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THE FUNERAL SERVICE OF THOMAS BELL

Saturday morning the body of Thomas Bell arrived from Elgin, North Dakota, accompanied by his sons Paul and Harry, and the funeral was conducted that afternoon from the undertaking parlors, Rev. R. H. Pratt of the Baptist church preaching the sermon.

Mr. Bell having been a soldier in the civil war, and the two sons who accompanied the body having served in the World-war, the members of the G. A. R. and the American Legion attended the service and had a part in the exercises. Members of the local Legion post acting as pall bearers.

A number of relatives living in this part of Nebraska were here to attend the funeral, among them being his sister from Pierce, Mrs. M. C. Cagle, and two brothers, Frank of Randolph and Theodore from near Wisner. Mr. and Mrs. Casteel of Randolph and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Miller from Norfolk were also among the relatives present.

The following history of his life was read at the service:

Thomas O. D. Bell was born at Urbana, Ohio, April 5, 1847 and died at his home in Elgin, North Dakota, December 6, 1921, age 74 years, 8 months and 1 day. He was a veteran of the Civil War, having enlisted at Springfield, Illinois, in 1862 in 3rd Illinois Cavalry and served until close of the war. He came west to Nebraska in 1884 and on October 21, 1886 was united in marriage to Adelle E. McVay. To this union 9 children were born, 8 of whom survive. Mrs. H. M. Carter of Carson, North Dakota; Mrs. V. E. Townsend of Leith, North Dakota; Orr, Harry, Paul, Ray and Adeline of Elgin, North Dakota, and Guy of New Leipzig, North Dakota, 1 son having died in infancy.

Deceased resided 25 years in Nebraska ten of which were in the city of Wayne, having moved with his family to North Dakota in 1911.

Besides his wife, children and a host of friends, two brothers, Frank of Randolph, Theodore of Pender, two sisters, Mrs. J. M. Alden and Mrs. M. C. Cagle of Pierce, are left to mourn his loss. Remains arrived Saturday morning accompanied by two of his sons Paul and Harry and interment made in the family lot in Greenwood cemetery.

M. E. SUNDAY SCHOOL TO GIVE CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

Preparations are well under way for the Christmas program to be given at the Methodist church Christmas eve, by the entire Sunday school.

The program will be in the nature of a pageant, introducing boys and girls from France, England, Holland, Switzerland, Russia, Italy and our own America with her missions. Each child will offer a gift peculiar to his country to the Babe in the Manger. Other characters important in the story are the prophet, the three wise men and the drowsy shepherds.

Each group of characters will sing Christmas carols appropriate to their native land. After the formal part of the program, Old Santa himself promises a treat for every child.

From reading a brief synopsis of the proposed pageant, we feel that it will certainly be well worth the attention of all.

COMPARING FARM AND RAILROAD WAGES

Last week Superintendent Blundell and E. J. Carlund, division freight agent of the "Omaha" were at Wayne and other places on their division of the Northwestern seeking figures to use in the hearing soon to be held by the railroads as to a decrease in wages. It was the purpose of the men to learn the wage paid to single farm men and also to married men who do farm work. They were taking into account the board, washing, room, the house for the married man and the various additional things, such as use of cow, the privilege of raising poultry and the like. Thus before this hearing is concluded it is possible that the wage paid by the farmer will be compared to that paid by the railroads.

NEWS BY WIRELESS
Wisner, December 9—Chas. Buetow of Wayne is visiting "cousins" near this place, coming by automobile. (It sounded like cousins, "but it might have been 'friends'"). At any rate, the "wireless" had the report correct in most details, as we have learned.—ed.)

A WAYNE BOY MAKING GOOD IN EAST

One of the boys who grew to manhood at Wayne, received his schooling at this place until he had to go to higher institution of learning to continue absorbing knowledge to the best advantage. He is now at the head of the Welfare work at Erie, Pennsylvania, one of the great and growing cities of that great state, and its only lake port of the state, it being on that little strip of Pennsylvania which pushes north to the Lake Erie between the west end of New York and the east line of Ohio.

But we started to tell what Will Crossland has just finished in the city of Erie with its rich and poor people—perhaps 120,000 of them. Under their budget system of looking after the many charities, the sum necessary for the needs is estimated, and then the work of raising it undertaken. This year because of hard times, the demand—the actual need seemed greater than usual, and when the homes for children for the old, for the cripples, for the sick and the many other interests had all been considered, squeezed down to as little as it was that would do, and totaled \$350,000 was the total, and older heads said it would never be accomplished; and it was up to Mr. Crossland to show of what he was made. With hearty co-operation of different interests a plan of work was made, and then followed. Nine days only of diligent work—systematic work, and it was finished, and the totals showed that they had gone over the very high top more than \$8,000. That means that they raised practically \$40,000 daily in hard times. A friend in writing to Wayne of the achievement speaks in high terms of the efficiency of their community welfare head. Why should they not?

POSSIBILITIES OF WIRELESS SHOWN
Wednesday morning chapel exercises at the Normal were very unique. A radiophone program was the order of the day. Mr. Britell explained briefly the spark set and radiophone, after which a demonstration took place.

Through the efforts of the radio class under direction of Prof. I. H. Britell an indoor aerial was set up and receiving set placed in auditorium and vibrations tuned up and sent out through a megaphone until they were audible in the entire auditorium. The program consisted of weather report and time signals sent by spark, then a radiophone concert and lastly an address to the students.

Thus this program sent from the science building was enjoyed by students in the chapel, the students in radio class at high school and in the several residences of Wayne and vicinity who are fortunate enough to harbor wireless stations under their roof.

AMERICAN LEGION NOTES

Irvin Sears Post held its regular meeting Tuesday night. After the business session a luncheon and smoker was held. About 60 members were present.

The Annual Legion Xmas Ball will be held Thursday, December 22, in the opera house. Excellent music has been secured, and all are invited to attend.

The Legion will be represented in basket ball shortly. A team is being selected and a good team is assured. Election of officers will be at the next regular meeting, in January 1922.

Next year the Irvin Sears Post will have boxing exhibitions, which will be under the control of the State Boxing Commission.

WAISTS
Special beginning Friday and lasting ten days at Mrs. Jeffries store for women.

A lot of 150 waists, many patterns and excellent quality, go during this sale
at \$2.98
Another big lot, better waists, go on sale for ten days
at \$3.98
Former prices on waists of these qualities \$6.50 to \$12.50.
10 Days, Beginning Friday

The Wayne volunteer firemen have bills out announcing their annual masquerade new year ball, to take place the evening of December 30th at the opera house.

W. M. Mills and daughter, Miss Wilma, were here from Carroll today, the Miss having some eye treatment.

WAKEFIELD OIL MAY NOT BE ALL JOKE

(Wakefield Republican)
The discovery of oil in Wakefield may not be so much of a joke as some of us have been led to believe, according to the various stories that have been floating around lately. As one party put it, Wakefield has just as good a right to have an oil well, or two or three of them, for that matter, as any other town on the map, and the fact that no one can exactly explain the discovery of oil under the surface of the ground here, it won't hurt to talk about it, anyway.

The story so far, as we understand it, runs something like this. The oil has been discovered in the rear of the Andrew Andreason blacksmith shop on the east edge of town, alongside of the light plant. An ordinary post hole auger was used to sink a hole there last summer, evidently in search of water, which should be reasonably near the surface at that place. Instead of water they got oil. The oil from such a hole, eight or ten feet deep, is pure enough to burn in a burner in a stove, etc. Immediately it was surmised the oil was seepage from the light plant a few feet away, where distillate is used in large quantities. There appears to be no leak from any pipe however, and officials of the light company are at a loss to locate the source of the seepage, if such it is.

The oil is being taken from this post hole at the rate of several gallons a day, and if it is seepage, someone is losing, or has lost, considerable money spent for oil.

The big surprise comes, however, recently, and is caused by one Philip Pearson, who was interested enough in the matter to buy a lease on the property. He immediately sent for a couple of experts from Lincoln, to come up and look the ground over.

These experts inspected the oil taken from the shallow wells, but refused to even consider it until they dug a well of their own. They had one dug nearby, and got the same results. They then, we understand, went down under the first vein of water, stating that if the oil is seepage, it could not go below the water. Here they again found oil, and in about the same quantity. They were interested enough in the matter to take samples of it to Lincoln with them to have it tested.

All this occurred a few days ago, and no report has been received from them as yet.

The only other finding of oil near here, is that hunters have noticed that when the water is high enough to cover the swamp north of the railroad tracks north of town a sheet of oil has been seen on the water, in quantities thick enough to keep the water from rippling in the wind.

This may be all talk, and a big joke, but a few are getting interested and, as we said before, Wakefield has as good a right to an oil well as some other places we know of, and we can live in hopes.

HIGH SCHOOL BASKET BALL FOR THE SEASON

Basket ball is in high favor as a sport and an amusement, and this season Wayne will be far better represented in the game because they now have a fine floor and ample room for the game and spectators, in the remodeled opera house.

The first game of the season was held Friday evening when the Wayne boys won over the Pilger lads.

Tomorrow evening Carroll and Wayne meet here.

The schedule for the rest of the season is given as follows:
Dec. 23, Emerson at Wayne.
Jan. 13, Wakefield at Wayne.
Jan. 20, Ponca at Wayne.
Jan. 21, Pilger at Pilger.
Jan. 27, Pierce at Pierce.
Feb. 7, Wausa at Wausa.
Feb. 10, Bloomfield at Wayne.
Feb. 11, Emerson at Emerson.
Feb. 18, Norfolk at Wayne.
Feb. 24, Lyons at Lyons.
Mar. 2, Wakefield at Wakefield.
Mar. 7, Stanton at Wayne.

CATTLE COMING TO EAT THE CORN

A number of the farmers are filling their feed lots with cattle, as the best way to market their corn crop. Among those who have recently purchased stock we note Geo. Hofeld, Will Peters, George Fox, Splitterger Brothers and Geo. Brunas with at least one car each. It is the logical thing for those who can to do, as the market now looks.

THE FUNERAL OF ANDREW A. FOICK FRIDAY

At the Presbyterian church in this city at 2 o'clock Friday the funeral of Andrew A. Foick, who formerly lived between Wayne and Wakefield, will be held. Mr. Foick had been living near Bloomfield, and had been in ill health for some time before coming to the hospital, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis last fall. Other complications followed, and he passed away Tuesday morning. He was about 52 years of age, and leaves a son and two daughters. Goldie, the oldest and Dewey have been at the home near Bloomfield, and Elsie, the youngest, who has made her home here with Mrs. Agler and her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Fox, since the death of her mother a number of years ago.

The burial will be at Wakefield cemetery in the family lot beside his wife.

"ORDER IN THE COURT"—SOULES

The case of F. Z. Taylor vs. Julia Riese, Margaret Riese and Fred Riese will now be heard. Thus opened before Justice John L. Soules a case of little importance, in the matter of money value, but in which the litigants felt that a principle of justice was involved.

The plaintiff commenced action to recover a hantam rooster which one of his minor sons had bought, and when he brought the bird home, it flew to the Riese place, and was there kept by them, in spite of requests from the boy and his parents for its return. Even the good offices of Sheriff Lewis were asked to secure the coveted bird; but in vain, hence the action, and the result, when all had ended was the return of the bird to Mr. Taylor.

Mr. Taylor plead his own case, and the defendants engaged the services of Attorney Simons of Winside, who did well for his clients, considering that they admitted on the stand that the facts were as stated by plaintiff.

There was much curiosity to be satisfied only by hearing the trial, and as many of the situations told of were of a humorous nature it was with difficulty that proper decorum was maintained in the court room. Especially was this true when plaintiff was pleading—for he took opportunity to freely express his opinion of the action of defendants as shown by the testimony. Mr. Taylor is of a rather excitable disposition and he yielded to the excitement of the occasion sufficiently to entertain his audience, but his pleading was effective.

The verdict of the Justice was that the rooster be returned; that the court costs be paid by defendants, and that each party pay their own witnesses.

Another trial is scheduled to take place Friday afternoon between the same litigants, over damages for the alleged killing of a fox terrier pup; and if it is properly advertised a large audience is assured.

One might fill a column with comment of the proceedings, but it may suffice to say that Walter Savidge is jealous, and may try to employ the litigants, for he said it was better than any show he had produced—and it was free.

THE WESTLEYAN CAMPAIGN GOING FORWARD
This week Wayne people are being visited by pastors of the Methodist churches of the vicinity, and the local pastor, under direction of Professor Greggs of the big Methodist school at Lincoln, in the interest of an endowment for that school. Rev. Fagan from Wakefield, Rev. Morey of Pender, and Rev. Litterell of Winside are here in connection with the work, and were guests of Rev. Wm. Kilburn and wife part of the time while engaged in this work.

HOLIDAY EXCURSION RATES
There is good news for students who are not too near and yet not too far from home in the announcement that fare and one-half tickets will be issued for the round trip will be on sale December 22 to 24, good to return as late as January 4, 1922, where the round trip is \$2.50 or more or not more than \$25. It will not help the near by ones nor those too far to go, unless they may purchase two tickets, and thus have a limit-up to near the \$50 maximum.

HOLIDAY EXCURSION RATES

There will be a Christmas program by the Baptist Sunday school on Thursday evening next week. More particulars cannot be given at this time.

PROGRAM OF HIGH SCHOOL AND GRADE PUPILS

The following program is to be given at the opera house next Tuesday evening December 21, by the pupils of the City high school and grades, under the management of Valdemar Peterson, of the senior class. There will be no admission charge, and the public is invited.

Program
Orchestra—High School
Fold Dance—Kindergarten and 1st grade.

Musical Play
Part 1
Opening Chorus—"To-morrow will be Christmas."
Solo: (Sleepy Fairy)—"Sleep, Little Dearies, Sleep."
Solo: (Fairy Godmother with Chorus)—"You Need Not Tell the Fairies."
Duet: (Santa Claus and Mother Goose)—"As Soon As We Heard."
Part 1, Scene 2

Chorus: (The Fairies and Children of Santa Claus)—"No Matter What the Weather."
Solo: (Mother Goose) (A New Nursery Rhyme)—"Heym Diddle, Diddlee, O."
Quartet: (Mother Goose, Fairy Godmother, Santa Claus and Goody Green)—"Everything is Ready."
Part 2

(Teenie with Chorus) (Christmas Carol)—"We Love to Hear the Story."
Solo: (Kate with Chorus)—"The Christmas Tree Song."
Solo: (Pleasant Pete with Chorus)—"De Animals in de Ark."
Solo: (Santa Claus with Chorus)—"The Good Old Game of Tag."
Solo: (Whistling Willie with Chorus) (March Song)—"The Flag of All Flags."
Solo: (Mother Goose with Chorus)—"There Was an Old Woman who Lived in a Shoe."
Final Chorus—"Christmas Bells, Ring Sweet and Clear."

Part 3
Drill—Seventh Grade.
Piano Solo—Ralph Gamsko.
Reading—Venita Kopp.
Saxophone Trio—Ley, Wright, Ley, Davis.
Glee Club—High School.

At Pawnee they have great community day sales, attended by buyers and sellers from over much territory. A snap shot taken on one of their sale days shows nothing but people surrounded by the automobiles in which they had come to the town.

A receiver is asked for the Farmers Investment Company of Lincoln, on the grounds that the officers and directors are that to be wrongfully taking the assets of the company.

Five horses were lost in a fire at Hay Springs when a livery barn was destroyed by fire, and the one man who occupied the barn barely escaped the fate of the horses.

Under our new constitution and tax law, intangible property, such as notes, moneys and credits must share the tax burden, and to refuse to give same in and answer questions relating thereto when the assessor comes round, may mean a penalty of 50 percent on their findings. The new tax commissioner, W. H. Osborn is getting out schedules for the use of assessors. This class of property under the new law is not assessed at more than one-fourth value, so why should they try to hide it?

Exports are the lowest of the year just now.

Lake freighting of wheat is the greatest in the history. Every elevator at Buffalo is full to capacity, and more than half a hundred wheat laden freighters are tied at the docks there awaiting the onward movement. This would indicate that the price of wheat is soon to begin climbing. A statement appeared a few days ago to the effect that more wheat had been exported since the last harvest than any previous year in the given time. Yet prices rule very low.

A great flood has been at or near Seattle, Washington, and no less than ten lives have been lost as a result. Heavy rains are the cause. The railroads suffered much from land slides, etc. and their damages are not all in report, it is feared.

That Roy Gardner admitted under oath that he robbed or attempted to rob mail trains; but the jury acquitted him. Why not now try him for perjury?

MARRIAGES

Reibold-Franzen
Wednesday, December 14, 1921, Rev. J. H. Fetterolf of the English Lutheran church united Mr. Fred W. Franzen of Randolph and Miss Ella Reibold of Hoskins in marriage. The groom is son of Mr. and Mrs. Asmus Franzen and the bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reibold, both well known families in this county.

Bloomquist-Nelson
Wednesday, December 14, 1921, by Rev. Robert H. Pratt of the Baptist church, Gustaf A. Nelson and Miss Hazel A. Bloomquist, both of Wausa, were united in marriage.

Henschke-Eickhoff
Wednesday, December 14, 1921, by Rev. H. L. Bourneham of Leslie Precinct, George H. Eickhoff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eickhoff of this city and Miss Clara M. M. Henschke were wed. The bride is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Henschke of Leslie precinct.

Hagelstein-Strathman
At the county court room by Judge J. M. Cherry, Wednesday, December 14, 1921, Mr. C. Edward Strathman and Miss Alma L. Hagelstein, both of Randolph, were united in marriage. These young folks grew to man and womanhood in this county, where they are well and favorably known. The groom is son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Strathman, and the bride's parents, now living at Limon, Colorado, are Mr. and Mrs. August Hagelstein. The bride and groom were accompanied here by Mr. and Mrs. Otto Peters of Sholes, she being a twin sister to the bride. They will be at home after January 1, on a farm about eight miles northwest of Randolph.

Felt-Harrison
At Wayne Thursday, December 9, 1921, Mr. Elmer L. Harrison and Miss Anna Felt of Wakefield were united in marriage.

RESOLUTIONS
Whereas, the members of the Douglas King Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution feel that a deep loss has been sustained through the death of Miss Elizabeth Kingsbury on December sixth nineteen hundred and twenty one.

And Whereas, the death of Miss Kingsbury will be particularly felt by this Chapter, of which she was a charter member, and to which she gave valuable and enthusiastic service.

And Whereas, Miss Kingsbury was known throughout the state of Nebraska by reason of her prominence and efficiency as head of the Department of French in the State Normal School and Teachers College at Wayne, Nebraska, her service being marked by an unusual measure of devotion.

And Whereas, the elements of professional power, great though they were, are less significant than the warm human sympathy and insight into human needs that gave courage to all who sought her aid.

Therefore be it resolved that in token of our realization of the worth of Miss Kingsbury and in recognition of the yet unmeasured loss sustained through her death, we the members of the Douglas King Chapter hereby record our own sense of bereavement and extend to all who by ties of blood or friendship were associated with her our profound sympathy.

Mrs. I. H. Britell
Mrs. J. Woodward Jones
Mrs. Homer Scace
Committee

A COUPLE OF MILLIONS
That sum was more than the high school seniors made from their play at the opera house last Friday evening—but they are not complaining, for they netted a very acceptable return for their efforts. Nor did those who attended feel in any way wronged, for it was a good play so well presented that it was well worth the time and money of any who could attend.

CRADLE
DALE—At Lincoln, Monday, December 5, 1921, to Fred G. Dale and wife, a son.

YOUNGMAYER—Sunday, December 11, 1921, to Frank L. Youngmeyer and wife, a son.

ADVERTISED LETTERS
Wayne, Nebraska, December 14, 1921.—Letters: Mrs. O. F. Hone, Mrs. Nels Lyngel, C. A. Berry, Post Master.



Do Headaches Cut Your Pay?

Many times when people lay off because they don't feel well it's due to eye-strain. Tired eyes cause disagreeable reactions in other parts of the human system. Come in and we'll tell you if you do or do not need glasses.

W. B. Vail

Exclusive
Optician and Optometrist
Phone 303-1

Fortner wants your poultry. adv. Miss Gladys Kline went to Sioux City Saturday, where she spent the week end.

D. A. Jones was a passenger to Sioux City Saturday, to visit his son Jay Jones.

Dr. Young's Dental Office over the First National Bank. Phone 307.—Adv-29-1f

Mrs. Emma I. Wilson went to Rosalie Tuesday morning, where she will visit with friends.

Take cream, eggs, poultry to E. E. Kearns at the Chas. Hiscok Implement house.—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hansen, of Winside, were in Wayne between trains Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Henry Ley and Mrs. LeRoy Ley spent Saturday visiting with friends at Sioux City.

Buy him a Bath Robe at Gamble & Senters.

Dr. William Hawkins went to Omaha Tuesday morning to attend the Veterinarians Convention.

Miss Sarah Milliken went to Lyons Saturday morning to spend a short time visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. McChesney went to Omaha Tuesday morning, where they spent a couple of days.

LAND BARGAINS—Write for my large list on crop payment plan Jess Klisner, Garden City, Kan. D1-4P.

Ellan and Marie Finn left Saturday morning for Carroll where they spent the week end at the Stanton home.

What better Christmas present for wife or daughter than one of the pretty dresses on sale at Mrs. Jeffries' this week?—adv.

The farm loan company, organized in Omaha for the purpose of aiding Nebraska farmers and stockmen, has a capital of \$1,000,000.

Walter Taylor and James Rennick took advantage of the good roads and fine weather conditions to drive to Pilger Tuesday for a little visit.

Mrs. Mike O'Connell and little grandson, Gerald O'Connell, went to Sioux City, Saturday to spend a few days visiting with the little fellows father.

In a drive to raise funds for the improvement of its buildings, the Omaha Young Women's Christian association obtained pledges amounting to \$30,000.

A dozen Photographs make a dozen Christmas presents. Have them made now, and quit worrying about what you are going to give. Craven Studio.—Adv.—3t.

Mrs. Mary Sullivan from Bloomfield was a Wayne visitor Saturday afternoon, coming down on a business mission. She met a number of Wayne friends as well.

Justice Soules says that his court is the place where justice is administered without fear or favor—so if you do not want justice, better shun John and his court.

One hundred Nebraska bankers met recently in Omaha and organized the State Agricultural Loan association. The purpose of the association is to convert slow assets into cash and in turn, put the cash into circulation in order to help the financial situation.

One of the new things in stock sales, is the auctioning of thoroughbred roosters. It is a step toward better egg production and better chickens, and more money from that source. The sure question is receiving much attention from all breeders, whether it be horse, cattle, hogs or poultry.

George McEachen was a passenger to Omaha Tuesday afternoon, and said he was going to look for cattle or at cattle. We hope to see the feeders of this county get busy feeding their good and big corn crop, because it should, and doubtless will make them more money by handling thru cattle and hogs.

A dispatch from Bismarck to the press of the country, dated the 13th, and published on the day it was dated, said that the state-owned mill at Drake in that state had been operated at a loss of more than \$20,000 from January 1 to October 15, according to an auditing firm in Minneapolis. Bad news travels fast.

The Saturday World-Herald had a nice story of the R. A. Clark auto bungalow—and forgot to say that it is a Wayne production and that Omaha and Omaha people had nothing to do with making the wonder wagon. No use for the World-Herald to try to steal whatever of credit there may be shown in the construction of this well-finished car.

Mrs. Bert Hyatt returned from Rochester the last of the week, happy in knowledge that the specialists who made examination of her condition reported that they could find nothing radically wrong. Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Haller, from Winside, who went at the same time remained longer. Mr. Haller is taking treatment there while waiting until Mrs. Haller, who underwent a minor operation, is able to return home with him.

Buy him a silk Tie at Gamble & Senter.

Cream, eggs, poultry bought by Fortner.—adv

The Traveling Men's Protective association of six states will meet in Omaha December 29-30.

Friday or Saturday \$3.98 buys one of those pretty, serviceable silk petticoats at Mrs. Jeffries.—adv.

Mrs. Edward Roggenback, Miss Pauline Roggenback and Mrs. Will Peter spent Tuesday at Sioux City.

Mrs. Oscar Johnson went to Sioux City Friday morning to visit with her mother Mrs. Nettleton who is in the hospital.

Otis Johnson, who has been working near Wayne on a farm, finished his stunt and went to Kansas City the last of the week.

Sam Davies, Elmer Galley and C. A. Berry were automobile passengers to Omaha Monday, each having a business mission.

Mrs. Herman Wenke and two children who have been in Wayne for the past week returned to their home at Bloomfield Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Griffith left Monday morning for Gregory, South Dakota, where they will spend two weeks visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Biggins.

Will Peters from south of Wayne was a passenger to Omaha Sunday, and had a car or two of hogs from his farm south of Wayne on the Monday market.

Mrs. M. E. Farrar and daughter Miss, Eva who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Robert Perrin left Friday morning for their home at Maryville, Missouri.

Sam Reynolds, flying cadet in the bombing division during the recent war with Germany, has been elected commander of the Douglas county post, American Legion, Omaha.

In two days after the organization of the Omaha branch of the War Reliance corporation, farm loans aggregating \$1,039,000, coming through 61 Nebraska banks were approved.

The meat men's strike continues unsettled, and both sides are claiming that all is well. Packing plants are running, but strikers say that it is only a pretense of functioning.

Mrs. W. S. Payne and daughter, Clover, went to Omaha Monday to visit with her husband, Dr. Payne, who had an operation for polypus. Dr. is reported in a serious condition.

Coats in the late patterns, in goods of high quality, direct from the manufacturer may be purchased now at the Mrs. Jeffries store—that is of course, coats for the women and children.—adv.

F. H. Shoemaker, New London, Wisconsin, has been made defendant in a \$100,000 slander suit, brought by William Ritchie, state commander of the American Legion. The complaint has been filed in the Omaha courts.

Jas. Steele, who was helping his brother at Allen for a week or two, came home last week, and Thursday night began duty as assistant city police. The hours were too long for one man to care for the duties alone.

At a meeting of highway officials, held in Omaha, T. H. Macdonald, chief of the federal bureau of roads, urged the immediate construction of public highways as a means of furnishing employment to the ex-service men.

Prof. O. R. Bowen and Coach F. G. Dale were at Lincoln the last of the week, representatives of the Normal at this place at the meeting of the athletic organization of the various colleges, to plan for college athletics for another year.

Miss Bertha Rabe, from Ricketts, Iowa, who has been visiting her brother, Wm. Rabe, at Winside, was here Monday on her way to visit a sister at Bloomfield. She was accompanied by her niece, little Miss Nora Wafke, of Bloomfield.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blivernicht, of St. Charles, South Dakota, were thru Wayne Tuesday morning, on their way to Marcell, Iowa, where they were called by a message stating that Mr. Blivernicht's father is seriously ill. Mrs. Blivernicht's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lamberson were at the station to greet them and visit while the train tarried here.

Mrs. C. J. Rasdal was called to Sac City, Iowa, to the bedside of her sick mother Monday by a message telling of her very serious condition. The message was not received until one o'clock, and by quick work, Mr. R. drove her to Sioux City in time to meet a train from that city shortly after three o'clock, enabling her to reach home in the shortest time possible.

At this Christmas time the young man who is really serious in his intentions should consider the utility of the present he is buying for his lady friend, says Mrs. Jeffries, who will gladly extend first aid to such people, and good advice as to the style of fur, muff, or fancy neckscarf best suited. In other words, go to her store full of goods for the ladies and see what she can suggest that will make a perfectly acceptable Christmas gift—one that will be both ornamental and useful.—adv.



Fanske's Christmas Jewelry

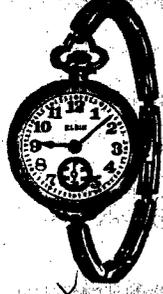
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You're wondering, perhaps, just what to give your wife, mother, some other member of your family, or very near and dear friend.

My whole business life has been helping to solve these very questions at lowest cost. It is wrong to suppose that we carry only expensive articles. So won't you let me see your Christmas list first and get my suggestions.

In no other store will you find so quickly gifts at every price, attuned to every personal desire.



My Specialty is Watches

Don't think of buying a watch until you have priced them here, we carry them all.

Special Prices During December



Guaranteed Silverware

A most complete stock in many beautiful and staple patterns in both Sterling and plate.

A Big Reduction in Price



Diamond Rings

We have a good large stock and its below the market price. We positively could not duplicate it today for anywhere near the price. Rings the pride of our stock—the famous W. W. guaranteed set rings.

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Misses Ethel Bonawitz and Mabel Hansen were Norfolk visitors between trains Saturday.

Buy him a Cheney silk muffler at Gamble & Senters.

The Omaha city council is investigating a proposition to develop power by harnessing the Missouri river. Good.

Ladies, I am confident that I can save money for you if you come here to purchase shoes—especially if you want footwear of style and quality. Mrs. Jeffries.—adv.

F. Z. Taylor has sold his residence to Roy Rubeck, who is to take possession in March, when Mr. Taylor will go to a farm north of Sholes, which he has leased for the season.

Mrs. Rollie Ley spent Wednesday visiting at Sioux City.

For a market for poultry, eggs and cream, remember Fortner.—adv

Mrs. A. E. Laase was a Wakefield visitor between trains Wednesday.

Carl Madsen went to Omaha Wednesday morning to attend the grain dealers convention.

Mrs. A. W. Dempsay left Wednesday morning for Coleridge, where she will spend a few days visiting with her daughter.

While attending the dance at the Gunther Pavilion Saturday evening, George Nielsen had the misfortune to lose the cushion in his Ford coupe. However, the thief must have been somewhat considerate of George's lady friend because he replaced the stolen cushion with his own—such as it was. George swore

by all his Danish ancestors that he'd have revenge but the stranger didn't leave his name or address and the cushion was so old that the finger prints were worn off of it. The stranger undoubtedly intends to keep George's cushion because the latter hasn't heard from him to this day. George isn't exactly peeved at the fellow but he'd like to hold a private conversation with him in some nice quiet spot before he forgets how many hard-earned berries the new one cost that now furnishes seating comfort in the coupe.—Winside Tribune.

A new line of waists of popular shades, patterns and good quality have just arrived for the holiday trade at the Mrs. Jeffries' store. Be sure to examine them before you finish your Christmas shopping.—adv.



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Wayne Bakery

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Phone 34J

FARMERS UNION MUST PRACTICE ECONOMY

While on his way to Wakefield to attend a meeting in connection with the farm marketing movement in which farmers are so vitally interested, Nels Johnson from Winslow stopped at the Democrat office for a little chat, and said that he had been interested in a news item in the Democrat of the week before, in which it was stated that the courts had held that the increased rate of commission asked by the livestock commission men had been sustained by the court, and that as a result the sum of about \$180,000 dollars difference represented by the advance in rate over the old rate, which had been held by the commission men of Omaha now becomes their property, since their rate was not excessive.

Here Mr. Johnson asked if we knew that the Farmer Union, charging the same rate as other commission firms had so conducted their business that last year they were able to prorate back to the union member shippers at the close of the year 50 percent of their commission. He also said that for this year business it now looks like a 60 percent rebate. For that reason, it appeared to him that the commission firms might possibly have gotten along at the old rate.

PRAIRIE FIRES

Great prairie fires have been raging in vicinity of Bassett. It is estimated that approximately 2,000 tons of hay in stack has been destroyed. Much hard work was done by fire fighters gathered from all parts of the county, and some from beyond the county lines to save the lives and homes of some people. A school house or two were saved only by the hardest of work on the part of the people.

SHORT HORN BULL CALVES

I have for sale three pure-bred shorthorn bull calves, good ones. One each of January, February and March birth. They may be seen in the lot north of the ice plant, and full particulars as to breeding may be learned from owner, Henry Cozad, Phone 481.—adv.-12-15-11.

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COLLEGE SPORTS FOR 1922

O. R. Bowen and Fred G. Dale were at Lincoln the last of last week in attendance at the annual meeting of the Inter-Collegiate conference to plan for the basketball games now commencing and the annual athletic meets for the spring and also for the 1922 football activities. They made tentative schedules for the games, and from the list we give the games in which Wayne is listed for a part:

Basketball—Wayne.
January 5—Midland at Fremont.
January 13—Western Union at Le Mars, Iowa.

January 20—Cotner at Wayne.
January 27—Chadron at Wayne.
February 2—Peru at Wayne.
February 17—Peru at Peru.
February 18—Doane at Crete.

In the football schedule, according to the report Wayne schedule is not yet complete, as Midland at Wayne October 13, and Wayne at Hastings November 30 are the only two dates and places definitely fixed.

The State Journal gave the following notes relating to the meeting:

York will forfeit the football games she won prior to her game with Cotner this fall for playing an ineligible man. This decision was reached Saturday afternoon by the Inter-Collegiate Athletic association in its annual meeting at the Y. M. C. A. The two games which York won prior to Cotner's charge that she was playing an ineligible man were with Peru and Hastings.

R. D. Overhalt of Peru was elected president of the conference for the coming year, F. E. Weir of Hastings was elected vice president and M. S. Pate, of Kearney was chosen secretary-treasurer. A committee of three, W. E. Tilberg of Midland, J. A. Moss of Cotner and F. E. Weir of Hastings, was appointed as a championship committee for the coming year.

The spring track meet of the conference will take place May 20 at Hastings. Wesleyan was considered but Hastings, owing to her inability to take the meet at the last moment last year, was given prior consideration.

The championship committee reported on awards and gave the 1920 basketball championship to Doane, the 1920 track championship to Wesleyan and the 1921 football crown to the Methodists as well.

An application for membership in the conference from Grand Island business college was laid on the table. An effort was made to require more than four games in the conference before a team could be considered for the conference championship, but this was voted down owing to the difficulty with which some of the schools contend in making the trips for conference games.

An effort was made by Wesleyan and others to place baseball on the list of intercollegiate sports which would warrant the award of letters to the players and a championship to the winning team. This was also voted down for the season.

Those in attendance at the meeting were J. A. Moss, Cotner; D. G. Burrage, Doane; A. C. Rice, Grand Island; F. E. Weir, Hastings; M. S. Pate, Kearney; W. E. Tilberg, Midland; R. D. Overhalt, Peru; O. R. Bowen, Wayne; C. J. Shirk, Wesleyan; C. E. Ashcraft, York; Coach Murray, Nebraska Central, and Dr. Elliott of Chadron.

STIRRING MOMENTS FROM "OVER THE HILL"

Which is to be given at Crystal. When the Black Sheep discovers the source of his father's income.

When the boy shoulders his father's guilt and shields him from the Law's wrath.

The Court Room scene in which the Black Sheep is branded a Felon.

The awful moment when Ma Benton realizes she must face the world alone.

When Charles' wife turns his old Mother out of doors.

When Isaac, the sanctimonious son who has memorized all the Scriptures save the Fifth Commandment, orders his Mother to the Poor-House.

The return of the Black Sheep, who has achieved success, and his wrath over his Mother's humiliation.

The battle in which he soundly thrashes Isaac.

Mother's return to the dear old homestead.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to give public expression to the gratitude we feel toward the members of the G. A. R. and American Legion posts of Wayne as well as to the many friends of other days for their kindly aid in making arrangements for the funeral of husband and father, Mrs. Thomas Bell and Family.

Over at Norfolk the railroad men have voted to accept a four-day week for the present employees rather than cut one-third of the force out and keep the others on full time. Strange that such a move should be necessary when the prosperity people went into office in nation and state less than a year ago by such overwhelming majorities. Wonder if any one was fooled.

WHAT ABOUT THIS, FARMER AND EATER?

In the "Public Mind" column of the State Journal, we find the following signed a 1921 Farmer which raises a question as to whether or not the legislature in their effort to protect the people from eating diseased meat have not placed all consumers in the hands of the packers. Does any one know whether or not the local butcher of his town is complying with this law? The letter is from Firth, Nebraska, to the Editor of the State Journal:

"I wonder just how many of the farmers who have good clean hogs and yearling calves to butcher likes the new law laid down to them, that a farmer cannot butcher and sell his meat in town to any one, not even in a small town. Can he deliver this meat to buyers without its being inspected and as the inspector does not go to the small town nor farm to inspect, the farmer cannot sell unless he brings the whole beef to the city so it can be inspected at the packing house we believe if we were informed correctly. Seems like the screws are being put on pretty solid does it not?"

"With young calves selling at a mere nothing alive, the farmer could do a little by butchering and thereby help others to live a little easier this winter but no, it's against the law, and the only way the farmer can do is to sell the meat at the farm. Those wishing meat can go get it at the farmer's home.

"Talk about 'Peace on earth and good will to man!' It takes a man with a whole lot of love for his fellow man to take the doses handed to him this year and stand up to it.

"Sell direct to the consumer, you farmers, but look out that you keep one eye open for laws that you didn't know about, and sell from the farms. And all the time keep up your pep so you will be able to work the old farm another year."

FOR WORLD PEACE

There is a great demand for World Peace in all nations, and that fact was most clearly brought out at the recent sessions of the International Bible Students association in convention at Washington. We cannot give their excellent resolutions in full, but will outline briefly some of the important things they asked for. They say that as Christians striving to follow the teachings of Christ and the Apostles they hold that:

"War is a relic of barbarism, destructive of good morals, and a reproach to Christian people; The principles taught by Christ preclude consecrated Christians from engaging in war, bloodshed or violence in any form; no nation can said to be truly Christian which fails to adhere to those principles." These are a part of their preamble, and they follow with an appeal to the "ruling powers" now assembled at Washington to get some very decided reforms under way. They want complete disarmament of the nations as quickly as this may be accomplished. A reformation of men as well as nations should follow. They assert that bolshevism is a menace now knocking at the door of every nation, and to admit it is to permit the destruction of all law and order.

They urge a general reform, that profiteering cease; that people be content to work and earn simply an income sufficient to insure their own maintenance and support; use power for general welfare of the people, that all may find employment and the hungry be fed, and each man be given opportunity to provide for himself and family the things needed for decent and honest living in the sight of man and God.

They call upon ministers to divorce themselves completely from commercial and political affiliations, return to their first love and recognize God's word as truth and honestly and faithfully teach the principles taught by Christ and the apostles.

They lay the responsibility for existing conditions upon the ruling factors of the nations of the earth, and call to their attention for consideration the Word of God.

A copy of their resolutions in full were delivered to Secretary Hughes, the chairman of the disarmament conference, and to the president, and also to members of the conference and to congressmen and senators.

Their resolutions were signed by Dr. R. A. Gamble, their chairman; Frank H. Harrison their secretary, and J. F. Rutherford, president of the International Bible Students association.

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THE POOR ARE GROWING RICHER THE RICH POORER

That is what is announced as a result of a careful study of the income tax returns. Ralph Couch seems to be the fellow who is gently breaking this sad news to the very rich and glad story to those who toil for what they get. His article also states that the government is getting increased revenue by having more people paying an income tax, even tho some of the very rich pay less tax. In other words, a more equal distribution of the wealth is beneficial to the government as well as the people individually. About one family in twenty now pay an income tax, or in other words, about one-fifth of the people.

In 1914 but 357,515 people were reported as paying income taxes. In 1918, the last year for which complete figures are available, the number is given at 5,332,760. Of course, the change in the law in 1917 added about one and one-half million to this number who had previously been exempt, because at that time the change made smaller incomes pay the tax. The number who pay income taxes on a million or more has dwindled from 206 in 1917 to a bare 65 at the present time. Of course, one must take into consideration that people

of that class may be able to so divide their wealth as to escape a heavy tax, for while they may have more than they know what to do with, they know they do not want to pay it to the tax gatherer. Then much of the big income money has been shifted to the non-taxable investments—fully \$10,000,000, is the estimate given. With all of the income tax assembled and averaged, the average sum on which tax is paid is \$3,724, and the average amount of tax paid per individual is \$238. The page devoted to this subject has many interesting figures presented for consideration.

MAKING CAMP FOR AUTO TOURISTS

Last season, more than ever before, was the country traveled by automobile, and many places along the line of much travel provided camping grounds for the convenience of the tourists. At some places much was provided practically free. In other places a modest charge was made for water, use of kitchen, bath, etc. and some Wayne people were so much interested that they hoped Wayne would not neglect to make provision for the camper another season. In fact, some one declared that another season should not pass

without such convenience at Wayne for the campers.

We have just received a little letter telling of the auto tourists who visited the resorts of Colorado. Denver is proposing to spend \$250,000 next year for additional camping facilities. Of the recorded travel in that state last year Nebraska was second in the number of cars registered at their camps, and the number from this state was 6,070.

Fortner wants your eggs.—adv.

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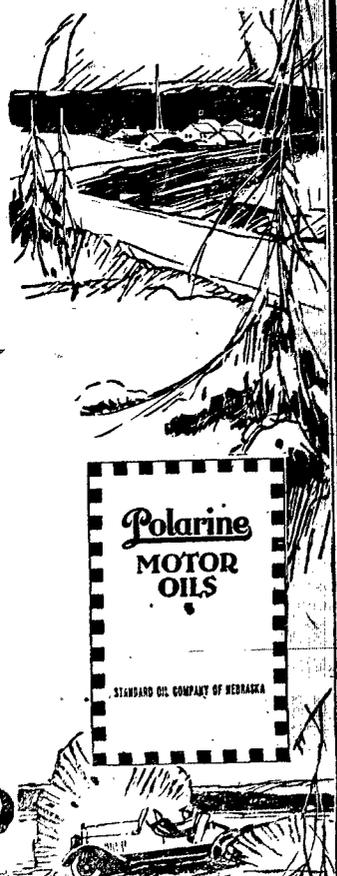
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WAYNE MARKET REPORT

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

Corn	.....	.25
Oats	.....	.20
Fries	.....	.14
Hens	.....	.16
Roosters	.....	.08
Eggs	.....	.40
Butter Fat	.....	.25
Hogs	.....	\$4.50 to \$6.00
Cattle	.....	\$5.50 to \$8.00

The news dispatches last week told that Congressman Flood had died, and that congress had suspended work for a day on that account. By that sign, if they do not make a better showing than they have a lot of them will die politically next November.

The New State, the "New Party Organ" says the people should not expect too much from the new party, or its paper. That the people will have to do some of the things they want done or they cannot be done. "There is no substitute for thrift and hard work."

Now Germany is accused of having a lobby at Washington in the interest of their trade in dyestuffs. It is claimed that Germany wants to regain by lobbying what she lost by war in the matter of trade. Better investigate this matter, and then name another committee to investigate the investigators.

Will M. Maupin of the Gering Midwest, it is said, is announcing himself as candidate for the democratic nomination for governor. Well, he may be all right—for he has been accused of writing the speeches and perhaps the state papers of one of Nebraska's fairly successful governors. He might be able to do better for himself than he did for the ex-governor.

Secretary of Agriculture, Wallace is reported as wanting chemists and farmers to work together, the latter with the former to so inoculate the soil that it will produce better and bigger crops. That is well and good, and should not be neglected. Then the secretary will confer a great favor if he can get some chemist who will so inoculate the finances of our great land as to make a better and larger price for farm produce one of the possibilities. Prices should at least be sufficient to pay the cost of production.

Over in France, according to the Nebraska committee on publicity, the former minister of Posts and Telegraphs, wants the government owned and operated equipment turned to a private concern. He wants the government to take the company's bonds in payment, and let the government regulate rates. They quote this former minister as saying that the sys-

tem in France is the worst in the world, which is not intended as praise of his management of the system, we judge. He admires the privately owned system of this country.

The Democrat has not fully agreed with some of the matter sent out to the press of the state in other weeks by a Nebraska publicity organization—but we concede to them the right to their opinion as we claim our right to view things and express the views, but we are glad to publish what they give this week in part. They do not condemn those who are burning corn instead of coal—and state that with local prices as they are in Nebraska eight dollars worth of corn is equal to twelve dollars worth of coal. Why not practice economy?

The Hampshire Advocate puts the story like this, in a cartoon on the first page of that monthly: "Why market 20,000 bushels of corn when 8,985 bushels fed to Ayrshire cattle, or 3,025 bushels fed Hampshire hogs will put the same amount of money in the bank?" If their proportions are true, and we assume that they are, and also that other good cattle or good hogs would produce practically the same result, it indicates that 17,010 bushels of corn properly fed will bring twice as much money as will 20,000 bushels sold as corn at the market price. In other words by proper feeding, at the present corn price one may get more than twice as much for the crop as to sell it. And more than that, if the crop is sold, it is taken from the farm—but if fed, it is put back into the land as a fertilizer. In this last capacity it has a great value, for it will make itself felt for a number of seasons. If you cannot arrange to feed your present corn crop this year, begin to plan to get the most out of the next crop. A farm owner should make a liberal allowance to a renter who can and will feed the crop on the farm. It is worth money to the owner.

Felt Comfy Slippers for men. S. R. Theobald & Co.

TELEPHONE COMPANY ASKS FOR A HEARING

(Bloomfield Monitor)
The Union Telephone Company of this place has filed a petition with the state Railway Commission asking for a hearing for the purpose of establishing new rates at its three exchanges, Wausa, Crofton and Bloomfield, such new rates to be effective from and after December 31, 1921. In compliance with request of this petition the Commission has issued an order for such hearing to be held at Bloomfield, Monday, December 13, 1921, at 2:00 p. m.

The rates now in effect have prevailed since April 1st. According to the order by which these rates were established, they automatically revert at midnight, December 31st, to the old rates previously in force, unless new rates have been established by the Commission prior to that time. The petition the Union Telephone Company has filed with the Commission at this time does not ask that the rates now in force be continued, nor does it name any other definite rates. It merely asks the Commission to establish, approve and fix "fair and reasonable rates."

Now that expression "fair and reasonable" is decidedly elastic. As required by law, the Union Telephone Company has incorporated in its petition to the Railway Commission a report of its business during the past year. This report shows that even with the present increased rates in effect, the Company has operated at a loss. If the Commission were to base its rulings exclusively on the face showing of this report it would necessarily mean still another advance in rates. There is, however, the probability that the Commission in fixing rates for next year will take into consideration the lower operating costs that must of necessity follow the general decline in prices. Again the fact that the telephone people have asked that the hearing be held at Bloomfield and not at the Lincoln office of the Commission, making it possible for patrons in general to attend, would indicate that the company is willing that the Commission should view the matter also from the standpoint of the patrons and fix rates that are "fair and reasonable" as between man and man right now in these times of general depression.

Believing that the time to speak is when the question is open for discussion, the Gazette would avail itself of the opportunity to have its say, and would at the same time urge Wausa patrons of the Union Telephone Company to attend the hearing at Bloomfield and present their side of the case to the Commission.

Tuesday morning members of the railway commission, who had been at the meeting at Bloomfield were thru Wayne on their way home, where they will consider the case in the light of what they heard at the Bloomfield meeting. From other sources we learn that



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 - Neck Scarfs
 - Yarns and Threads for Fancy Work
 - Warm Felt Shoes
 - Shoes or Slippers
 - Sweaters
 - Gloves and Mittens
 - Hosiery
 - Slippers
 - Yarn Caps and Croched Hoods for Little Folks
- and a wealth of other useful things too numerous to enumerate

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We can provide the many needed things for a Christmas dinner in fruits and vegetables as well as staple groceries.

For Candies, nuts and the like, we have the fine assortment needed, and the quality and price is right. In fact we feel confident that on all of our offering the prices will be not the least of their attractiveness.

Visit us for your holiday shopping.

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for Christmas. All fresh arrivals on purpose to supply the big demand. Popular price 25 cents per pound for good, fresh, wholesome candy. That includes satin finished pieces, cream peanut fudge, chocolates, coconut and peanut brittles. You are interested in securing wholesome candy. We are quoting pre-war prices.

New Nuts

Walnuts, filberts, almonds and brazil nuts—all new 1921 crop. Mixed nuts—our own mixture—all new nuts. No black walnuts, hickory or peanuts, 25 cents per pound.

Buy your candy and nuts now. We will pack and lay aside until wanted.

100 Christmas Trees

Just arrived and ready for sale. Select your tree now while you can get a perfect one. We will mark and set aside for you.

Ear Pop Corn

1921 crop, fresh and clean; pops fine, either smooth or rice variety; eight pounds for 25 cents.

As a suggestion we have pure sweet apple cider, gallon jugs, \$1.00.

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Fifteen Pounds for \$1.00

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1/2 gallon jar (Mason) honey	\$1.00
Canned apricots or peaches in syrup, 2 1/2 size, per dozen	\$2.25
Canned raspberries, loganberries, blackberries, heavy syrup	.....	\$4.25
(Note prices on best quality canned berries.)	.....
20 oz. pure fruit (apple base) jelly	.....	25c
21 oz. pure fruit (apple base) jam	.....	\$ for \$1.00
21 oz. pure fruit and sugar jam	.....	50c
Two packages Yeast Foam	.....	15c
Two large Jersey Corn Flakes	.....	35c
One pound pure cocoa	.....	25c
One pound white shredded coconut	.....	35c
Three Palm Olive soap	.....	25c
Corn syrup, per gallon	.....	50c
Three Jumbo toilet paper	.....	25c
One pound pure white soap chips (you will like it for washing silk or woolen apparel) per pound	.....	20c
Fine Soap Chips, general laundry work, two pounds for	.....	25c
Soft shell walnuts, per pound	.....	30c
Two cans tall Better Milk	.....	25c
Two pounds Peanut Brittle	.....	25c

Basket Store

the meeting at Bloomfield was well attended by farmers and citizens of Bloomfield, Wausa and other interested towns. The opera house was also well filled with interested spectators. One of our informants tells us that the Bloomfield people have almost forgotten the telephone, and find that they may get along well without it—and that they are almost unanimously standing pat on their proposition to resist any advance in rates.

Another tells us that it seemed to be a part of the mission of the officials to consider the financial condition of the people and whether or not they were too poor to pay a rate satisfactory to the telephone people. In questioning one prominent farmer from just out of town they alluded to the fact that many of them had seemed to come into the meeting like men in very comfortable circumstances, in automobiles, to which the farmer replied that inasmuch as they were honored by a visit from these great state officials they felt that they must appear at their very best, and that the farmers had acquired their automobiles in the days of prosperity of good prices for farm products, and when the telephone people were not trying to take so much in high rates for their services. But now, they could not buy automobiles, and that many of them were keeping them because no one would or could purchase them; and for use on such state occasions, when they must put their best foot first.

The decision of the commission in the matter is not yet given out.

The largest stock of Handkerchiefs in town, 5c to 75c. S. R. Theobald & Co.

NOW TIME FOR HOG KILLING

Knowing that during the winter months the farmers can best kill and cure their meat for the year, and especially their pork, we give the following suggestions, taken from the government weekly news letter, which also tells those interested to send for farmer's bulletin 1186 for a much more exhaustive story than we can tell, by writing to the Department of Agriculture at Washington:

"Every farmer can well produce the pork and pork products which are consumed on his farm, for selling hogs and buying pork involves profits, but not to the farmer engaged in the practice. Highly nutritious and palatable pork products for home use are easily made, says the bulletin. Pork can be cured and canned in a

number of ways, and the variety of products affords a supplement to the daily meals.

Young Hogs Yield Best Meat

A hog of medium condition, gaining rapidly in weight, yields the best quality of meat. A reasonable amount of fat gives juiciness and flavor to the meat, but large amounts of fat are objectionable. Smooth, even, and deeply fleshed hogs yield nicely marbled meats. The meat of old hogs will be improved if they are properly fattened before slaughter, but young hogs from 8 to 12 months old are best for furnishing the home meat supply.

Even if the hog has been properly fed and carries a prime finish, the best quality of meat can not be obtained if the animal is not healthy. There is always some danger that diseases may be transmitted to the person who eats the meat, particularly if it is not thoroughly cooked.

Hogs intended for slaughter should not be kept on full feed up to the time of killing. It is better to hold them entirely without food for 18 to 24 hours prior to that time, but they should have all the fresh drinking

water they want. It is essential to have the proper equipment for rapid and skillful work at killing time. Such equipment includes a straight sticking knife, a cutting knife, a 14-inch steel to keep the knives sharp, a hog hook for holding the animals, a bell-shaped stick scraper, a gambrel for holding the hog to facilitate cleaning and cutting the meat, and a meat saw. If the hog is not too large, a barrel is a convenient receptacle for scalding.

Complete directions for killing and cleaning a hog, properly cutting the portions of meat, rendering lard, making sausage, smoking cured meat, and home canning of pork and pork products are described.

Give him an order for a pair of shoes from Morgan's Toggery.

LAND BARGAINS—Write for my large list on crop payment plan Jess Kisner, Garden City, Kan. D1-4P.

Christmas Dinner

Comes But Once a Year

The family and guests on this annual occasion are entitled to and are expecting the very best that is going—and there is no reason why they should not have it.

If you will let us supply the GROCERIES for the occasion (we mean that whole array of accessories, far too many to mention, from sugar to cranberries, from pickles to candies—no matter what) you may find it here. Telephone or a personal visit all the same.

Our APPLES AND FRUIT stock is complete in assortment and prices. Order any special vegetables needed early, and be assured of very best service.

Wayne Grocery

Phone 499

Winter & Huff, Props.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. C. W. Hiscox spent the day at Sioux City.

All skirts reduced. S. R. Theobald & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sund went to Sioux City this morning. Mrs. Sund will consult the doctors.

Mrs. L. G. Keck left this morning for Lorton, where she will spend a few days visiting with relatives.

Mrs. H. P. Peterson of Winside who has been visiting at the home of her daughter Mrs. Chas. Reese returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McGuire and family from near Pender, were Wayne visitors the first of the week, guests of Mrs. Ed Sellers.

Goat warm leather vests make fine holiday gifts for men. Morgan's Toggery.

F. M. Gregg, formerly of this place, and now of Lincoln, has been at Wayne a day or two this week, in the interest of the Wesleyan university.

Sometimes it is just a skirt that you most need. Your every need in this line may be supplied at the Mrs. Jeffries' store.—adv.

Miss Helen Blair, who was visiting with home folks, returned to her school work at Norfolk Wednesday morning.

The coatsleeve is obsolete as a wrap for the young lady—buy a fur for her Christmas present, young man. Mrs. Jeffries sells good ones.—adv.

President U. S. Conn of the college, and F. S. Berry, a member of the state board of education, were at Lincoln the first of the week, attending a meeting of the board.

It is time to buy your winter hat if you have need of one, and you may have choice of anything in stock at half price. I do not want to carry a single piece of millinery over. Mrs. Jeffries.—adv.

Arthur and Harry McKay from St. Edwards have been her visiting their sister, Mrs. W. N. MacGregor, and left this morning with Messrs. Fisher and Souders for an automobile trip to California.

If you are buting a Christmas gift for a man come to an exclusive store for men. Morgan's Toggery.

If the weather becomes cold enough there may be skating on college hill a little later; for they are commencing to put water into the new reservoir just completed. The last work done was caulking the cracks which came where the joints were made when the basin was constructed.

Mrs. Nettie Sears, who has been visiting for some time at the home of a daughter in Council Bluffs, Iowa, spent most a week at her home here, and Wednesday morning went to Coleridge to visit her daughter, Mrs. Dempsey, and after a few days there will go to visit a son living at Oakes, Iowa. It is at this price that she is planning to spend Christmas.

Warm Comfy slippers for women. \$2.00. S. R. Theobald & Co.

Mrs. Venie Hughes, who for a number of years lived northwest of Wayne, returned to her home at Venus Wednesday evening, after spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Youngmeyer. Mrs. Hughes was there in the capacity of practical nurse, and tells us that it is her purpose to devote some time to that work.

C. A. Holmquist of Wausau and wife were here one evening last week returning from Omaha, where they had been visiting, and Mr. Holmquist was also attending the state meeting of the Nebraska association of county commissioners and supervisors. At this meeting he was elected to succeed himself as secretary-treasurer of the organization. We failed to obtain any extended report of their activities at this meeting.

When looking for gifts for Christmas, tell it in Records. What could be better than a record of a friend's favorite music or song? What better than one of my new Christmas records? It is an ever ready reminder of the friendship of the donor, says, A. G. Bohnert, who sells Columbia records of all kinds, as well as the Columbia Grafanola. Call 254 or call at his home on south Main street. No trouble to play for you.—Adv.

This morning, W. L. Fisher, his son Alfred and J. W. Souders, of this place, left by automobile for a drive to southern California, where they will visit relatives, view the scenery and possibly keep an eye open for some good business opening—or at least get some impression of how they would like to live in that land—if well, if they decide they wish to. They were accompanied by Arthur and Harry McKay from St. Edwards.

Furs—muff or neck piece to match, or sold seperately. S. R. Theobald & Co.

Ahern's

CHOICE GIFTS FOR CHRISTMAS

This Year Brings Our Best and Biggest Display of Useful, Sensible, Christmas Like Merchandise.

Folks Hunting for Gifts

Will find here a great collection of useful, giftable things for every member of the family.

Our stock has been made ready for a much larger Christmas trade than usual because this year every one is looking for practical useful gifts such as a store like ours handles.

The same measure of love and Christmas happiness can be conveyed by gifts, that will count for something all through the year. Little home comforts bring the thoughtful giver to mind daily. Warm snug wearing apparel is appreciated alike by boys and girls, men and women. Our store is filled with these things your friends and family would be so glad to use; why not shop here and make it a really practical Christmas by selecting presents from things to wear and things for the home?

We all get the most pleasure out of Christmas buying if we are lucky enough to choose the gift which brings a sincere—"Oh, this is just what I have been wanting." Finding such gifts is made easier by a visit to a store like ours which has assembled a fine special stock of Christmas merchandise.

Come in and look through the hundreds of gift articles we have on display. We have set them out on specially built display tables, cases and racks where you can look them over at your leisure. You are almost sure to find the "wanted" gifts among such a great variety.

Everything is priced in plain figures. You are at liberty to examine and handle every article. We have tried in every way to arrange things so that you could do your Christmas shopping to your own advantage. We will be glad to wait on you or be helpful as we can with suggestions if you wish it, but we will not urge you to buy or hurry you in any way. We want you to feel welcome to look through our Christmas stocks as often and as long as you wish.

When in Chicago two weeks ago attending the clearing sales of the Chicago wholesale houses, we bought some real bargains in merchandise a real deal of which is specially suited for Christmas giving. One firm was closing out their remaining stock of holiday handkerchiefs, and we bought a fine assortment at much below regular prices. You will find men's real linen kerchiefs here now at 25 cents and a finer linen with heavily worked initial, a regular 75 cent quality, on sale at 59 cents. Ladies' fine lawn handkerchiefs with colored embroidered corners are here in great variety at 10, 25 and 50 cents. All of them regularly worth one-third more.

We also got a fine value in 54 inch all-wool tricotine, navy and brown to sell at \$2.85; this is 80 cents below early fall prices. A fine French serge, 54-inch was bought to sell at \$2.00, which means a saving of 75 cents. Handkerchiefs, linen, dressers, scarfs, center pieces, Japanese table covers, wool gauntlet gloves and mittens, hair bow ribbons to sell at 25 cents and 35 cents, men's neckwear and a great many other lines of merchandise most suitable.

Christmas giving were also secured at good reductions in price which will mean much to you in your Christmas shopping. We were also successful in getting some lines of goods that are in great demand at this time and almost impossible to find such as clocked and plain leather hosiery to sell at \$1.50 to \$2.00; patent brogue and dancing oxfords; stamped fancy work pieces in certain design and a full line of colors in yarns and D. M. C. crochet threads. You can depend on us to have the up to date things for you as well as the bargains.



Xmas Handkerchiefs

Gift Handkerchiefs At Special Low Prices

At the Chicago Clearing Sale we bought a lot of fine bargains in handkerchiefs. The embroidered ones at 10c are nicer than we have been having for 15c. At 18c, 25c and 35c there are hundreds of fine patterns in both white and colors. Mens' fine initial handkerchiefs are 25c for the lawn and 50c for the pure linen. Mens' plain all linen handkerchiefs are here at 25c—the lowest price in years. Don't miss our handkerchief stock.

To Please Sister



Select a handsome bow and fasten it on one of the new circle combs which have an opening for this purpose. We have a fine new 24-piece assortment of hair bow priced very special at 35 cents a yard.

Sweaters Please Everyone



XMAS SWEATERS

And now that the prices are back within reason they will be very generally given.

Ladies' fine worsted tuxedo sweaters—the dressy sort aer \$7.50 to \$8.50. Good heavy rope stitch styles built for warmth are \$3.50 to \$5.00.

Boys and girls styles are \$2.50 to \$4.00.

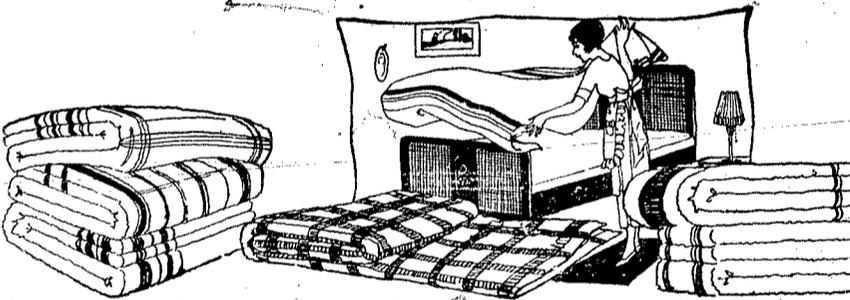


Xmas Gloves

Gloves Are Ideal Gifts

Folks put off buying fine kid gloves always until after Christmas, hoping to be remembered with a pair. You are sure to guess right if you guess gloves. All the late styles in fine Kid heavy Cape Kid, brushed wool gauntlets for skating and lined silk for warmth and dress combined are here for you in all sizes.

If you don't get the size right we will exchange them after Christmas gladly.



Give Blankets to The Young Married Folks

A pair of nice wool or wool nap blankets will bring joy to the newly married daughter or daughter-in-law. Fine, big wool nap blankets in pretty blue or tan plaids at \$5.00, or all-wool plaid blankets at \$7.50 are the ones they admire the most.

New Shoes

Santa's Most Appreciated Gift

For the money they cost there is no gift that will bring greater or more lasting pleasure to every member of the family, from mother down to the baby, than a pair of nice, new shoes.

This year one feels more like giving shoes too because prices have come down a good deal, and good looking, good wearing shoes for wife or mother can be had for \$4.85 to \$7.50; while the boys and girls can be fitted out in our best graded at \$3.00 to \$5.00, according to size.

We can help you select sizes—should we miss it we will exchange gladly after Xmas.



J&K SHOES Fit the Arch



A Choice Gift from man to wife

The gift of a pretty blouse never fails to delight her. If the husband makes the selection she takes a greatly added pleasure in wearing it. We can tell you about the size and help you to choose a becoming style. And if we should miss it she is perfectly welcome to exchange it. Pretty blouses are here at \$6.00 to \$7.50; the real beauties that they all admire most are \$10.00 to \$15.00.



Soft Cozy Slippers bring Comfort and Pleasure

Women Like —the kind easy to slip on if baby wakes at night. Equally convenient for cool mornings around the house. Fine, soft felt slippers in popular colors. Per pair 75c to \$1.85.

Men Value —restful, satisfying house slippers. Such good looking ones pass muster when company "drops in." In soft kid with leather soles. Per pair \$2.50 to \$3.25.

The warm, easy ones of felt. Per pair \$1.75 to \$2.25.

The Kiddies Love —pretty little cozies of bright felt with attractive designs. A safe protection from drafts and chilly bathroom floors. Per pair \$1.50 to \$1.75.

Good Mixed Candy 20c Pound



and a can of Chase & Sanborn's Seal Brand coffee "The finest grown" Don't leave it out!

GOOD THINGS TO EAT This is the time of year when you and your guests must appreciate good things to eat. Get Pillsbury Flour, Riches' Canned Corn, Chase and Sanborn's Coffee and you'll have the best in the land. These goods are served at almost all public and social functions in Wayne because of their superior quality.

Dr. T. B. Heckert
Dentist
Opposite Postoffice

W. H. Phillips, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon
Wayne, Nebr.
Res. Phone 120 Office phone 70

W. S. Payne, M.D.
Physician and Surgeon
Office in Wightman block.
Phone 67 Wayne, Neb.

speculative crops from the voluntary reporters come direct to the Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates and are tabulated on separate sheets for each crop.

Strict Precautions to Observe Secrecy

On the evening before crop-report day all telephones are disconnected. The next morning all doors are locked, and guards are stationed at the outer door to prevent anyone entering or leaving when the crop-reporting board is in session. The sealed reports of field agents and crop specialists in the custody of the Secretary are turned over to the chief of the bureau, and the crop-reporting board begins its work. The board is composed of the Associate Chief of the Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates, three of his most experienced assistants, and usually one or more field agents.

HOW UNCLE SAM'S CROP REPORTS ARE HANDLED

As a great agricultural district from which crop reports are sent, and to which they are returned compiled and complete for state and nation it should be of interest to know the system by which these reports are gathered and sent back to the people. From the Weekly News Letter, sent out from Washington, we gather the story of the handling of the reports of more than 200,000 volunteer reporters in every county in the United States, under direction of trained field agents in each state, all under obligation to secrecy until the report issues; with penalties attached for letting any of the news leak. The letter says:

The time is 2:14 p. m.; the place, the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. In an anteroom several men are standing around a table, each with one hand upon it, holding a large sheet of paper. The quarter hour strikes. There is a race for the door. A moment more and telegraph wires lead to virtually every city and town in the United States are singing with the message of estimated crop conditions.

At the last meeting of the General Assembly of the International Institute of Agriculture at Rome, made up of delegates from the principle countries of the world, it was freely conceded that the United States has developed the most complete and accurate system of agricultural statistics ever devised. The work of crop estimating is so systematized and safeguarded that no one in or out of the department can know what a given crop report will be until estimate is completed a few minutes before its release, and in that short interval locked doors and disconnected telephones prevent anyone from obtaining advance information.

Reports Come From Every Town

There are approximately 220,000 voluntary crop reporters located in all parts of the United States. A trained statistician or field agent is also placed in each state or group of similar states and supervises the work of gathering statistics in the territory under his charge. At the end of each month each field agent tabulates the crop information received from his reporters, averages and summarizes the data, and reports the result to the Department of Agriculture at Washington.

Local reporters in every township or other small civil unit in every county in the United States report direct to the department every month crop conditions under their observation. Each county also is represented by a county reporter, who reports his personal observations, the reports of neighbors and others, and information received by interviews and over the telephone.

The monthly reports cover acreage, condition, yield, total production, stocks on farms, progress of farm work, wages, supply or deficiency of farm labor, fertilizers, and seeds. These reports are made for about 60 crops, which represent about 95 per cent of the total agricultural production in the United States.

The reports of field agents on the speculative crops are mailed direct to the secretary of agriculture in special envelopes. These are separated from other mail in the Washington post office and are delivered by messenger to the secretary or his first assistant, who places them, with the seals unbroken, in a safe, to which he alone has the key. The reports remain locked in the safe until the morning of crop report day. The returns on

Made In Wayne

Three Popular Brands
CIGARS
PRICED DOWN For Christmas Trade
LINCOLN 50 Cigars \$2.25
LUXUS per box \$2.75
DAMMEYERS HAND MADE \$3.25
and other popular brands

An acceptable present for any smoker. Wrapped for mailing, if you wish.

Wm. Dammeyer
Maker of Good Cigars
2nd St., West of First Nat'l Bank.

Crushing of profiteering. Prices of farm products must not be allowed to go below cost of production and wages must not be allowed to go below cost of living.

Operation of all carriers operated at cost for benefit of all people. Credits must be taken over by government and government must be allowed to give relief from unemployment.

The following program of action was declared in substance—
Government ownership of railroads and all other means of communication.

Presidential primary, referendum on declaration of war; initiative and referendum on national legislation questions; abolition of party circles; establishment of open primary.

Drastic cuts in public expenses and taxes; abolition of code system of government; abolition of state railway commission; adequate marketing facilities and rural credit systems similar to South Dakota law with limitation of home rentals to a reasonable profit.

Taking over of federal reserve bank system, and direct issue of currency by the federal government in the interest of all the people.

State ownership of water power and equalize rights of metropolitan cities with other cities to own and operate electric light and power plant and other public utilities.

Encouragements of all co-operative movements.

Equal political rights for all citizens including free religion.

Right of collective bargaining and

collective marketing; restriction of use of injunctions in labor disputes, with workman's compensation law based on as opposed to indemnity insurance.

Welfare legislation to protect the children of the state.

The report of the organization committee recommended formation of a state committee comprising a man and a woman from each county except Lancaster and Douglas. In the former three were advised and in the latter five.

In addition an executive committee of seven was discussed from outside the state committee, one from each district and one at large, with the usual state committee officers in addition.

TEN REASONS WHY FARMERS NEED TO CO-OPERATE

1. To assemble their products most economically at country points.

2. To establish and maintain plants for handling their products at country points.

3. To become a factor and wield an influence in the marketing of their products.

4. To undertake actual commercial distribution of their products.

5. To obtain commercial efficiency in the marketing of their products.

6. To stabilize the supply in accordance with the market demand.

7. To secure for producers the services of marketing experts.

8. To reduce the cost of supplies required in marketing.

9. To eliminate speculation and waste.

10. To secure direct and orderly distribution.

Business men in cities co-operate why not farmers?

LET ME HELP ECONOMIZE

Just now most of us are practicing economy in some form. I am ready to help you save by repairing broken furniture, and making it as serviceable as new, and often as good looking.

Call at my shop or home, or call 381-J. T. C. Ferrel, Wayne, and I will call at any city home for the furniture, and return it when mended.—Adv.

SANITARY TOILET FOR SALE

May be installed easily in any home, and is needed often by feeble persons and children. Inquire at Democrat office. Phone 145.—Adv.

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

Wayne, Nebraska, December 6th 1921. Board met as per adjournment. All members present. Minutes of meeting held November 22nd 1921, read and approved. \$500.00 is hereby transferred from the County General Fund to

Inheritance Tax Fund. Comes now Chas. W. Reynolds, County Clerk, showing amount of fees earned by him for the quarter ending September 30th 1921, amounting to the sum of \$466.55, and the payment of the same into the county treasury as shown by receipt herein filed, was examined and on motion daily approved, and the board finds that he earned fees as follows:

54 Deeds	\$ 56.75
53 Mortgages	79.40
60 Releases	55.55
250 Chattel Mortgages	50.00
79 Certificates	29.50
20 Assignments	19.60
4 Mechanic's Liens	4.65
20 Reports	9.45
20 Farm Leases	5.00
25 Affidavits	22.80
3 Extension of mortgages	4.25
12 Contracts	3.00
13 Bonds	13.00
1 Copy of Deed	.25
5 Bills of Sale	1.25
1 Affidavit	17.00
2 Licenses	2.00
2 Proof of Publications	1.50
2 Letters Testamentary	1.80
1 Amendment to Articles of Incorporation	1.10
1 Financial Statement	1.10
1 Copy of Her	.25
1 Partial satisfaction of judgment	1.00
1 Application and order	2.75
1 Lien	.25
1 Lease	.25
3 Bonds recorded	3.00
320 Acknowledgments to claims	80.00
Total	\$466.55

The following claims are on motion audited and allowed and warrants ordered drawn on the respective funds as herein shown, said warrants to be available December 17th 1921.

No.	Name	What for	Amount
General Fund—To be reimbursed from State Highway Fund:			
2308	D. J. Cavanaugh, Chief Patrolman's salary	Patrol No. 1—Road No. 17	\$120.00
2310	Grant L. Zimmerman, Ass't Patrolman's salary		120.00
2330	Corryell & Brock, Repairing truck		1.40
2340	Carhart Lumber Company, Posts	Road No. 17—Patrol No. 1—Heavy Maintenance	2.33
2342	Carhart Lumber Company, Lumber	Patrol No. 2—Road No. 17	2.38
2299	Nash Sales Company, Repairs for truck		21.45
2311	G. W. Smith, Chief Patrolman's salary		120.00
2312	Luther Keene, Ass't Patrolman's salary		110.00
2318	Merchant & Strahan, Gasoline and oil		83.69
2339	Corryell & Brock, Repairing truck		.40
2341	Carhart Lumber Company, Posts	Road No. 17—Patrol No. 2—Heavy Maintenance	6.08
2315	Department of Public Works, Repairs for tractor	Patrol No. 3—Road No. 23	12.90
2297	Fred Thomsen, 10 days as Ass't Patrolman		42.00
2313	J. M. Bamberly, Chief Patrolman's salary		120.00
2317	Merchant & Strahan, Grease		3.50
2362	A. C. Bichel Auto Co., Gasoline, oil and storage		64.05
2388	Ekeroth & Sar, Hardware, posts and oil		55.55
2314	B. E. Dewey, Ass't Patrolman's salary	Patrol No. 4—Grandland Highway	110.00
2319	Merchant & Strahan, Oil		8.75
2367	Gahler Bros., Garage, Repairs for truck		23.45
2378	Star Dray Line, Drayage and road work		12.00
General Fund:			
No.	Name	What for	Amount
2777	Mrs. S. R. Wafnack, Refund of part of 1920 tax		\$ 10.00
2298	J. B. Lodge, Carroll, Rent of bldg for 3 elections		18.00
2283	J. S. Gambill, Rent of house for Farmer family for January 1921		12.50
2285	K-B Printing Company, Supplies for Co. Commissioner \$12.00, Co. Judge \$1.25, Co. Treasurer \$5.00, Co. Clerk \$8.75, total		27.00
2289	Crowell Lumber & Grain Co., Coal for Elcher family		6.00
2293	I. C. Larsen, Blacksmithing		149.00
2320	Wayne Herald, Printing		10.66
2323	Chas. W. Reynolds, Co. Clerk's salary for November		166.87
2325	Chas. W. Reynolds, Making 1921 tax list		475.00
2326	Chas. W. Reynolds, Certificates to State Department		7.75
2328	Chas. W. Reynolds, Postage for November		12.27
2329	Elsie Merriman, Salary as Deputy Co. Clerk for November		104.17
2327	May Belle Carlson, Salary as Ass't to Co. Clerk for November		65.00
2328	O. C. Lewis, One-half of coal at jail		52.98

2332	City of Wayne, Lights for November	22.30
2335	E. M. Laughlin, Load of cobs for Janitor	5.00
2337	Herb Shufelt, Board and care of Haines children for November	20.00
2337	J. R. Rundell, Groceries for Mrs. Elcher	21.03
2338	J. R. Rundell, Groceries for John Miller	3.05
2339	Carhart Lumber Company, Coal for Mel Norton	7.00
2343	Carhart Lumber Company, Lumber	14.29
2346	O. C. Lewis, Salary as Sheriff for November	100.00
2347	O. C. Lewis, 6 days board of John Miller	6.00
2348	O. C. Lewis, Transporting John Miller to Home for Aged at West Point	8.00
2349	O. C. Lewis, 41 days board of Victor Freed	30.75
2350	O. C. Lewis, 41 days jail fees on Victor Freed	61.50
2351	O. C. Lewis, One-half drayage bill for coal	6.62
2352	Nebraska Institution for Feeble-Minded, Care and custody of Harvey Miller	157.76
2353	Nebraska Institution for Feeble-Minded, Care and custody of Lulu Mae Lawrence	27.38
2359	Mrs. Art Lyman, 3 weeks board and care of Elwood Jones	15.75
2360	The Fair, Flour for Mrs. Eric Larson	2.50
2363	P. M. Corbit, Services as Highway Commissioner for November	45.00
2364	P. M. Corbit, Expense as Highway Commissioner for November	21.85
2365	P. M. Corbit, Services as Commissioner for November	55.00
2366	Edith M. Cherry, Salary as Assistant to Co. Judge for November	66.65
2368	State Journal Company, Supplies for Co. Clerk \$8.12, Co. Treasurer \$15.00, total	166.12
2378	Star Dray Line, Winside, Drayage	2.75
2384	Hammond & Stephens Co., Supplies for Co. Superintendent	.66
2385	N. H. Hanson, Registrar of births and deaths for 3rd quarter	1.75
2386	F. H. Bensch, Registrar of births and deaths for 3rd quarter	9.00
2390	Northwestern Bell Telephone Company, November tolls, December year	33.56
2391	L. E. Panabaker, Janitor's salary for November	80.00
2392	Mrs. Bertha Cooper, Registrar of births and deaths for 3rd quarter	4.00
2393	H. S. Smith, Registrar of births and deaths for 3rd quarter	1.50
2394	Mrs. C. F. Montgomery, Registrar of births and deaths for 3rd quarter	3.00
2396	J. J. Abern, Clothing for Elwood Jones	3.60
2399	Pearl E. Sewell, Salary as Co. Superintendent and postage for November	145.74
2404	William Echartow, Wire	1.05
2405	P. M. Corbit, Postage, express, phone, livery and load of cobs	14.69
2406	P. M. Corbit, December office rent	12.00
2407	Nebraska Democrat, Printing	94.85
2410	Wm. Armstrong, Registrar of births and deaths for 3rd quarter	.25
2413	J. M. Cherry, Salary as Co. Judge, postage and telephone for November	162.03
2414	Henry Rethwisch, Commissioner services	64.40
2416	Henry Ekman, Road dragging and carpenter work	53.80
2417	Uens Christensen, Road dragging and carpenter work	43.20
2420	Otto Miller, Commissioner services	55.00

Bridge Fund:

2415 Standard Bridge Company, Bridge work \$4,685.52
General Road Fund—Commissioner District No. 1

1863 Fort Dodge Culvert & Iron Mills Company, Corrugated culverts, claimed \$439.44 allowed at General Road Fund—Commissioner District No. 2 \$399.76

1863 Fort Dodge Culvert & Iron Mills Company, Corrugated culverts, General Road Fund—Commissioner District No. 3 \$298.56
Fort Dodge Culvert & Iron Mills Company, Corrugated culverts, \$438.55
Mother's Pension Fund:

2205 Maria Sophia Larson, Widow's pension for January 1922 \$40.00
Road District Funds:

2321 John T. Bressler Jr., Refund of poll tax Road District No. 14 \$2.50
Road District No. 18 \$2.00
1965 Wm. Harder, Road work \$12.00
2290 Chas. Thun, Dragging roads and filling tubes Road District No. 20 \$21.80

1664 Albert H. Kuhnheim, Road work \$12.00
1675 Henry Hansen, Road work, kerosene and oil \$75.00
1915 Fred Otto, Road and Grader work \$25.00
2259 Henry Hansen, Road work and oil \$12.46
Road District No. 22

2408 Lester Bartels, Road work and dragging roads Road District No. 26 \$27.40
1942 Roy Jones, Road work \$14.40
2069 Gwilym E. Jones, Road work \$6.00
2364 Franklin Rees, Road work \$4.80
2369 Howell Rees, Road work \$14.40
Road District No. 30

2423 Everett Roberts, Road work, filling culverts, and cash advanced Road District No. 31 \$86.55
R. C. Peterson, Road work Road District No. 32 \$30.00

2288 Frank Lorenz, Road work \$12.80
2301 Harry Hughes, Road work \$28.80
2302 Ismael Hughes, Road work \$9.60
Road District No. 33

2344 Axel Smith, Road work \$20.40
2345 Kling Bros., Road work \$12.00
Road District No. 36

2389 Jessie Jenkins, Road work \$6.00
Road District No. 40
2361 Luther Keeney, Road work \$9.60
2400 Arthur Likes, Road work \$2.20
Road District No. 41

2303 Robt. H. Jones, Surveying tile ditch \$29.00
2304 L. M. Owen, Assisting County Surveyor Road District No. 44 \$6.00
2309 Fritz Aevermann, Road work Road District No. 45 \$9.00

2367 Alfred Haglund, Road work \$3.00
2421 Albert Bichel, Raking and burning weeds Road District No. 46 \$6.00
2403 Swan Lundahl, Road work Road District No. 48 \$21.00
2329 Ed Longe, Road work Road District No. 49 \$12.00

2294 Julius C. Meyer, Road work \$18.00
2295 Albert D. Kai, Road work \$60.00
2374 W. G. Bressler, Road work \$4.80
Road District No. 50

2305 Henry Frevet, Refund of poll tax \$ 2.50
2358 Henry Frevet, Dragging roads Road District No. 52 \$20.25
2402 H. W. Bergt, Road work \$5.00
2409 Albert Greenwald, Road and bridge work Road District No. 53 \$4.40

2401 Emil Baier, Road work Road District No. 60 \$13.20
2412 Paul Deck, Bridge work Road District No. 65 \$12.50
2383 Herman Kremke, Road work Road District No. 66 \$27.00

Rejected Claims:
Claim No. 1761 of Robert L. Prince for road work, amounting to \$29.40 filed September 29th 1921, was examined and on motion rejected.

Laid Over Claims:

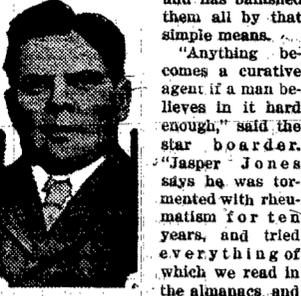
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1425 for	\$ 6.00	1440 for	\$ 6.00	1458 for	\$ 6.00
1432 for	6.00	1475 for	5.40	1589 for	9.60
1839 for	40.80	1879 for	45.00	1665 for	113.40
1913 for	117.00	1924 for	61.80	1848 for	312.00
2106 for	21.00	2110 for	18.00	1883 for	22.80
2114 for	36.00	2115 for	21.00	1930 for	15.00
1921					
163 for	6.00	308 for	3.00	958 for	16.20
995 for	81.20	1038 for	12.60	1456 for	24.00
1522 for	42.00	1525 for	197.98	1589 for	9.60
1659 for	30.90	1663 for	76.80	1665 for	113.40
1667 for	181.10	1691 for	8.10	1848 for	312.00
1898 for	351.56	1869 for	6.00	1883 for	22.80
1898 for	18.00	1924 for	200.88	1930 for	15.00
1931 for	28.80	1932 for	64.00	1933 for	51.10
1948 for	140.70	1962 for	17.40	2010 for	5.50
2015 for	63.00	2017 for	48.00	2030 for	16.20
2045 for	24.00	2046 for	69.30	2052 for	28.00
2054 for	34.60	2071 for	44.25	2091 for	36.00
2122 for	39.70	2125 for	100.40	2126 for	18.00
2206 for	40.00	2207 for	40.00	2211 for	11.20
2212 for	25.80	2214 for	22.20	2217 for	13.50
2222 for	43.20	2224 for	10.20	2238 for	27.00
2239 for	19.20	2240 for	43.20	2241 for	21.60
2242 for	32.40	2243 for	21.60	2251 for	16.20
2252 for	42.00	2253 for	42.00	2262 for	55.80
2263 for	8.70	2268 for	23.60	2283 for	43.20
2284 for	49.50	2286 for	40.50	2287 for	38.40
2291 for	18.00	2293 for	26.70	2296 for	25.20
2298 for	11.00	2300 for	32.00	2306 for	14.40
2307 for	12.00	2308 for	15.20	2319 for	105.47
2331 for	8.00	2324 for	8.10	2326 for	5.60
2355 for	49.86	2356 for	4.50	2370 for	69.30
2371 for	15.00	2372 for	16.20	2373 for	3.60
2375 for	8.00	2376 for	16.00	2377 for	17.75
2379 for	9.00	2380 for	12.00	2381 for	68.40
2382 for	53.60	2395 for	27.00	2397 for	106.20
2411 for	9.20	2418 for	22.20	2419 for	10.80
2422 for	20.70				

Uncle Walt's Story

Walt Mason

XX SURE CURES

OLD JINGLESON says he can cure any disease by drinking hot water," announced the bald boarder. "He has had every disease that is officially recognized by the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons and has banished them all by that simple means."



"Anything becomes a curative agent if a man believes in it hard enough," said the star boarder. "Jasper Jones says he was tormented with rheumatism for ten years, and tried everything of which we read in the almanacs, and nothing did him any good until he got a horse chestnut and carried it around in his pocket. Then the rheumatism disappeared, and hasn't played a return engagement since. I have talked with Jasper often, trying to point out the folly of his claim, but he refuses to yield an inch. I used to have all kinds of rheumatics before I got that horse chestnut," he says, "and now I haven't a single one. Who would ask better proof than that?"

"And echo answers who, my dear Mrs. Jiggers. It may be that a horse chestnut in the hip pocket is a specific for rheumatism. It isn't safe to denounce any theory as a false alarm."

"Ira Grifway used to be always groaning about his diseases, until it became unpleasant to meet him. He couldn't talk about anything else. He ignored the crops and regarded the weather with contempt, and devoted all his great energy and talents to a discussion of the things that were hurting him. Then all of a sudden he began boasting of how hale and hearty he was. He explained that the road to health was absurdly easy, and there was no excuse for sickness anywhere. All a man had to do, he said, was to get up early in the morning, before sunrise, and draw in a hundred long breaths of the crisp morning air."

"He made the discovery himself, and it was more important than any modern invention. His sincerity is shown by the fact that there was no possible graft connected with it. A man can't sell the morning atmosphere at so much per breath. Ira's great discovery was free to everybody. If I were going to invent a cure for anything I'd compound something that could be put up in bottles and sold at a dollar a throw. The man who invents a fresh air cure is running benevolence into the ground."

"His cure was so cheap that I decided to try it, as I was suffering from a broken heart and a sluggish liver at that period. I set my alarm clock for an hour before sunrise, and got up in the pale, bleak dawn, and put my head out of the window to inhale the prescribed hundred breaths. I had reached the twenty-seventh breath when a dissipated bee or wasp, on its way home from a night of revelry, stung me on the nose, and I was in such haste to put a porous plaster on that organ that I didn't finish the treatment, and never tried it again."

"But I knew many people who claimed they were cured of everything from the mumps, hoof and mouth disease, by the hundred-breaths treatment."

"There was a spring on my father's farm, and I doped it with sulphuric acid and a few other wholesome ingredients, and then began selling the water to the afflicted for ten cents a jug. Some marvellous cures were effected. Men hobbled there on crutches to buy the healing fluid, and when they left they threw their crutches away."

"For a brief session I had more small change than any boy in the county, but my father returned home from a visit, and when he found out what I had been doing, he interviewed me with a hickory pole, and for a year or two I was busy paying back the money I had collected from sufferers. The people who had been healed suffered a relapse as soon as they heard the water was faked; which goes to show, Mrs. Jiggers, that we are entitled to a better quality of butter on this table."

Way of Escape.
Flatbush—"That's a funny thing about a bow-legged man."

Bensonhurst—"What's that?"
"Why, when he meets a mad dog in a narrow alley he's more bow-legged than ever."

Just Like the Old Home.
Mr. Scapleigh—"Can you give my daughter a home such as she has been accustomed to?"
The Suitor—"Well, I've got a bull terrier and a fighting cat and a parrot and if that won't do it I know where I can get a chimpanzee."

The Dear Girls.
Dora—"Did you see the way that man smiled at me?"
Doris—"Yes, dear. Let me have a look at your face. Perhaps you've got a smut on your nose."

FATIMA WAS PERFECT WOMAN

But, According to This, She Should Have Lived to See Her Name on the Billboards.

Fatima lived in the Seventh century, but by all rhyme and reason should have lived in the present day, when she could see her name on the billboards and all the cigar store windows, remarks a writer in the Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune. Fatima was the perfect woman of her time. Married to a nobleman, one of the great rulers of Egypt, she bore three sons whose first names all started with A. Fatima was beautiful to look upon and tried during her time to grab all the best looking hoofers in and about Mecca—which, like Fatima, is celebrated in cigarette logs.

Fatima was a daughter of Mohammed, who wrote a number of oriental spectacles and staged several others at the Arabian Hippodrome, but who was shocked to death after seeing an American version.

Fatima shook her first husband and started in to win Bluebeard, not that the noted butcher appealed to her, but she was curious to know what happened to so many women in Bluey's balliwick.

Fatima was the symbol of feminine curiosity—in that, every time she heard of any local scandal, she said: "I'll look into that."

Fatima lived for 28 years, which was a long, long time when one considers the period in which she thrived—if she did thrive—and the very fact that she lasted over the honeymoon period with Bluebeard is greatly in her favor.

She was one of the first electricians of her day, being associated intimately with "Aladdin's lamp"—and lived to see her husband "lit up" several times during the darkest spells.

FIRST TO ILLUSTRATE BOOK

Roman Writer is Credited With Innovation, Many Years Before the Coming of Christ.

Book illustrations are so common nowadays, and the various processes of reproducing pictures in print so highly developed, that it seems almost strange to contemplate the fact that there was a time when the first illustrated book created a veritable sensation.

The event occurred in the year 70 B. C. Varro, a rather mediocre writer of ancient Rome, had been struggling for recognition for a good many years when he suddenly conceived the idea of preparing a volume containing the biographies of 700 of his most famous fellow-citizens.

History is silent on the rather interesting question whether Varro charged them for his services or not, but it is loud in his praise as the first writer who conceived the idea of illustrating his work with portraits.

They were crudely drawn, and as to whether they were good likenesses or not, will always remain an open question. But they were illustrations all the same, and after that the custom of embellishing historical works with drawings became a fad among the writers of those days.

Jenny Lind in 1851.
Anne Hollingsworth Wharton writes in her book, "In Old Pennsylvania Towns," that while visiting in Hollidaysburg friends told her of other and more romantic associations, still recalled by old inhabitants who remembered Jenny Lind's visit to Blair county in 1851. Mr. Snyder related an incident connected with the Swedish singer's stay at the Mountain house, which was situated at a railroad junction near Hollidaysburg.

While at this hotel the singer engaged a carriage to take her up the mountain side and on reaching a place from which there was an extended view of the distant mountains, the valley and the Juniata flowing through it, she was so impressed by beauty of the scene that she greeted it with an outburst of song so exquisite, said the narrator, that the birds, her only hearers except the coachman, must have felt that a rival of their own kind had joined them. The view of the hill and valley may have reminded the Swedish nightingale of some scene in her own land, as the song with which she broke in on the stillness of the mountain side was "Home, Sweet Home."

Erie Canal Souvenir.
Nearly 100 years ago, when the Erie canal was opened, De Witt Clinton poured a bucket of water from Lake Erie into New York bay as part of the opening exercises. The keg which was made use of on this occasion was preserved and now reposes in the museum of the New York Historical society. Clinton was really the father of the Erie canal and worked up a sentiment in its favor in the face of the greatest opposition. After he had served without any compensation for 15 years on the canal commission he was summarily removed by his political enemies and this act resulted in a boomerang for a great sympathy was expressed for Clinton, which ultimately resulted in his election as governor. It was then that he brought about the completion of the canal.

Natural Question.
Conductor (to nervous gentleman)—Well, you'd better not sit in the observation car. That's the one that gets the worst of it in an accident.
Nervous Gentleman—Why the devil do you bring it along, then?—Stockholm Kasper.

STREAM A FREAK OF NATURE

But Phenomenon in State of Washington Seems Simple—After It is Explained.

A small stream called Bear creek flowing from the glaciers of Mount Adams, near Husum, Wash., is a freak. It plays hide and seek along its course through the forest, slipping into a cave here, a crevice there and reappearing below a full fledged rivulet. Its bed is ice coated nearly the entire year; on the surface rocks float and in the water logs sink.

The water is bright yellow in one place, red in another and light bluing when it flows into the Columbia river.

Bear creek, differing from other streams, freezes at the bottom first instead of the surface. This is caused by a rocky formation, similar to a corrugated washboard, retarding the movement of the water, forcing the surface to move swifter. In this way air bubbles are shot downward, carrying freezing temperatures, and ice forms. Often in winter the stream flows while the bed is solid ice.

This stream also contains more water in one part of its system than in another. A 4-foot depth quickly becomes a tiny brooklet by the water disappearing into the porous volcanic bedrock. Later it reappears and resumes its course.

The logs that readily sink are a species of black jack pine with a specific gravity heavier than water. They are carried into the creek by landslides.

Rocks seen floating are a sort of pumice or lava cinders released by melting glaciers.

The yellow color is directed from the glaciers, the red caused by red clay bluffs, and the blue by a deposit of copper quartz through which the stream has cut its bed.

MYSTERY OF OLD EGYPT

Archeologists at a Loss to Explain the Presence of Buttons Found in Country.

Historians, archeologists and other experts in ancient lore are trying to solve the mystery of the buttons found in ancient Egypt; used in a country and at a time in which all garments were fastened by means of bands slipped into place, or by ties and loops. Buttons were not used.

The button, so far as is known, is of south European origin and it was only in the last two or three centuries that it came into use in north Europe, where the dress had been tied together and hose and doublet were fastened with point and laces.

Somehow buttons found their way from south Europe to Egypt. Some of these arrived in Egypt at about 2500 B. C., and others 1500 B. C. Historians are hoping that with the buttons as clues they may be able to obtain more information connecting the so-called prehistory of Europe with the ages-old records of Egypt.—Cleveland News-Leader.

Tinted Writing Paper.

Ocullists have often called attention to the fact that the eyes are easily fatigued by the reflection from white paper, especially when the surface is under a strong light. Since green is known to be the color most restful to the eyes, it is a common practice to use wall papers and draperies of that color in libraries and private studies. For writing paper, however, green is an unsatisfactory color. It imparts a reddish appearance to the writing and makes it hard to read. Yellow writing paper is not open to the same objection. In strong daylight it is softer than pure white paper, and in artificial light it is not too dark. Black letters on a yellowish background show clear and distinct. Many mathematicians use yellow paper in figuring long and difficult calculations, and many writers have adopted it for manuscripts. It has the additional merit of cheapness.

First Great Warship.

The first real advance in securing stability and great carrying power in a ship was made by a British architect, Phineas Pett, who built the Sovereign of the Seas, to carry 100 guns, in 1637. After launching he found that her enormous upper works, in which he had followed the fashion and, incidentally, the shipping defect of his period, made her somewhat unstable. So he took her back, boldly swept away all the cumbersome upper fittings, increased her length, gave her two decks instead of the original three, and reformed her as the Royal Sovereign.

Under this latter title she remained for 60 years the finest, staunchest, and most easily handled vessel in the British navy, far in advance of any other ship of her kind in the world.

Mythological Birds.

The Australian thick-headed shrike is about six inches long, rich-yellow below, with a jet-black collar and a white throat, black head and partly black tail. It is sometimes called the black-breasted flycatcher and white-throated thick-head, and it has also a variety of French and New Latin names.

In the mythology of some low tribes such as the Caribs, Brazilians, Harvey Islanders, Karens, Betchunas and Basutos there are legends of a flapping or flashing thunder bird, which seem to translate into myth the thought of thunder and lightning descending from the upper regions of the air, the home of the eagle and the vulture.

VIA THE PINK ONE

By HESTER CALDERWOOD.

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Everyone he had met that day on his way to the office had said: "Good morning, Mr. Gifford; fine morning, isn't it?" And Larry Gifford had gazed into the sky and had seen that it was blue and cloudless and that the sun was shining, and had suddenly discovered that it was a fine day—outside. But when he opened the door of his business-looking office, everything was dingy and lonely—like his own thoughts.

Perhaps Erma Clark was to blame, perhaps she wasn't. Anyway, he had accompanied her to one of the usual twice-a-week theater trips that night, but he had not accompanied her home. She left him at the theater door and told him, very decidedly, that she preferred to go home alone.

So Larry plodded back to his two uninviting, rented rooms with a downcast heart and Erma's fiery words still ringing in his ears—words to the effect that he had become so engrossed in his business of late that he had neglected her to the point of rudeness.

A wonderful frame of mind to be in at the start of a long office day! Larry's head felt heavy and stupid and dull, too.

And the work that was before him! His desk was fairly swamped with letters. And right on top of the pile was a pink envelope, addressed in a feminine hand.

Larry gave a disgusted groan and threw the letter on the floor.

The door opened. Larry wheeled around in his chair and saw a tall, slender girl enter the room. She was dressed in soft, dark brown. But the chic French veil she wore was of such a dark, dense shade that it completely hid her features from him.

"Hello!" the person said. "Alone? Isn't that nice!"

Larry stared at her a moment, then, remembering that he hadn't risen to his feet, hastily did so and stood before her awkwardly silent.

Larry hadn't long to wonder, for the girl was already loosening the veil from her face, and then—

"Erma!" he cried joyously, springing toward her, "Erma—dear."

"I couldn't stay away any longer, Larry," she whispered softly, coming closer to him.

"But you said—"

The girl pressed a small hand over his mouth. "I know—I said a lot of things, Larry dear, and I've come to be forgiven for them; the things I said about you being selfish and ugly, I mean."

"But I'm afraid I did neglect you, Erma. I didn't think—I had more business than I could attend to last week, and it simply wouldn't let me think of anybody or anything else."

"Larry, you didn't neglect me; you've been wonderful to me—always. I needed this lesson—the thought that perhaps you wouldn't forgive me—to make me understand."

Larry didn't answer. He only stood silently before her, too happy, too bewildered to speak.

"Dear," she was saying in her soft, low voice, "I know how to appreciate you now. I couldn't get along without you. I love you, Larry! I love you. Please, please, forgive me."

Then it was that Larry spoke, "Dearest," he cried hoarsely, "stay with me always; promise me. I love you, Erma dear, I love—"

His last words were lost as he gathered her close in his arms and smothered his face in her hair, his whole heart filled with a new, warm joy of having her back again. For several moments they remained thus, until the sharp striking of the office clock awoke Larry and he lifted his head, still quite dazed, from the letter-littered desk top.

So that was all! Erma was still lost, he was still alone; it had only been a dream.

He mustn't think about it any longer, he told himself. His work must be done and he would tackle the worst part first. So thinking, he picked up the pink envelope, which had fallen at his feet, and opened it. It read:

"Dearest Larry—In half an hour I will be at your office, so have all callers out by then. I'm coming to be forgiven for the horrid things I said to you, Larry dear. I've missed you terribly since last night and I'm in such a hurry to see you that I can't stop to write any more—

"Lots of love,

"ERMA."

Erma had been lost and now she was found again. And happiness had come to Larry by the way of the pink letter.

87-Year-Old Plant.

After lying in a warehouse in the Minorics since 1834, a case of dried flora from the Azores has at last found a home in Kew gardens, to which it has been presented by the Royal Botanic society.

The circumstances of the case are remarkable. Last year a firm in the Minorics, Messrs. Joseph Barber, asked the Botanic society to accept a case of dried plants, which had been lying in their warehouses for many years, and to which a docket was attached giving the name of the collector, Mr. Carew Hunt (H. B. M. consul at the Azores), the name and place of finding of the plants, and the date of collection—1834. The parcel was addressed to the Botanic society of London, which ceased to exist in 1850.—London Tit-Bits.

"DE CENSOS, SHE EES CRAZE"

Jean Baptiste Tells the World Why the Population of Quebec Seems Immobille.

The old habitant of Quebec, who will be depressingly amazed to discover that the census man gives that province a bare 2,345,678 of a population, will trot out his decennial explanation in extenuation:

"Sacre nom de bleu," Jean Baptiste will splutter, "de censos man he come to me on de farm add he say: 'Jean Baptiste, how many ill' boy and ill' girl you got dis tam by you?' An' w'en I say, takken' ma tam', so's not forget:

"Dere's Jeane—Marie—Rosine—Angelique—Sophie—Josette—dat's de ill' girl—

"And dere's Polemique—Telesphore—Hippolyte—Belzemire—Horsemides—Alphonse—dat's de ill' boy.

"Dat maudit censos man, he write down lak' great beg fool:

"Jean Baptiste: One girl; Jeane Marie Rosine Angelique Sophie Josette. One boy; Polemique, Telesphore Hippolyte Belzemire Horsemides Alphonse.

"So dere you see how it come Canada' got so few population! Ma wit' six ill' boy and six ill' girl—and he put down only one of each kin'. Sacre nom de bleu if dar is not a danne censuit for a brave habitant. Why, do fu'st tam' Victorine—dat's me femme—is tell me go queek for de docteur, w'en I come bak' from fetch heein, she got two leetle boy and one leetle girl for Jean Baptiste. And after dat we nevaire get less 'an tweens at de one tam'. And de censos man he write down: 'One boy, one girl'."

—Vancouver World.

INDIANS IN THE WORLD WAR

Ten Thousand Fullblooded Redskins Lie With American Dead in France.

How many people in this country were aware before they read a recent cable from London that 10,000 full-blooded Indians lie with the American dead in France? Honor of a conspicuous sort has been done to almost every class and group and race that contributed in any way to the allied victory before the world was reminded of the singular part played in the war by those Americans who may properly be called 100 per cent. The United States and all its people owe a debt to Dr. Joseph K. Dixon, of this city, and to the founder of the Wanamaker historical expeditions for the part they played in bringing recognition, formally to the American Indian. Haig, Foch and Pershing found these tribesmen deserving of a place with the noblest soldiers of all time. They were cool, dispassionate fighters, invariably brave and marvellous as marksmen. Most of them were volunteers. The Indian in France may yet live in a great American epic. He never knew complete freedom; yet he went out to fight for it until he died.—Philadelphia Evening Ledger.

Recovering Art Treasures.

Czecho-Slovakia is the latest of the states to begin the recovery of art and historical objects awarded under the treaty of St. Germain and now in the palaces and museums of Vienna. A commission has just been appointed for that purpose.

These comprise, among other things, the almost priceless documents, historical memoirs, maps and other material which Thaulow von Rosenthal removed from Prague by order of the Empress Maria Theresa. Then there are the valuable documents originally contained in the Royal Aulic chancery of Bohemia and the Aulic Chamber of Accounts of Bohemia, as well as the works of art formerly in the royal chateau of Prague and other castles of the Hapsburgs located in what is now Czecho-Slovakia and which were removed to Vienna during the reigns of Emperors Mathias, Ferdinand II, Charles VI (about 1788-1837), and Francis Joseph I.

"St. Napoleon."

Saint Napoleon sounds somewhat strange to ears of English-speaking persons, but it is nevertheless a fact. At the heyday of his fame, Bonaparte discovered that it would be well for him, and the Napoleonic dynasty which he hoped to found, that a name-patron should find prominence in French history. With obliging zeal his ecclesiastical supporters managed to trace an obscure faithful one Neopolas, who had been martyred in Alexandria. Upon his memory the aureole was placed; the French bishops received a pastoral letter from their cardinal chief; and Pius VII called St. Napoleon into being. His day was the emperor's birthday, August 15, and upon it the dual event was celebrated.

Wearing Out Clubs.

He had taken up golf, and after playing a week he went to buy some new clubs.

"Did you break the ones I sold you about a week ago?" asked the club dealer.

"No, I didn't break any of 'em," was the reply, "but I took so many shots with 'em that they're worn out!"—Yonkers Statesman.

A Lowdown Trick.

Mrs. Lamb—I see you're not speaking to Mrs. Fox.
Mrs. Wolf—I should say not! She told me her cook was a treasure and I found the cook dirty, lazy, incompetent and dishonest after I'd doubled her wages to get her away from Mrs. Fox.

Use for Sermons.

Dorothy and Ralph are twins aged six. One Sunday they were discussing the services at the church where they attended. "I don't see why they have sermons for," said Ralph.



MARY GRAHAM BONNER

FAIRYLAND BALL.

"I have to tell you this evening," said Daddy, "of a ball which was given in Fairyland."

"The Queen of the Fairies gave the ball and she invited Peter Gnome and all his friends and relatives, Billie and Bennie Brownie and all of their friends and relatives, old Mr. Giant and the Oaf family to come to it."

"She also invited all of the Elves, Goblins, Bogey family, and the Day-time Fairies. She asked them to come in their beautiful dazzling sunshine dresses. These they wear so that people cannot see them as they don't want to be seen, you know."

"Then she invited Princess Fairy Twilight-Bell, and Princess Joy and Fairy Yhab and the Fairies' orchestra to come to the ball."

"She also sent out invitations to Mr. Sun and Mr. Moon for the ball was to begin in the afternoon and last right through the evening."

"She invited the Dream King and Mr. Sandman to stop by after their rounds and join the party."

"And the Fairy Wondrous Secrets and Fairy of Birthday Secrets were both asked."

The Breeze Brothers were invited and almost all of the Fairyland people who could possibly come."

"Of course the Queen of the Fairies was very fond of King Foam and old Mother Ocean and the Ocean Fairies



"Out-Rushed Fairy Yhab."

and the Sand Fairies but she couldn't invite them to this party."

"Neither could she invite old Nurse Fog, nor the Mist Grandchildren."

"And she couldn't invite the Army of Raindrops either. She didn't send any invitation to the King of the Clouds and she didn't ask Mr. Rainbow to come."

"She didn't invite Madame Fresh Snow nor the Snow Flake Messengers. She didn't invite Prince Sleet, nor did she invite Mr. Showers. And she didn't invite King Snow."

"For she said she was going to give a number of balls and have a great, great many of her friends at a time. And this was to be the first of this special series of balls."

"She said she didn't want to invite those who weren't especially friendly. And after all, the King of the Clouds, and Mr. Showers weren't so very friendly with Mr. Sun. That is, they never get along very well at a party."

"The Fairy Queen wanted her balls to be a great success and so she thought it was a good idea to have all those who would get along well together at a time."

"This party was going to be very, very big, as she had sent out so many, many invitations."

"Everyone came and the party began in the afternoon and lasted right through until midnight. And what do you suppose happened at midnight?"

"I can't imagine," said Nancy.

"I can't either," said Nick.

"As the clock was striking twelve," said Daddy, "for Effie Elf had brought along a clock with her as she had said she must leave then because of a long-standing engagement she had for the next day, what should happen but from behind every tree and every shrub a little fairyland creature came forth and sang."

"Out rushed Fairy Yhab to the center of a big ring, and the Fairyland Orchestra began to play and every little creature sang, and this was what they sang."

"Our Fairyland Queen we love so dearly,
"We want to pronounce these words very clearly,
"For we want it known through all the land,
"That we've a Queen who is quite, quite grand."

"And yet she never is stuck-up,
"With the simplest creatures she likes to sit and sit."

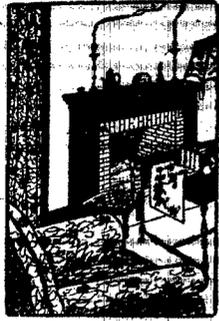
"Oh, our Fairy Queen is the bestest ever,
"Will we want any others? Oh, never, never!"

"Dear Fairy Queen we love you so,
"Wherever you lead us, we will go!"

"And the Fairy Queen smiled the loveliest smile of happiness and said:
"Oh, my dear Fairyland people, you are so dear to me, and I'm just the happiest Fairy Queen!"

Dorothy and Ralph are twins aged six. One Sunday they were discussing the services at the church where they attended. "I don't see why they have sermons for," said Ralph.

"Why," replied Dorothy, "it's to give the poor singers a chance to rest."



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SOCIAL NOTES

Coterie
The Coterie and their husbands enjoyed a Xmas dinner party Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Lay. Little Lulu Marie received at the door and presented each guest with tally cards of Xmas bells, stockings, trees and leaves in red and green.
The committee in charge were Mrs. W. E. Jenkins, Mrs. A. T. Cavanaugh, Mrs. Horace Theobald and Mrs. E. E. Fleetwood.
The rooms were artistically decorated with Xmas wreaths and poinsettias. The fire-place was hung with red Xmas stockings and the lights were shaded with red crepe paper shades. The table centerpieces were of

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Tuesday
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Here is a Good One
Also **FOX NEWS**
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Wednesday
DOROTHY GISH in "LITTLE MISS REBELLION"
Also **COMEDY "A RAINY DAY"**
Admission..... 10c and 25c

—COMING—
NEXT THURSDAY AND FRIDAY DUSTIN FARNUM in "THE DEVIL WEHIN"

MATINEE EVERY SATURDAY DOORS OPEN AT 2:30 SHOW STARTS AT 3:00 ONE SHOW ONLY

Xmas trees, a sparkling snow man and snow banks with miniature sleighs and riders, an ice pond with skaters and glistening snow on the banks.
Hanging upon tiny Xmas trees at each appointed place were the place cards in form of paper toys. A great Xmas stocking was hung containing a gift for each one, some of which were musical instruments and the guests were entertained by a real royal band.
The remainder of the evening was spent in music and cards.
Miss Goldie Chase and F. M. Strahan were guests of the club.

A fine afternoon Tuesday brought together a good company of Sunday school teachers and other interested ones to study the closing message of the Apostle Paul in his charge to Timothy. Miss White opened the lesson and a helpful discussion followed. Letters were read from Miss Annie J. Gohrman of Honduras, who hopes to visit Wayne soon, and Mrs. Harry Strachen of Guatemala, C. A., who reports the big evangelistic campaign in full swing in the great movie picture building in that city, and makes urgent call for prayer for protection and use of workers. Mrs. Dora Benishoff will be hostess next week.

The Helping Hand society met December 5 at the home of Mrs. Roy Pierson, the husbands being invited guests. About thirty-five were present to partake of the delicious two course dinner served by the hostess. Following the regular business meeting Mrs. Ray Durant then took charge of the social hour. Music—Mrs. John Grier, games then followed in which Mrs. Irve Reed and Mrs. Robert Auker were prize winners. The husbands are planning to furnish and serve supper to the ladies and families December 17 at the home of Oscar Jonson.

The Woman's club will hold regular meeting at the opera house Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when the program will consist of a discussion of current events with Mrs. Edholm as leader. Mrs. Crabtree will give the musical part of the program her attention. Then will come a business session, and the penny drill, which means a chance to give as much as you wish when you fill your place in that interesting part of the regular program. All members asked to attend, and new members welcomed.

Last Friday afternoon, the ladies of the Baptist church met for a social afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. H. Rimel. The meeting was a recognition of the recovery from her recent operation of Mrs. Rimel, the efficient treasurer of the Ladies Union. It was also a farewell party for the wife of the pastor. About forty ladies shared in the elaborate refreshments prepared by the committee. The Mission Circle and Ladies Union joined in presenting Mrs. Pratt with a beautiful Irish linen tablecloth.

The D. A. R. held their regular monthly meeting Saturday at the home of Mrs. Paul Harrington, with Miss Elsie Ford Piper assisting as hostess. The entertainment was a musical program. Two groups of songs by Mrs. Morris, a group of piano numbers by Mrs. Paul Harrington, Miss Elizabeth Mines gave a reading, Mrs. Brittain, Mrs. Wittmeyer, Mrs. Fairbrother and Mrs. Rogers were guests at the club. At the close of the afternoon refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Last Saturday was Miss Florence Gardner's birthday, and in the evening the members of the Frewone campfire girls of which she is guardian, invaded the Gardner home with ample provisions to drive hunger away, and spent a happy evening with their much surprised guardian. A handkerchief shower of plain, fancy and comic kerchiefs came with the young ladies, left a reminder that she was remembered by the visitors. Games, music and dancing made up the amusement of the evening.

Twenty-four little boys and girls were entertained by Mrs. Jack Debeck at her home Saturday afternoon. The occasion being her daughter Joyce's sixth birthday. The afternoon was spent joyously playing games. At the close of the afternoon the little folks were all seated at the table, when the hostess served candies, fruit, ice cream and cake. In the middle of the table was a birthday cake with six little candles. Joyce received many beautiful little presents.

The U. D. club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. Woodward Jones. Mrs. Charles Craven gave a biography on "James Oliver Curwood" and read a short article written by him. Mrs. James Miller gave a paper on the "Wayne Public Library". The remainder of the time was spent in needle work. Light refreshments were served by the hostess. Next meeting will be a Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Ringland, Monday evening. Husbands are invited.

The Frewone Campfire girls surprised Misses Margaret and Clara Helt on Wednesday evening, the event being in honor of their birthdays, Miss Clara's being Tuesday and Miss Margaret's Friday. The evening was spent in games and stunts. The girls were presented with tokens in remembrance of their birthdays. Delicious refreshments were provided by the uninvited guests.

The Sorosis club held their regular meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ann Gildersleeve. The afternoon was spent in Kensington. Mrs. C. W. McGuire of Pender was a guest. A two course luncheon was served by the hostess at the close of the afternoon. Club will meet next Monday at the home of Mrs. Mae Young for Kensington. They will also exchange Christmas gifts.

Acme club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. R. Theobald. Roll call was "Women in Public Life". Mrs. Mines and Mrs. Brittel had the lesson on "Americanization". Refreshments were served by the hostess. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wilson will entertain the club at a dinner party next Monday evening. The gentlemen are invited.

Buy his gift from a man's store—His store. Morgan's Toggery.

The Monday club was entertained at the home of Mrs. T. W. Moran Monday afternoon. Roll call was answered by giving suggestions for Christmas. Mrs. Harris read a paper on "Allen Key". Mrs. Moran assisted by Mrs. Runtemer served refreshments.

The Ladies Aid of the English Lutheran church held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. N. J. Juhlin this afternoon. The afternoon will be spent in socially. Refreshments will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Dunn entertained a party of their friends at cards Friday evening. Before the close of a most enjoyable evening choice refreshments were served by the hostess.

The best four-in-hand tie in town, \$1.00. S. R. Theobald & Co.

The auxiliary of the American Legion will hold a meeting at the Legion hall on Tuesday evening, December 20, at 7:30. There will be election of officers and all members are urged to come.

On account of illness of one who was to have been hostess to the members of the P. E. O. their meeting has been postponed one week, and the place of meeting is not now decided upon.

The P. N. G. club will be entertained at a 6:30 dinner party Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hanssen. The ladies and their husbands are invited.

The Gullid ladies of the St. Mary's church meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. W. Moran. Refreshments will be served.

At the Chas. Gildersleeve home this afternoon the ladies of the Methodist W. F. M. society are holding their regular meeting.

Noisless Comfy slippers for children, size up to 2. \$1.50. S. R. Theobald & Co.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

The late reports tell that the bonus bill will be passed within three months. Let us hope.

Any Coat in house at cost. S. R. Theobald & Co.

Mrs. John Meister, who spent five weeks at the Clarkson hospital in Omaha, where she underwent an operation, is home, and apparently regaining her normal health.

Edgar Stratman and Edward Shove, of Wynot, spent Sunday visiting with the former's sister, Miss Laura Stratman, and were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Lerner.

Any dress in house at cost. S. R. Theobald & Co.
Mrs. Albert Canard of Carroll, who has been in a hospital at LeMars, Iowa, for a number of weeks, and who in fact, has spent much of the past year in hospitals, came home this morning.

Master Herman Ecktenkamp was a passenger to Wakefield Wednesday morning.

Will Bestow came home from eastern Colorado the first of the week. He reported that he left that land covered with a snow that was most welcome, because it is good for the wheat.

Give useful Christmas gifts. S. R. Theobald & Co.

WITH THE WAYNE CHURCHES

First Baptist Church
(Robert H. Pratt, S. T. M. Minister)
Morning service of worship and preaching at 10:30. Subject: "The Christian's Task."
The Communion Service will follow the morning worship.
Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.
B. Y. P. U. at 8:30.
Evening preaching service at 7:30. Subject: "The Challenge of Jesus to Men."

The Presbyterian Church
Rev. Fenton C. Jones, Pastor
10:30 morning worship. Sermon subject, "Shall We Hide Our Bible?"
11:30 Sunday school.
5:45 choir rehearsal.
6:30 Christian endeavor.
7:30 evening worship. Sermon subject, "What Does the Church Mean to You?"

Methodist Episcopal Church
(Rev. William Kilburn, Pastor)
Sunday school 10:00 a. m.
Preaching services 11:00 a. m.
Epworth League 6:45 p. m.
Preaching service 7:30 p. m.

English Lutheran Church
(Rev. J. H. Patterick, Pastor)
Sunday school 10 a. m.
Public worship followed by the Holy Communion 11 a. m.
Evening service 7:30.
Catechetical instruction Saturday afternoon. The senior class meets at 1:30; the junior at 2:30.

The Evangelical Lutheran
(H. A. Teckhaus, Pastor)
December the 18th
Sunday school 10 a. m.
Preaching service (English) 11 a. m.
December 17th, Saturday school 2 p. m.
December the 24th, Christmas Eve, the service will commence at 7:15 p. m.
Everybody is heartily invited to attend these services.

Hollness Mission
(Clifford Dean, Superintendent)
At City Hall
Sunday school 2:54 p. m.
Preaching services at 3:30 and 7:30 each Sunday.
All are welcome to these services. Will you come?

THE PLAYERS
(From The Goldenrod)
Captain Armour played a wonderful game at full. He has been named on the All-State selections. According to the Lincoln Journal "Captain Armour of Wayne has accounted for much of Coach Dale's team standing at the roof of the state conference. Armour is a kicker, passer and line smasher of exceptional qualifications. He is heavy, fast and a hard player, going after every inch and getting it. The normal team rates him as its leader in the game as well as heading the team."

Armstrong, although light, played well in the line as did Ashford. These two will, with a little more experience, make a great pair of guards.
Austin, in spite of the fact that he was the lightest center in the conference, played his new position well. He was one of the reasons why no team was able to make consistent gains through the Wayne line.
Jones, Captain-elect, played well at half. He has ability as a kicker, is fast, hits the line hard, is a hard tackler, and has all the qualifications of an ideal back. In the closing games of the season the team was greatly handicapped by his absence because of injuries. He is another candidate for all-state honors.
McConnell, playing at center, was an accurate passer and played a good, steady game.

Dale Miller, although his regular position was at half, also was able to play the end and guard positions in a pinch. As an all-around utility man he had few equals.
Don Miller is fast, shifty and hard to stop. He played a steady game throughout the season. He especially shone on off-tackle plays and forward passes.
Myers is another fast man who played end and half back. A good open field runner and dependable man, he distinguished himself in the Wesleyan game by booting over a 40-yard drop kick from a difficult angle.
Muhm, who played end last year, played an excellent game at half. A reliable man, he could always be depended on every minute of the game.
Rennick at quarter was the best engineer in the conference. A great open field runner, and line smasher, it was his accurate passing and level head-work that helped raise Wayne to the top of the conference. As

PLAN TO ATTEND

American Legion Annual Christmas Ball

At Opera House

Thursday Evening, December 22

This is to be the first public ball on the splendid new floor of the remodeled opera house, and it promises to be one of the real social events of the season. There will be ample room for all to dance. Come and show your appreciation of the better room.

Music by Dawson's Orchestra
will be excellent

TICKETS \$1.00 **GALLERY 25c**

safety man he helped save several games by his accurate tackling and long returns of punts.
P. Rickabaugh is another all-state man. McBride says in the State Journal, "Rickabaugh, Wayne tackle, is qualified for a booth in the phantom through his constancy, his speed, his weight and his super-strength as well as for the work he has actually done on defense and offense. Rickabaugh's ability to force openings for the Wayne backfield has been one of the main causes of the Wayne position in the conference. His defensive power of breaking down the opposition and nailing the backs while the plays were in the embryonic stage has been a feature of the Wayne man's gridwork."
His brother, Dale Rickabaugh, is an excellent quarterback. He is fast a good passer and directs a team well.
P. Peterson is another all-state selection. Heavy, fast and heady, he played stellar football both at guard and tackle all season. "P. Peterson of Wayne is looming up this season as one of the Wayne reasons for having a football team. His work has been constant, hard playing on defensive more than offensive. Peterson is quick in starting and takes the opposing line off its feet by the impetus of his weighty body as well as his knowledge of where the play is going."
Prescott at tackle played a remarkably steady game. An injury at Lincoln was all that kept him from realizing his ambition to play every minute of every game. He is a hard, experienced player, fights every minute and has been a tower of strength in the line.
F. Peterson has also been mentioned as an all-state man. At Lincoln he broke through time after time, breaking up Coyote plays and throwing the backs for losses. Newspaper men stated that he was one of the best defensive ends seen in college football circles this year. He is more than that: as a receiver of forward passes he has few equals, and a pass, Rennick to F. Peterson, has been the favorite touchdown play all season.
Surber played through the season with very bad luck. Because of injuries he was never able to stay at his wing position for a full game but while he was in the game his opponents soon discovered it. We feel confident that if he had been in condition to play throughout the season, Little Pete would not be the only all-state end from Wayne.
Thomas is the lightest guard playing conference football but he is in the game every minute and fights hard. He opens up his holes and breaks through well when on the defensive. He is a hard, accurate tackler and plays a remarkably steady game.
Among the subs the Squire brothers, Fortner, R. Miller, Harrison, Boardman, Burkinslaw, all show promise and although light are real football men. To these and others of the reserves is due a great amount of credit for our winning season.

Coach Dale announces that a W club will be formed within the next few days. Those eligible for the club will be all men who have won W's in men's athletics. Besides the football letter men announced elsewhere the eligible men in school are Edwyn Johnson, Harold Patterson and Coach Dale. The purpose of the organization will be the furtherance of the athletic activities of the school. It is expected that the club will aid in handling the High School Basketball Tournaments and Field Meets.

Take your poultry, cream and eggs to E. E. Kearns.—Adv.

LIVE STOCK PRICES AT SOUTH OMAHA
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A 25-35c DROP IN HOGS

Liberal Receipts of Sheep and Lambs
Find a Ready Sale at Fully Steady Prices—Best Fat Lambs are Selling Around \$10.00@10.35.

Union Stock Yards, Omaha, December 14, 1921.—Light receipts of cattle and a broader demand from both packers and shippers brought about an improved market Tuesday. Choice long yearlings sold up to \$9.00. Cows and heifers were also firmer and stockers and feeders fully steady.
Quotations on Cattle.—Good to choice heaves, \$7.00@8.25; fair to good heaves, \$6.25@7.00; common to fair heaves, \$5.50@6.10; good to choice yearlings, \$8.00@9.50; fair to good yearlings, \$6.50@7.75; common to fair yearlings, \$5.50@6.50; good to choice heifers, \$6.25@7.00; fair to good heifers, \$5.00@6.25; choice to prime cows, \$5.00@5.50; good to choice cows, \$4.25@4.85; fair to good cows, \$3.50@4.35; cutters, \$2.50@3.25; canners, \$2.00@2.25; beef and butcher bulls, \$3.75@5.00; bologna bulls, \$3.00@3.50; veal calves, \$4.50@8.00; heavy and medium calves, \$3.50@7.00; good to choice feeders, \$5.90@6.50; fair to good feeders, \$5.40@5.85; common to fair feeders, \$4.75@5.35; good to choice stockers, \$6.25@6.75; fair to good stockers, \$5.75@6.25; common to fair stockers, \$5.00@5.50; stock heifers, \$4.00@5.25; stock cows, \$3.25@4.00; stock calves, \$4.50@7.50.
Sharp Decline in Hogs.
With a normal run of hogs Tuesday, 9,100 head, the market broke 25@35c and trade was dull at the decline. Tops brought \$6.65 and bulk of all hogs sold at \$6.00@6.60.
Sheep and Lambs Steady.
A fairly broad demand for sheep and lambs absorbed the liberal run of 10,500 head received Tuesday at just about steady prices. Best fat lambs sold at \$10.00@10.35 and feeder lambs are selling as high as 9.00@9.50.
Quotations on sheep and lambs:—Fat lambs, good to choice, \$10.00@10.35; fat lambs, fair to good, \$9.50@10.00; feeder lambs, good to choice, \$8.75@9.50; feeder lambs, fair to good, \$7.50@8.50; cull lambs, \$5.25@6.25; fat yearlings, \$6.00@7.50; fat wethers, \$4.50@5.25; fat ewes, \$3.00@5.00; feeder ewes, \$2.75@3.50; cull ewes, \$1.00@2.50.

Self-Satisfaction.
The fool who thinks he has brains has it all over the wise man who lacks confidence in his wisdom.