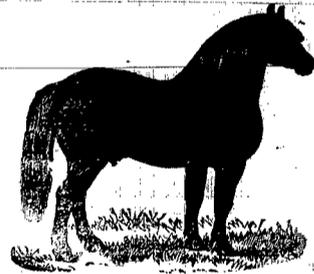
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ABSENCE DID HELP

By CATHERINE PARSONS.

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Katrina flung her book on the ground and sprang to her feet impatiently.

"I'm a fool," she told herself crossly. "A stupid, silly girl! I came here to get away from Carter—because I thought I hated him—and I've never passed such a miserable week in my life!"

"Hello!" piped a shrill, childish voice near her. Katrina looked around and saw a small ragged little girl regarding her intently.

"I live over the hill in the gray house," she began by way of introduction. "I seen you sittin' here yesterday and you looked so sad that I thought maybe you got some trouble, too."

Katrina smiled. "How old are you?" she asked with more interest.

"I ain't sure. Ma says I'm nine and Pa says ten. There's so many of us, we get mixed. We got eleven in all, countin' my cousin that spends a week with us once a year, an' Joe when he marries Mollie—if they do get married now. That's another trouble."

"Is your sister engaged?"

"Well, she's been keeping company with Joe, but they've broke up now. Ma says it's all fooliness and she's awful upset cause she thought she'd got Mollie off her hands for keeps. And Mollie cries and says she hates him and she won't ever get married to no one! I gotta go, now, it's supper time, I guess. I'll be round tomorrow, if I get time. My name's Elfreda, after my aunt that died. Good-by."

The next afternoon Elfreda came again. She was fairly bursting with excitement.

"What do you think has happened?" And, without waiting for an answer, she went on: "Mollie's made it up with Joe, and they're goin' to be married. Ain't it grand?"

"Indeed it is, dear. How did it happen?"

"Yesterday when Mollie was over to her place to work, the lady was all broke up because a young feller she knew had gone away from home to stay always because some girl give him the slip. An' she told Mollie if folks would have more sense such things wouldn't happen. When Mollie come home she said I could take a note to Joe, an' I did an' he grinned and said I was a good girl. He gave me a penny, too!"

For a moment there was silence, then the child seized Katrina and pointed at two figures crossing a nearby field. The man had his arm about the girl and their faces were radiant.

"That's them!" whispered Elfreda. "Ain't they made it up great!"

"Will you mail a letter for me, on your way home?" asked Katrina. "It won't take me a second to write."

It was dusk in the field by the old apple tree, but Katrina had forgotten all about time. She was thinking that the letter ought to reach Carter the next evening. Would he come? Wearily, she leaned her head against the tree and closed her eyes.

Unseen by her, a young officer hurried across the field towards the rustic seat. When he was quite near he called cheerfully: "Wake up and speak to me!" Katrina opened her eyes and for a moment gazed at him dazedly. Then, light dawned and she sprang to her feet.

"Why, Carter!" she cried. "You got your commission! Oh, isn't it wonderful. But what made you come? Tell me, quickly, please."

"Well, you see, I just couldn't keep away. I've missed you so, and I've hated myself terribly, and then, yesterday I got my commission and I'll have to go away, and I had to see if you would go with me—I knew you would never send for me, so I came."

"But I did send for you—the letter went an hour ago. And I begged you to come—shamelessly, I did!" His arms went about her.

"What made you do it, dearest?" he asked her.

"A ragged, dirty little girl. She made me feel so mean and lonely and miserable that there wasn't anything else for me to do!" Then, her voice changed, and she caught her breath in a sob. "Oh, Carter, I've missed you so dreadfully! There hasn't been a night when I have not cried myself to sleep and Aunt Alice thinks I am perfectly mad, I know. Please never leave me again—please!"

"I guess not! We'll be married the minute we get home!"

The next day Elfreda called to ask Katrina to come to Mollie's wedding. "I'm sorry, dear, but I'm going home—to my own wedding," she told her.

"How will I do for a husband?" asked Carter, with mock fear in his voice. "Elfreda looked him over appraisingly. "Well, I guess you're all right, but of course you ain't Joe!"

Katrina and Carter laughed happily.

"Here's a present for Mollie," professed Katrina, slipping a bracelet from her arm. "And I hope she'll be as happy as I am!"

First European Artesian Well.

The first artesian well to be bored in Europe of which data is available is the tube well at Grenelle, in France, which was sunk by the French government between 1834 and 1841, in the hope of obtaining a sufficient supply of water for Paris. The depth is 1,798 feet, at which level a prolific supply of water was reached, giving an overflow at the surface of 600 gallons per minute.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By MELVIN STEVENS.

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All's fair, they say, in love and war; which accounts for the fact that Lieut. David Ashley and Private John Robeson were in love with the same girl.

Less than a year ago, before the war cloud overshadowed all other considerations, they had both been promising young business men of Glendale, N. J. Every morning they took the 8:29 train for New York, and every evening they caught the 4:50 back to Glendale, hoping that Margery Smith would be free to entertain them after supper.

So things stood when President Wilson declared a state of war existed between this country and Germany.

"It means that we'll send hundreds of thousands of soldiers over there," Dave announced. "And believe me, I'm going to be one of the first to go."

But John laughed disparagingly. "It doesn't mean any such thing," he answered. "All we'll do will be to patrol our coast more carefully and to make more munitions for the allies."

And so, according to their lights, Dave applied for entrance to the First Officers' Training camp at Fort Myer, Va., and John continued his duties as assistant manager for James McCullum & Sons. In the course of a few months Dave was commissioned a first lieutenant; and John, his skepticism suddenly dissolved, found himself drafted into the National army. A short time later he was ordered to report to Camp Dix, N. J., where he found Lieut. David Ashley as one of his company officers.

Meanwhile, the contest for Margery's hand had progressed merrily. Taking advantage of the axiom that all is fair in love and war, John had had a rather glorious time of it during Dave's three months at the training camp. Margery was rather lonesome; and although she wrote at least twice a week to Dave, she welcomed John's visits. So, when November found both Dave and John at Camp Dix, the latter had drawn almost on even terms with his rival.

But as an officer Dave had the easier time of it. Occasionally he found it necessary to give orders to his rival, but when he did so there was a twinkle in his eye which robbed the situation of all bitterness. In the matter of leaves of absence, he was perfectly fair also. Each of the men was permitted to visit home once every two weeks, and Dave managed to fix up things so that he and John alternated on their visits to Glendale.

Things might have gone along without change until the end of the war, but one evening Dave's division commander told him that within three weeks it was expected that the young officer would be ordered to report at Camp McClellan, down in Annapolis, Ala.

It was Friday when he received word of his probable transfer, and on the following Sunday it was his turn to visit Glendale. He told Margery then that it was probably his last visit; and something in her eyes filled him with a sudden hope. But although his brain urged him to ask her the question which quivered on his lips, his heart failed him in a most unsoldier-like manner; so he went back to Camp Dix feeling very much as if the bottom had fallen out of the world.

But when his last Sunday in the Northern cantonment approached, and he pictured John Robeson sitting before the big grate fire in Margery's library, he hurried to company headquarters and talked long and earnestly to Margery over the telephone.

"Of course I'll be glad to visit camp," she said. "I—I was wondering if you were going South without seeing me again."

Dave wondered, too, how he could ever have thought of such a thing, and when he met Margery at the station the next morning, he told her so.

They had lunch together in a way-side inn which was really a converted farmhouse, and after they had finished eating, they sat still for a long time and just looked at each other across the table.

"Why didn't you plan to come to Glendale this Sunday?" Margery asked finally.

"I did," Dave answered, "but I knew that with John there, I couldn't say what I wanted to. It wouldn't have been fair to cancel John's leave of absence, because I had promised him not to early in the fall; so the only thing I could do was to have you here."

Margery nodded.

"What did you want to say to me?" she asked.

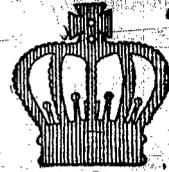
The room was deserted, the waitress had miraculously disappeared; and so Dave told her what he had wanted to say for ages. And when he had finished she reached her hand across the table and told him, so softly that he hardly heard, that she had always been very much in love with him.

And back in Glendale John Robeson tramped disconsolately to the railroad station and wondered what in the world had happened to take Margery so suddenly away from home.

But all's fair, they say, in love and in war.

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Dr. House Speaks At Lincoln

(From the Goldenrod)

Dr. House delivered an address on Friday evening, May 13, to the State History Teachers' Association at Lincoln on the subject: "The Relation of Sociology to the Teaching of History." The address was well received by the association and furnished to a large extent the theme for the discussion of the meeting.

The main thesis of Dr. House is that teachers of history—must know sociology, and furthermore, not sociology as it is sometimes understood, a program of reform or a clinic in bad social conditions, but sociology as a correlating, synthesizing science, which aims to fit into a harmonious scheme all other sciences of which history is one, and to shape and modify human conduct. In support of this thesis, Dr. House devoted

some time to the history of the development of sociology and its definition. He then showed how at least three of the methods and aims of sociology would be very valuable for both students and teachers of history, namely, the realization of the complexity of human affairs, the problem-solving attitude, and the idea of social control.

The teacher and student must first learn that human relations are not usually simple, but are infinitely complex; that they are like a net which if it touched at one point must be affected at every other point. Then, too, teachers should cultivate the problem-solving attitude—the attitude which seeks to know all the possible solutions to a given problem and to choose which is best. This attitude, in the opinion of Dr. House, is not especially cultivated by the

present method of high school and college debating, which sets up an arbitrary goal and resorts to sharp practice to reach it.

Finally, Dr. House emphasized the idea of studying history and kindred subjects not merely as disinterested spectators or investigators but as participants in the great struggles of humanity. He would have sociology and history help to control and mold institutions while these same institutions are being studied. All of these points were supported by concrete examples from events and movements of world history.

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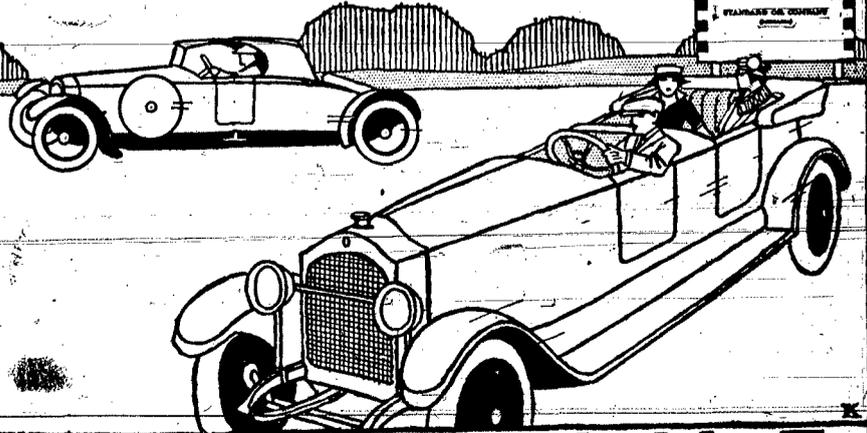
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"How'd you know his razor needed honing?" he was asked.

"I could tell by the sound of it as he drew it over the man's face. I can stand here working and tell how every razor in this shop is working by the sound as the barbers shave their customers."

The Guachos of South America have very acute powers of hearing. They count the units when the galloping of horses or cattle is heard a long time before they can be seen, and by their count the Guachos can tell just how many cattle or horses there are in the herd, or if it is a party of mounted men, how many are mounted and whether they are driving horses or cattle before them.

There are 2500 telegraph wires all clattering at once in an office on Congress street, yet each operator sits at his own instrument, and reads what it says unmindful of the confusion all around him.

A freight trainman riding on top can tell by the sound when there's a flat wheel in his train, and when he does hear it he "goes over the top" after it, in order to set the car out at the first siding to prevent ruining the wheels.

Some railroads were in the habit of paying the brakemen a premium of 25 cents for every flat wheel they found.

Count Leo Tolstoy in his youth laid down a large number of rules for his own guidance, says Every Week.

"March 8th. Yesterday it was late before I opened my eyes, but eventually I got the better of myself."

Although unbridled rage is helpful in fight among the lower animals, needless to say it is the reverse of serviceable in the deliberate fighting of man against man.

The Rural Home club will meet with Mrs. W. A. K. Neely Thursday, May 23. This is the time set for election of officers and every member is urged to attend.

The Pleasant Valley Club is meeting today with Mrs. Eric Thompson. The time will be spent in Red Cross work. Refreshments will be served.

The Nimble Thimblers are meeting today with Miss Gertrude Coryell at the Johnson farm. Red Cross work is taking up their time.

Miss Mack Entertains Club - The Zarathustra Club was highly entertained Saturday evening, May 4, by Miss Josephine Mack.

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SOCIAL NOTES

Bible Study Circle

Mrs. Carl Clasen was hostess at a very interesting meeting of the Bible Study Circle Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Cross paid a fine tribute to the Carl Clasen family as to their spirit of faithfulness in church and community and bespoke a good future for them in their western home.

Two weeks from Tuesday the circle will meet with Mrs. E. B. Young in regular session and all are cordially welcome.

D. A. R. With Mrs. Britell

The D. A. R. ladies met with Mrs. I. H. Britell Saturday afternoon and spent a very happy time.

Mrs. Ringland was leader for the day and took for her subject "The World's Scientists in the Life and Death Race."

Mrs. Britell served delicious refreshments.

P. N. G. With Mrs. Lamberson

The P. N. G. club met with Mrs. Geo. Lamberson Monday afternoon. The afternoon was greatly enjoyed.

The U. D. Club holds picnic - The U. D. club held a picnic at the Country Club Friday afternoon and evening and report a splendid time.

A dinner party was given at the E. W. Huse home Sunday in honor of Miss Mary Hurley.

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HOUSEHOLDERS MAY HAVE 25 POUNDS OF SUGAR FOR CANNING AND PRESERVING

Omaha, May 16.—Householders may buy 25 pounds of sugar for canning and preserving purposes at one time, provided they sign certificates which will be presented by their retailer.

Householders may buy as often as they need the sugar for canning purposes. The limit was placed by Gordon W. Wattles, following advice from Washington.

Merchants will be held responsible for a reasonable application of the privileges of selling sugar for canning purposes, says Mr. Wattles.

Beginning May 15, using sugar, must also be on the certificate plan. Essential manufacturers may have 100% of their requirements.

FLAG UNION

Roy Halladay has a new "Dor" car. Mrs. L. C. Bruggeman and daughter Fanny attended the Laurel Cemetery Association meeting which was held at Lyon Center church last Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Nelson, of Fallon, Montana, came Tuesday to see her mother, Mrs. Otto Hogelin, who is soon to undergo an operation.

Those from this vicinity who attended the Service Flag Raising at Hartington Thursday were Roy Halliday and mother; C. C. Craig and Milton, Wm. Young and family and H. C. Lyons and family.

Ground is in excellent condition and one-half of the corn planting is done.

Red Cross met with Mrs. Henry Harmeler Friday and is to meet on Wednesday with Mrs. T. E. Wilcox.

Marion Quist is to represent the 5th and 6th grade at the spelling contest in Wayne, as he won over contestants from five schools in Wilbur precinct.

ANNUAL LIBRARY REPORT

Librarians report for the year beginning May 1, 1917, and ending May 1, 1918:

Books in library May 1, 1917, 3515; books added 1917-18, 129; total 3644. Books withdrawn 1917-18, 33.

The war work carried on through the library is as follows: To the war libraries fund the sum of \$223.00 was raised in Wayne.

The library is co-operating wherever possible with the patriotic needs of the hour.

PIANO TUNER COMES TO WAYNE - About May 21 to 25, B. Page will be at Wayne to tune pianos and repair organs, etc.

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A SIGN IN THE EAST
From deep distrust, born of centuries of autocratic rule and oppression by the exploiting class that surrounded the former czar, Russia is emerging gradually into renewed faith in mankind.

Russia is being convinced that democracy means something to the nations now fighting against the Kaiser's aggression.

This fact is proved by appeals for an American loan, by the bolshevik's announcement that their program of extreme socialism has been abandoned.

These facts have a sinister significance for the Kaiser. He knows that if he is forced to maintain a battle line on the east again, if expected food supplies from Russia are not forthcoming, Germany's position will be desperate.

All of this is due to President Wilson's understanding of and sympathy for Russia's people.

The London Economist for February places the total gross debt of Great Britain at 5,678,600,000 pounds (\$27,636,000,000).

The French minister of Finance in presenting the budget for 1918 estimated the public debt of France on December 31, 1918, at 115,166,058,000 francs (\$22,227,000,000).

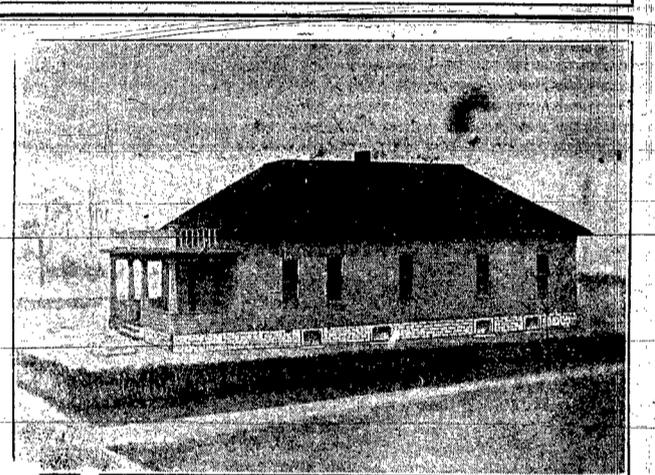
The public debt of Italy at the end of 1917 is estimated at about 35,000,000,000 lire (\$6,676,000,000).

The debts of the Central Powers are estimated as follows: Germany, \$25,408,000,000; Austria, \$13,314,000,000; and Hungary, \$5,704,000,000.

Our own public debt now with the Third Liberty Loan around \$11,000,000,000, but more than half of this amount has been loaned to our Allies and will be repaid us.

For Sale - Cheap - A good lawn mower. L. A. Fanske.

Contracting Builders and Practical Carpenters
Guy M. Williams and Frank Peklenk, two practical carpenters, have joined forces to "build up" the community, and ask an opportunity to help those in need.



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Open to the public and all cases received, excepting contagious diseases.

ESTIMATE
Estimate of probable amount of money necessary for all purposes to be raised for the City of Wayne, Nebraska, for the fiscal year commencing May 7, 1918, as prepared and adopted by the City Council of said City, including a statement of the entire revenue of said City for the fiscal year ending May 6, 1918.

Light Plant	Salaries	3,500.00
	Coal & freight	7,000.00
	Repairs & Extension	4,000.00
Water Plant	Salaries	2,500.00
	Coal & freight	5,000.00
	Repairs & Improvements	2,500.00
Parks	For Maintaining City Parks	1,000.00
Library	For Maintaining City Library	1,350.00
Bonds	For interest and sinking fund on City Bonds	4,000.00
Sewers	Repairing sewers	700.00
Streets and Alleys	For crossings, repairs, salaries, labor & material	4,000.00
Fire Department	For purchasing equipment	600.00
Highways	For maintaining and repairing highways leading to said City	800.00
General Fund	Salaries	3,250.00
	Printing, supplies, general and incidental expense	3,000.00
Total for all purposes		\$43,200.00
Total receipts for said City for the fiscal year ending May 7, 1918		35,407.71
This estimate adopted and approved this 14th day of May, 1918.		
Attest:	G. L. LAMBERSON, Mayor.	
	R. J. Reynolds, Clerk.	20-4w

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