

STATE PRESIDENT OF THE FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS ADDRESSES WAYNE WOMEN

The Wayne Woman's club was very fortunate in having a visit from Mrs. Edgar B. Penney of Pullerton, president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs. Mrs. Penney is also state head of the Auxiliary of the American Legion.

Mrs. Penney spoke of the broad, far-reaching influence of the Woman's club, too big to be called national; so we have not the national federation of Women's clubs, but the General Federation of Women's Clubs. The General Federation at the last biennial convention, cut their departments of work to six—American Citizenship, Education, Fine Arts, Public Welfare, and Legislation. Each state board of directors may add to these general heads, such sub-divisions as it sees fit. Under American Citizenship the Nebraska Board has added the division of Girls' Organizations. It is the hope of the state president that all girls' clubs, such as the High Y's, the Girls' Reserves, and the Campfire Girls be affiliated locally with the Woman's club. Prominent leaders of Girls' work everywhere say their greatest need is for woman leadership. As the woman's club has been for women the bridge between the school and the home, so may it now be the bridge across the path of understanding to the hearts and lives of our girls. They are our future citizens and mothers and must work together with men for our greatest interest, the home—and womanhood is the soul of the home.

The matter of county libraries was spoken of at some length. In the Public Welfare department of work, the Woman's club should line up with the state department of public welfare.

The Woman's club has not as yet formulated a legislative program, but they are listening to the findings of other organizations, such as the W. C. T. U. and the League of Women Voters. The question of asking for any legislation that carries with it an appropriation is under discussion. Nebraska has the smallest acreage of any state set apart for state parks, 160 acres in Dawes county, where Scouts' Rest, Buffalo Bill's home is located, has been set aside for this purpose.

MOVING TIME NOW

This is moving time for the farm renters and those who have bought or sold farm lands, in many instances. This year the movement may be large—for so many tenant farmers have found that it was not possible to remain where they had been for the past year, and in some instances for several years. But still there seems to be a scarcity of farms for the tenants in this county. Several times in the past week, we have been asked, "who has a farm for rent?" and we could not tell—and the land agents appeared to be unable to tell.

But daily we see wagons and trucks loaded with the farm equipment, and a few days later we will see the family going to some new home. On the trains and at the railway stations one sees the families coming and going. It is not in the nature of a pleasure trip, from all appearance. The tired mother, the cross, sleepy little ones, and sometimes some older ones make up the party. The father and the big brothers may be seen on the freight trains, in charge of the stock which is shipped with a car of machinery and household goods.

Some are commencing to leave who will go to other parts—but the bulk of that movement mostly comes a little later. Then those who are coming to this good county from other states or other counties will begin to arrive. The last of the moving band will not arrive until after the middle of next month, and some will be as late as April in arriving, judging this year by others.

SOME ONE LIED

Last week we received thru the mail a birth announcement, telling of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Anderson, and supposing it to be a legitimate news item, as the card was signed as coming from one of the neighborwomen. But Mr. and Mrs. Anderson are rightly indignant, and came to see how the item came to appear in the paper. When they saw the card which came to us they could not lay blame at our door, but they hope to learn who mailed the card, when the writer may have to answer for slander as well as forgery. One with a thimble full of brains would scarcely stoop to practicing such scurvy tricks.

DEATH OF JOHANA BROSCHEIT

Thursday, February 16, 1922, Mrs. Johana Broscheit yielded life to the infirmities of old age, at the home of a son south of Wayne, at the age of 80 years, 2 months and 2 days. The funeral was from the church at Attona, by Rev. Schaller, and was attended by many of the neighbors among whom she had mingled for so many years. Three sons and four daughters survive her.

CELEBRATE THEIR SILVER WEDDING

In response to invitations about eighty relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Dorman, Saturday evening, to help them celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary.

The young folks enjoyed themselves at dancing, while the parents and older folks entertained themselves by visiting and recalling experiences of the past twenty-five years.

At the usual time, delicious refreshments were served. The centerpiece for the table, being a large wedding cake, tastefully decorated for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorman were the recipients of a large number of beautiful pieces of silverware.

The relatives from a distance, who were present were Mrs. Dorman's father, E. Steffin of Council Bluffs, Mr. and Mrs. John Heitman and family of Laurel, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wrath of Coleridge, and Miss Irene Steffin of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

At a late hour the guests departed, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Dorman many more happy years through-out their wedded life.

OBITUARY—MRS. DEAN

Mrs. Cynthia Baker Dean was born at Poyntney, Vermont, January 31, 1840, where she lived until eleven years of age. At that time her parents moved west, and after a short residence in Illinois, went to Iowa making their home in Big Rock in Scott county, where on October 8, 1857, Miss Cynthia Baker was united in marriage to Mr. Amos N. Dean of Akron, Ohio.

Mr. Dean, being a teacher, soon became prominent in educational circles and was one of the first Superintendents of Public Instruction of Benton County, Iowa, serving the public in that capacity for a period of twelve years.

In 1880 Mr. and Mrs. Dean moved into Republican valley in Nebraska. Mr. Dean now retired from his profession as a teacher and entered the ministry of the Congregational church holding successful and fruitful pastorates at Cambridge, Friend, Eagle and Bloomington and other places. In all of which flourishing churches remain as lasting monuments to the devotion and tireless labor of their pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean spent the last seven years of their united life at Crete, Nebraska, where Mr. Dean died in 1898. Shortly after her husband's death Mrs. Dean moved to Wayne, having her home with her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Grothe.

In this city Mrs. Dean has always been associated with Christian work and public welfare. She united with the First Presbyterian church and rendered faithful service to her church in its Sunday school and ladies societies. She identified herself with the cause of temperance, taking an active interest in the work of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

After an illness of about one year's duration, Mrs. Dean peacefully passed away on February 21st, 1922. She is survived by one son and three daughters as follows: Rev. Frank W. Dean of San Francisco, Mrs. C. A. Grothe of Wayne, Mrs. Julia LaRue of Spencer, Iowa, and Mrs. Addie Culp of Paulina, Iowa. She also leaves four brothers and two sisters as follows: Mrs. Lucy Gale, Daniel Baker and James Baker of Franklin, Mrs. S. Harvey of Dedham, Iowa, Francis Baker of Vinton, Iowa, and Edward Baker of Eau Claire, Wisconsin.

The funeral will be from the Presbyterian church Friday afternoon at 2:15, and after the service the body will be taken to Crete for burial.

WM. ERICK LARSON DIES

Wm. Erick Larson, the son of Mrs. Mary Larson, died at the home south-east of Wayne Saturday, February 18, 1922, at the age of 8 years 10 months and 10 days, from some bowel trouble. The burial was at Wayne Tuesday, following a sermon by Rev. Knock of Wakefield.

THE BASIC PROBLEM OF DEMOCRACY

Walter Lippmann, in Atlantic Monthly.

From our recent experience it is clear that the traditional liberties of speech and opinion rest on no solid foundation. At a time when the world needs above all other things the activity of generous imaginations and the creative leadership of planning and inventive minds, our thinking is shriveled with panic. Time and energy that should go to building and restoring are instead consumed in warding off the pin-pricks of prejudice and fighting a guerrilla war against misunderstanding and intolerance. For suppression is felt, not simply by the scattered individuals who are actually suppressed. It reaches back into the steadiest minds, creating tension everywhere; and the tension of fear produces sterility. Men cease to say what they think; and when they cease to say it, they soon cease to think it. They think in reference to their critics and not in reference to the facts. For when thought becomes socially hazardous, men spend more time wondering about the hazard than they do in developing their thought.

CARROLL HIGH SCHOOL DECLAMATORY CONTESTS

Friday, Mrs. J. G. W. Lewis, Miss Ferne Oman and Miss Mabel Hansen were at Carroll to act as judges in the preliminary high school oratorical contest, and of eighteen contestants they found the following as ones best fitted to enter the second contest which was to decide who should represent the school in district contest, some time early in April:

- Oratorical: Kendrick Mitchell
- Citizenship: Wade Carpenter
- Americanism: Elma Carter
- Dramatic: The Death Disc—Virginia Jones
- Angels' Wickedness—Elma Carter
- Bobby Unwelcome—Milla Ernest
- The Lie—Lols Morris
- Humorous: The Absentminded Bride
- Father's Talking Now—Nellie Wingett
- Aunt Ketma's Visit to the City—Wilva Morris

Last evening the second contest was held, and the judges were from Wayne, Mrs. Robson of the high school, Raymond Helt and Julius Young of the college students going to judge the contestants. Their report is that Alfred Helwig in the humorous class was given first place; and second place went to Elma Carter of the dramatic class.

MARRIAGES

Stanley—Hainer
Wednesday, February 15, 1922, by Rev. Wm. Kilburn, Ernest Person Hainer of Wayne, and Miss Fern Katherine Stanley.

Andrews—Shultz
Thursday, February 23, 1922, by Rev. Wm. Kilburn, Albert W. Schultz of Merville, Iowa, and Miss Martha Andrews, of Merville, Iowa.

Comer—Lamb
Saturday, February 18, 1922, by Rev. E. N. Little of Winside, Walter Comer of Norfolk, and Miss Mary Comer of Norfolk.

Tarnow—Dinklage
Wednesday, February 22, 1922, by Rev. Bornemann, George Carl Dinklage of Wisnail, and Miss Anna Tarnow of Wakefield.

Jones—Davis
Wednesday, February 22, 1922, by Rev. W. O. Jones, Earl J. Davis of Winside, and Miss Mary Etta Jones of Winside.

Bekmer—Anderson
Thursday, February 23, 1922, by Rev. Hammon, Henry H. Anderson of Hoskins, and Miss Elizabeth M. Bekmer of Hoskins.

Anderson—Cudwallader
Thursday, February 23, 1922, by Rev. Drullner, Wallace G. Cadwallader of Winside, and Miss Lillie J. Anderson of Carroll.

Hagemann—Baler
Thursday, February 23, 1922, by Rev. Fischer, Alfred A. D. Baler of Wayne, and Miss Elsie M. Hagemann of Wayne.

No show at the Crystal Monday evening—adv.

Corn now brings 40 cents a bushel.

NEW CASTLE SCHOOL BUILDING BURNS MONDAY

Monday forenoon fire supposed to have originated from a defective flue, drove the pupils of the public school at New Castle from the building in short order, as the building was totally destroyed. The 250 pupils had been drilled for such an emergency, and in less than two minutes pupils and teachers had left the burning building, without accident or confusion. Of those on the upper floor about fifty were taken down thru the fire escape, Principal E. D. Johnson, superintending their starting.

Most of the contents of the building were lost, tho the records and some of the movable furniture was gotten out. The building was a complete loss, and the \$8,000 insurance carried will perhaps cover most of the loss. New Castle is fortunate in having a new school building practically completed—modern in every way, so that it has been decided to have but two weeks vacation—the that will hurry them into the new school home about two weeks earlier than they had planned to have it ready for occupancy.

A. G. Johnson is superintendent and his brother, E. D. Johnson, principal, both of the college here.

WILLIAM SCHRUMPF OF LYONS TO BE WAYNE AGENT

Superintendent Blundell has let it be known that the successor of the late T. W. Moran as agent at the railway station at this place is to be William Strumpf, now agent at Lyons. Those who know Mr. S. are much pleased that he has been selected to the place here, for he is known as a man of ability and a fine citizen. It is not now known just when he will assume charge.

OPERA HOUSE SAFE

There has been slight rumors that it might be dangerous to fill the balconies at the opera house to capacity, tho it has been repeatedly done. No one wanted Wayne put on the map by any disaster that might come thru such a collapse, so when Mr. Ross, an inspector for the insurance companies was here, he made a most thoro test of the condition, and reported that they are as safe and firm as when installed years ago. The slight vibration which may be felt under a load, he said was due only to the shrinkage of the wood where held by the rods, a matter which does not in any way weaken the balconies, but which can and will be quickly eliminated. He did, however recommend additional fire escapes, and in that he is possibly right. At present there are exits front and back and one on each side. It is a small matter to make others.

CHICKEN PIE SUPPER

The Ladies of the Baptist church will give a chicken pie supper in the basement of the church Saturday, February 25th, from 5 p. m. until 7 p. m. 50 cents a plate and everybody invited.

MENU
Chicken Pie
Mashed Potatoes
Gravy
Perfection Salad

Jelly
Butter
Rolls
Cake
Peaches
Coffee

ERROR IN BALLOT

Last week the Democrat printed a ballot on which voters who might wish to present a name for any city office could make suggestion, which would be given to the public before the caucuses. We listed a place for assessor, which we should not have done; for it is not until fall that the Wayne assessor is selected. The ballot is again run, and if you wish to make suggestions as to candidates, the opportunity is yours.

OBITUARY—WILLIAM GARDNER ANDREWS

William Gardner Andrews was born in Lancaster, Pennsylvania, on April 14, 1841, died February 19, 1922, at Wayne, Nebraska, age 80 years, 10 months and 5 days.

He was a veteran of the Civil War, having enlisted in the 45th Ohio Infantry on July 10, 1862 at the age of 21 and was discharged June 12, 1865.

On February 15, 1866 he was united in marriage to Mary E. Van Way of McConnelsville, Ohio. To this union three children were born: Frank of Georgetown, Delaware; Walter of Wayne, Nebraska, and Mrs. Park Mabbott of Wayne, Nebraska.

In the year 1882 he went to Plankinton, South Dakota, where he homesteaded and at different times he held county and city offices and was always active in business affairs.

In the year 1916 due to failing health he went to Virginia, where he lived until April, 1921, then coming to Wayne.

Burial will take place in the family lot at Plankinton, South Dakota, Wednesday afternoon, February 22, 1922.

WAYNE WOMAN'S CLUB

Following the business meeting of the Woman's club Saturday, a "safety first" program was given, with Miss Mary Mason presiding. Miss Louise Wendt of the State Normal and Teachers' College discussed vitamins—their discovery, their place in our diet, and the foods containing the three classes of vitamins. This last feature was emphasized by the use of a chart which Miss Wendt had prepared. Miss Kline of the Training School talked on Health in the Public Schools—saying that every teacher is a pioneer in the work, but must have co-operation from the parents and all civic and welfare organizations and from the press. She spoke of the indirect methods of making the appeal to the boy and girl to be clean and healthful, and mentioned as some of the direct methods used to promote good health among the school children—the Red Cross school nurse, the free clinic, the visiting teacher who converts the advice given in the schoolroom into action at home, the study of foods in the lower grades, the school lunch, and the Health Crusader's movement among the school children.

Both talks were very helpful and interesting and it would have been fine if all housewives and mothers of Wayne could have heard them.

The Woman's club begins its fourth year's work with the first meeting in March and election of officers and chairman of standing committees will take place at that time. More women of Wayne should take an active interest in the work of the Woman's club, and it was decided at the meeting Saturday to make a house to house canvass for members before the first of March.

The following committee was announced to have charge of the dance to be given by the Woman's club, Friday, February 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blait, Mrs. Shults, Mrs. D. J. Cavanaugh, Mr. Art Ahern, Mr. A. T. Cavanaugh, Dr. and Mrs. Adams, Dr. Vail, Miss Margaret Pryor, Mrs. Henry Ley, Mrs. Phil Kohl, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McMillan, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Miner. Mrs. Fred Blair and Mrs. Shults will have charge of refreshments.

Though practical matters have so large a place in the program of the woman's club, the cultural side is not neglected. The department of Fine Arts includes art, literature, and music.

In general, we might say that the woman's club strikes a balance between home and public duties. After Mrs. Penney's address all joined in a general discussion of questions that are pertinent to the work of the woman's club.

A NEW SEXTON

Beginning March 1, E. B. Michael is to take charge of the Wayne cemetery as sexton.

WAYNE LOSES TO NORFOLK BY SMALL MARGIN

The game with Norfolk scheduled for Saturday afternoon took place Friday evening, February 17, at the opera house. Although the change in dates was not known until two hours before the game, there was a large crowd at hand to see this battle royal. There was much school spirit shown on both sides during the game with yells and songs. Since Norfolk was represented with a band of rooters. This game was fiercely fought throughout and the outcome was in doubt until the final blast of time-keeper's whistle. Wayne's five man defense worked nicely against the highly reputed pass-work of the invading squad. The playing was rough during both halves and several mix-ups almost resulted in serious accidents. The first half ended with Norfolk leading 11-9.

The second half was practically a repetition of the previous one, Norfolk being able to maintain their one or two-point lead. Both teams suffered badly with the baskets, many seemingly goals rolling around the hoop and bouncing out again. The game ended with Wayne on the small side of a 22-23 score, much to the disappointment of the local fans. The following is the lineups for both teams with the respective field goals and free throws:

Wayne	fg-ft	Norfolk	fg-ft
Peterson	f. 0-0	Allen	f. 0-0
Moran	f. 5-0	McClow	f. 5-0
Sund	c. 2-0	King	c. 5-3
Brauhard	g. 2-0	Malm	g. 0-0
Rippon	g. 1-2	Heming	g. 0-0
Will	g. 0-0		

MISS HORTENSE HOWLAND PASSES AWAY AT WAYNE

Wednesday evening, February 22, 1922, at the home of her nephew, E. E. Galley, Miss Hortense Howland passed away at the age of 81 years, 9 months and 17 days, from troubles that come with old age. The body was taken to Elgin this morning for burial, accompanied by Mr. Galley and Mrs. Ray Nelson of Mondamin, Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Galley will go to Elgin Saturday for the funeral.

VAUDEVILLE BY HOME TALENT

Next Wednesday evening there will be an entertainment at the college, staged by members of the newly formed Alumni club. This should speak for the high class of those taking part. We have not yet seen a program or learned the names of the players, but there will be eight acts, we are told, and each one is to be a little more funny than the other, no matter in what order they are presented. The admission is made reasonable, and the audience room should be full.

The Alumni club was formed some weeks ago for the purpose of promoting fellowship among resident Wayne Normal graduates and to further the spirit of co-operation between the college and the town.

CARD OF THANKS

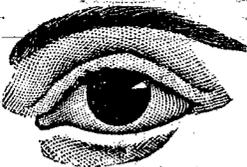
We wish to give expression to the gratitude we feel toward friends and neighbors, for the many acts of kindness and sympathy and practical aid given and offered during the sickness, death and burial of wife and mother. So many offered that were not needed, but it was with an earnest desire to aid in our hour of sorrow. For the rich floral offerings we cannot say too much. We thank all.
Dan McManigal and family.

CARD OF THANKS

Card of Thanks—We wish to express our thanks to our friends and kind neighbors who helped us in the death of our husband and father.
Mae E. Andrews.
W. C. Andrews.
Mr. and Mrs. Park Mabbott.

WILL VISIT GERMANY

Peter Schmidts from West Point was here the last of the week, and again Tuesday, going to and returning from Bloomfield. He tells us that he came to this country forty years ago, and had planned to again visit his German home, but first one thing and then another had prevented, but he is now planning to take the trip, starting next month. If he likes it there, he may make an indefinite stay, not permanent. But if the scenes and surroundings and conditions do not appeal to him, his stay will be short. His physician has told him to cease work, and he thinks that will be the easiest way to spend a bit of time in idleness, for it is evident that he has been a worker.



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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Portner wants your eggs. adv.
Miss Burgess spent the week end visiting at Stanton.
WANTED clean cotton rags at this office.—adv.
Miss Ruby Schwerin of Norfolk was a Wayne visitor between trains Saturday.
Vaudeville by W. S. N. Alumni Wednesday, March 1, College Theatre.—adv.
Mrs. Harry Fisher went to Sioux City Saturday morning and spent the day there.
All kinds of grass seeds at Fortner's.

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Also
"FOX NEWS"
Admission.....10c and 25c

Tuesday
WANDA HAWLEY in
"HER FACE VALUE"
Also
"FOX NEWS"
Admission.....10c and 25c

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Also
"PANELOGUE"
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Vaudeville show. See adv. in this issue.—adv.

Mrs. Frank Davis from Carroll was a Wayne visitor Monday.

Mrs. Osborne was a Wakefield visitor between trains Saturday.

Mrs. Cecile Robinson and Miss Uehling spent Saturday visiting at Sioux City.

Dance, March 17th, Wayne opera house. Auspices American Legion.—adv.—F23-12.

Take cream, eggs, poultry to E. E. Kearns at the Chas. Hiseox implement house.—adv.

R. B. Smith, who has been spending the winter here in our salubrious climate, left Tuesday morning for Des Moines.

Wm. Dammeyer was a passenger Sioux City Friday. Business called him there.

Mrs. F. L. Hicks of Carroll was a Wayne visitor between trains Monday morning.

Wm. Kallstrom from Winside was a visitor Tuesday. He had a business mission.

Why go hungry? Whalen's Bakery puts out that which stops hunger.—adv.

Mrs. G. A. Lamberson, who was visiting with her saughter at St. Charles, South Dakota, returned home Monday afternoon.

S. W. Elder from Carroll was at Sioux City the first of the week, going in for cattle—if the quality and price suited him.

The Omaha Young Men's Christian Association has completed a drive, raising \$40,000 to carry on activities during the coming year.

Carl Will, came from Nebraska City Tuesday and spend a couple of days visiting with his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Will.

Mrs. Florence Crandel, who is employed at the Vath home went to Laurel Saturday to spend the week end visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bartlett of Carroll passed through Wayne Saturday on their way to West Side, Iowa, to attend a funeral of a relative.

Anti-Prohibition workers have invaded Omaha. It is said to remain until after the fall election. It is asserted that all candidates will be asked to pledge themselves for or against prohibition.

Mrs. Mae Young and little daughter Alice Mae, left Tuesday morning for Grinnell, Iowa, where she will visit with her sisters, who are attending school there.

Clyde Oman is home from a trip in the western part of the state, where he went to see about his lands. He reports that things look well there this year.

E. Glosson from Sioux City was here Tuesday, on his way to look after business matters and visit former friends in Carroll, Sholes and Randolph and vicinity.

Dr. L. P. Gaerton from Chicago, was here the last of the week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gaertner, and his brother Frank, as well as greeting many friends. He has been doing some post-graduate work in the city by the lake as well as taking charge of some matters for a friend who is away from the city. He went to Omaha Tuesday.

Emil W. Spiltgerber is here from Wyoming for few weeks at his old Nebraska home. He has brought a car load of horses from his ranch in the west, and is offering them for sale from the farm. He says they are good horses, from four to eight years old, and broke to harness, and gentle. One will find these animals different from the ordinary western horse offered, in the fact that they have been handled and are harness wise. You may read his adv and learn what he says of them—and many of you know that what he will say is what he will make good.

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Dan Davis was here from Carroll Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. George Roe from Carroll was a Wayne visitor Monday.

Vaudeville show. See adv. in this issue.—adv.

Miss Lottie Soules went to Emerson Friday to spend the week end visiting with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Larson went to Sioux City Saturday to look after business matters.

Mrs. John Harrington went to Boone, Iowa, Saturday where she will visit with her sister.

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Mrs. H. R. Moss and Mrs. G. G. Wood of Winside were Wayne visitors between trains Tuesday.

Dr. Young's Dental Office over the First National Bank. Phone 307.—Adv.—29-11

L. J. Coyle of Lincoln, who spent a few days visiting with Mrs. T. W. Moran, returned home Thursday afternoon last.

Out of 129 cities in the United States, Omaha ranks thirty-sixth in volume of postal deposits, its total being \$361,125.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shulte, who have been visiting at the Frank Shulte home, returned to their home at Genoa Saturday.

Air mail pilots flying over the territory east and west of Omaha are now carrying side arms to combat the attack of air bandits.

NOTICE—Whereas my wife, Mrs. Glen Polte has left my bed and board, I warn all persons from giving her credit on my account, from this date, February 10, 1922. Glen E. Piltz.—adv.—116-26-6d.

See the Alumni vaudeville.—adv.
Louis Hessman of Winside was a Wayne visitor Tuesday.

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

Albert W. Jeffries, congressman from the 1st district is out as a candidate for the United States Senate.

Whalen's Bakery is open to the public, and you will find it a good place to buy your bake goods.—adv.

W. A. K. Neely is home from a ten day visit with his son at Kansas City, where he went about two weeks ago.

Fun—more fun—most fun W. S. N. Alumni vaudeville Wednesday, March 1st.—adv.

Mrs. M. R. Jones, who has been visiting with her father C. M. Madden, returned to her home at Omaha Saturday.

The Automobile show will be held in the city Auditorium, March 13-18. More than \$1,000,000 worth of automobiles will be on exhibition.

The Nebraska Humane society has completed plans for the erection of a \$4,000 animal hospital at Twenty-first and Izard streets, Omaha.

Mrs. Chas. Hoferer of Creighton, who has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reider, returned home Tuesday.

Miss Bertha Hiltl, who has been visiting at the homes of G. Zelter and Herman Sund, returned to her home at Carroll Monday morning.

The new bakery, under the management of Howard Whalen has opened for business. Mr. W. was for a number of years in that business here, and has come back. He is not running full force yet, as his equipment is not all in shape and the baker who is to assist him has not yet come. They are located in the Witter building.

John Grier has rented his farm 13 miles southwest of Wayne to Benjamin Krebs of Sioux City.

Miss Elizabeth Beemer and Henry Anderson of Hoskins were Wayne visitors between trains Monday.

Call at the Whalen Bakery in the Witter building for all kinds of fancy or plain bake goods.—adv.

Cream, eggs, poultry bought by Fortner.—adv

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

Mrs. E. Granquist and Mr. and Mrs. Nels Granquist left Saturday morning for Alster, South Dakota, where they will spend a short time visiting with relatives.

Mrs. A. A. Welch went to Sioux City the last of the week and will spend a week or ten days visiting at the home of her daughter Mrs. Harry Armstrong.

Pavilion Sale
at Wayne

Fourth Sale of The Season

Saturday, Feb. 25

2:00 P. M.

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E. H. DOTSON
EYESIGHT SPECIALIST
Wayne, Nebraska

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Uneeda laugh. W. S. N. Alumni players Wednesday, March 1.—adv.

Mrs. L. H. Myers, who has been making her home with her brother James Peck, left Friday for Mason City, Illinois, where she will visit relatives.

Mrs. H. S. Ringland and daughter Ruth, went to Sioux City Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Ringland taking Ruth to the hospital for an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Kelly Gossard and two children came from Lynch Friday to spend a few days visiting with relatives. She was accompanied by her husband who went on to Sioux City.

Mr. and Mrs. Merl Milton, who have been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Juhlin, and her sister, Mrs. Harry McMillian spent Tuesday visiting at Sioux City.

Mrs. A. C. Lantz, who was here for her father T. W. Moran's funeral, returned to her home at Kearney Saturday morning. She was accompanied by her mother Mrs. Moran, who will visit there for a short time.

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

Farm Loans

We are now in position to make farm loans at 6 per cent interest, and 1-per cent brokerage charge.

Can loan up to \$87.50 an acre on good farms.

Kohl Land & Investment Co.

Wayne

Preparations are well under way for the entertainment of the 2,000 merchants of Omaha trade territory during merchants' week, March 6-11.

Mrs. Albert Vogel, who has been visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weber, returned to her home at Sioux City Monday afternoon.

As a weapon of defense against the activities of holdup men, chief of Police Dempsey of Omaha asserts that a flash light is more serviceable than a revolver.

Mrs. D. D. Tobias took her little daughter Marjorie, to Sioux City Friday afternoon, where she was operated on for appendicitis. She was accompanied by her brother R. A. Will.

Mrs. Thomas Fox and daughter Katherine Rossie, went to Sioux City Saturday morning to spend a couple of days visiting with her mother Mrs. Alex Scott, who is in the hospital.

Among the Carroll visitors Saturday, our reported noted Mrs. John Gettman, Mrs. Ivor Morris, Mrs. Archie Stevens, Mrs. Herb Jenkins and Mrs. Howard Porter—shopping and visiting.

Mrs. W. H. Neely went to South Sioux City Monday to visit home folks. With her was her friend, Miss Baugous from Dakota City, who had been here to visit Saturday and Sunday at the Neely home.

The infant son of Wm. Test and wife died Saturday at the age of but six days, and the body was taken to the cemetery south of Wakefield Monday for burial. Rev. Bourneman of Wakefield conducted a brief funeral service.

Henry Dorshorst, who has been making his home here at the Fred Pledge place for a year or two past, has been stricken with the California fever, and left last week for Los Angeles, where he has friends who tell him that he may have work there as a carpenter at a good wage. So he went.

PICK-UPS FROM OTHER SCHOOLS

(From The Goldenrod)
Peru State Teachers College is going to put out the "best" annual in the history of the school. Ditto Wayne.

Mathematics has been eliminated as a required part of the curricula of Ohio high schools.

The announcement was recently made that reduced railroad fares will be granted high school basketball teams who go to Lincoln to participate in the annual interscholastic cage carnival March 9, 10, and 11. This reduction is regarded by Nebraska basketball enthusiasts as a genuine boost for the tournament and one which without doubt will result in practically all of the 289 eligible teams entering the contest.

Three debating squads have been chosen at Kearney State Teachers College who will take part in several triangular debates with other colleges of the state.

The Glean, LeMars, Iowa, contains some very interesting articles concerning the early history and development of Western Union College. Students, alumni and friends of the Northeast Missouri State Teachers College at Kirksville, will be invited to suggest names for the new building to be erected in the spring.

FOR RENT FIVE-ROOM HOUSE
One block west of college. Phone 108. Jack Hyatt.—adv.—19-2t-pd.

PUBLIC AUCTION

As I am closing out preparatory to moving from the state, I will sell at Public Auction on the Mellick farm 2 miles north and two west of Wayne; one mile south and six east of Carroll, nine miles west of Wakefield on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1922

Commencing at 12 o'clock.

FREE LUNCH BEFORE SALE

The following property:

Six Head of Horses

Span of grays, mare and gelding, 9 years old, weight 2750; span blacks, mare and gelding, 10 and 11 years old, weight 2200; gray gelding, 11 years old, weight 1600; brown mare, smooth mouth, weight 1600.

Ten Head of Cattle

Five extra good Holstein milch cows, fresh; 1 Holstein heifer, coming year old; 4 calves.

60 Head Pure Bred Big Type Poland China Hogs

32 bred sows, bred to Poland China boar, these are extra good bunch of brood sows, any one wanting brood sows should see this bunch. 5 stock hogs, 22 shoats, 1 Poland China boar.

Twenty Tons Alfalfa, 400 Bushel Seed Oats

Eight Dozen Pure Rhode Island Red Hens, all young. Three Hives of Bees.

Machinery, Household Goods, Etc.

8-foot Deering binder, good as new; 5-foot Adrence mower, 10-foot hay rake, Dain hay sweep, 2 box wagons, hay rack and truck, Litchfield manure spreader, a spring wagon, 16-inch Good Enough sulky plow, 16-inch walking plow, P. & O. corn planter with 160 rods of wire, New Century riding cultivator, 4-shovel, Janesville disc cultivator, Joker walking cultivator, 11-foot broadcast seeder, 10-foot International disk, new, horse or tractor hitch; 20-foot harrow, harrow cart, Fordson Tractor with power-lift plow, Ford Truck, Ford Touring Car and tractor in No. 1 condition, hand corn sheller, 2 hog oilers, hog troughs, pump jack, sweep feed-grinder, grapple hay fork, 4 steel oil barrels, 60-gallon steel tank, a steel wheelbarrow, 6 steel chicken coops, 1 1/2 horse power gasoline engine, Liberty washing outfit, washer, wringer, and engine, 40 bushels Early Buckeye seed potatoes, 15 bushels seed corn, white and yellow; a new DeLaval cream separator, 2 20-gallon jars, 150 quart jars, blacksmith forge, vice and bench, 7 gallons transmission grease, Fordson tractor pulley, 2 wire stretchers, 2 sets work harness, 2 new feed bunks, bicycle, good as new; 6-quart ice cream freezer, 9-gallon bentwood churn, and many other articles not listed—everything to be sold.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—A May-Flower range, an Illinois heater, burn either hard or soft coal, 6-foot extension dining table, cupboard, davenport, buffet, library table, center table, settee, 2 dressers, 11 chairs, 3 rockers, commode, 3 iron beds with springs, 2 mattresses, a child's bed and mattress, 2 rugs, 9x12; and dishes.

TERMS—Sums of \$10 and under cash. Over that amount ten months' time will be given on approved notes bearing 10 per cent interest. Property must be settled for before being removed.

W. T. WORLEY, Owner

Don Cunningham, Auctioneer

Citizens National Bank, Clerk

AVERAGE OF POLAND CHINA HOG SALE FRIDAY \$55.50

The following brood sows were sold for Paulson & Reid at the Wayne Pavilion February 17th, 1922:

No.	Name	Amt.
20	George Wacker, Carroll	\$50.00
26	Will Murphy, Wakefield	50.00
30	Carl Anderson, Wakefield	55.00
14	E. M. Blessing, Dakota City	75.00
15	J. M. Peterson, Carroll	80.00
21	Ben Davis, Wayne	60.00
22	Henry Braun, Randolph	60.00
23	George Hofeldt, Wayne	50.00
24	Carl Anderson, Wakefield	65.00
17	George Hofeldt, Wayne	57.50
32	Henry Harmeier, Carroll	60.00
31	Art. Kuhl, Randolph	52.50
35	George Hofeldt, Wayne	47.50
33	Albert Sabs, Carroll	60.00
25	Albert Sabs, Carroll	62.50
40	Art. Kuhl, Randolph	50.00
27	Albert Sabs, Carroll	52.50
36	Gust Hansen	52.50
0	George Hofeldt, Wayne	45.00
20	Henry Harmeier, Carroll	48.00
41	David W. Bloom, Concord	48.00
28	Ejnar Larsen, Wayne	55.00
4	J. M. Peterson, Carroll	59.00
5	William Bleck, Wayne	51.00
3	J. M. Peterson, Carroll	57.00
2	Ben Lund, Wakefield	63.00
8	Will Murphy, Wakefield	57.00
16	David W. Bloom, Concord	51.00
18	Ejnar Larsen, Wayne	48.00
19	Henry Harmeier, Carroll	56.00
38	Art. Kuhl, Randolph	50.00
34	Art. Kuhl, Randolph	47.00
37	Art. Kuhl, Randolph	48.00
39	Albert Sabs, Carroll	48.00
1	Will Murphy, Wakefield	77.50
7	J. M. Peterson, Carroll	57.50
6	Will Murphy, Wakefield	46.00
13	H. Gustafson, Wakefield	51.00
9	George Hofeldt, Wayne	58.00
10	H. Gustafson, Wakefield	55.00
12	L. W. Pfeil, Wayne	60.00
11	O. B. Randol, Wayne	52.00

CLUBS

The Y. W. C. A. weekly meeting was led by Florence Seder. Special beauties for girls to correspond with those given by the Master in His Sermon on the Mount, were discussed. A pleasing piano solo by Mary Burnham completed the program.

tell a lie. Come on, Kingsbury, East and North; Terrace was well represented Wednesday evening but your representatives were as scarce as sunshine at midnight!

The Catholic Club met Wednesday evening in the music room. After the business meeting was over the following program was given:
Reading.....Veronica Wlna
Report on life of Pope Benedict.....
Kathryn Keogh
Reading.....Nellie Sherlock
[Corporal Punishment
Readings—James.....Mildred Patrick
[Woes of a Boy
Hazel Malloy was appointed chairman for the next social meeting and Nellie Sherlock for the next business meeting.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lutt of Niobrara at the Campbell Hospital in Norfolk on February 8. Mrs. Lutt will be remembered as Miss Mabel Eberly who was a senior last year in the Normal.

Fortner wants your eggs. adv.

FOR SALE
80 acre improved farm, two miles east and two miles north of Cole-ridge. Terms part cash, balance at low rate of interest. Address Box 234, Wayne, Nebr. Phone 201. adv.—19-2t.

UNITED STATES COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

Omaha Division

In the Matter of
Earl Tollitson,
Bankrupt.

IN BANKRUPTCY

To the Creditors of the above named Bankrupt, of Wayne County of Wayne within said District:
Notice is hereby given that on the 20th day of February A. D. 1922, the said Earl Tollitson, was duly adjudged bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of Referee in Bankruptcy, in the City of Norfolk County of Madison and State of Nebraska, on the 7th day of March A. D. 1922, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other

business as may properly come before said meeting.
Dated at Norfolk, Nebraska, February 20th 1922.

H. F. Barnhart,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

LEGAL NOTICE

The State of Nebraska,
Wayne County, ss.

At a County Court, held at the County Court Room, in and for said County of Wayne, on the 16th day of February, 1922.

Present, J. M. Cherry, County Judge.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas William Moran, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of Marcella Rose Moran, praying that the instrument filed on the 13th day of February, 1922, and purporting to be the last Will and Testament of said deceased, may be proved, approved, probated, allowed and recorded as

the last Will and Testament of said Thomas William Moran, deceased, and that the execution of said instrument may be committed and that the administration of said estate may be granted to Marcella Rose Moran as Executrix.

ORDERED, That March 10th, A. D. 1922, at 9 o'clock A. M., is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a County Court to be held in and for said County, and show cause why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted; and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Nebraska Democrat, a weekly newspaper printed in said County, three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

(Seal) J. M. Cherry,
County Judge.

Car Load of Horses At Private Sale

At the

E. W. Splittgerber Farm

Two and 1-4 miles west and 6 miles south of Wayne.

These horses are from 4 to 8 years old, are all broke and gentle, including one good saddle horse.

E. W. Splittgerber

W. S. N. Alumni Club

Will Present

Vaudeville

in

Eight Feature Acts

Music Drama Fun

College Theatre

Wednesday, March 1, 8:00 P. M.

Admission 35 and 25 Cents

Entered as second class matter in 1884, at the postoffice at Wayne, Nebr., under the act of March 3, 1879.

Subscription Rates

One Year	\$1.50
Six Months	.75

WAYNE MARKET REPORTS

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

Corn, Yellow	40
Corn, White	40
Oats	27
Springs	15
Hens	18
Stags	12
Roosters	16
Eggs	.09
Butter Fat	.30
Cattle	\$3.50 to \$7.00
Hogs	\$8.75 to \$9.50

The administration is in trouble at Washington. It wants to please all to the extent of winning votes, but those who want the soldiers paid don't want a sales tax law passed to raise the money, and those who do not want the soldiers paid more money hope to make it unpopular by favoring the sales tax. The men and corporations who profited during the war should pay the soldier tax, by being made to disgorge their stolen riches.

In Vienna, according to the newspaper reports there has been a great scarcity of paper. It became so great that the government investigated the cause, and found that it was speculation. Great warehouses were filled, and it was being bought and sold over and over again and never moved. Much as our wheat is handled by the gamblers of the board of trade, when the government learned what was being done—it did the right thing—just confiscated the paper—a simple and effective way to break the combine.

The Nebraska G. A. R. encampment is to be held at Lincoln in May, and plans are now being made to entertain the honored guests of the city. They, the senators, want Secretary Hughes to cut his vacation in the south short and come back to Washington and tell them more about the recent treaties that appears of records. The President is telling them that no record of the four-power Pacific treaty exists, and that it is not necessary for the people to know about such things. It is informal and confidential conversation. Just so—but the President evidently expects the people to abide by this "informal and confidential conversation."

The State Journal in its news of forty years ago, tells that at this time that spring lumber was advanced at Mississippi river points two dollars per thousand feet. This it claims laid the foundation for the great Weyerhaeuser fortune, which is said to have eclipsed that of John D. The same paper says that thirty years ago, Governor Boyd wanted to call the legislature in extra session, but could not find excuse for so doing. He was not as resourceful as our McKelvie. Perhaps that legislature did not have as much to take back as did the one of last year.

No show at the Crystal Monday evening.—adv.

MAKING LIFE LONGER

From the Woman's Home Companion

Twelve years ago, Prof. Irving Fisher's investigations showed that at any given time the seriously ill in this country averaged 3,000,000, and in 42 per cent. of these cases the illness was preventable. Today Secretary Hoover's committee finds that the number of seriously ill has dropped to 2,400,000—a decrease of 600,000.

These findings are supported by statistics supplied by colleges and universities for both men and women, whose records show a gain in the physical condition of students so distinct and sufficient as to prove that the national vitality is increasing.

What has caused these hopeful conditions? What gives you and your children the almost certain chance of living longer, and in better health, than your forebears? Preventive medicine, working through improved sanitary conditions, a broader knowledge of hygiene, and the prevention of illness, which, among intelligent people, is rapidly replacing its relief and cure.

At their convention, held in the last hours of 1921, the National Association of Life Insurance Medical Directors, whose daily business it is to aid their companies in keeping policy holders alive, stated that periodic health examinations, during which symptoms of disease are discovered and the progress of ailments checked, are actually decreasing deaths among policy holders. During the past six years, 6,000 men who submitted regularly to periodic examinations have been kept under observation. Under the old system of consulting a physician only when a disease manifested itself, or became acute, 412 of the 6,000 would have died. Under the new method of periodic examinations and preventive treatment, only 217 deaths have occurred during those six years. Nearly 200 men will lengthen their lives by living up to the tenets of preventive medicine.

WITH THE WAYNE CHURCHES

First Presbyterian Church
Sunday, February 26
10:30 morning worship. "The First Thing to Pray For."
11:30 Sunday-school.
5:45 choir rehearsal.
6:30 evening worship. Subject, "Is the World Growing Better?" Second sermon on the Coming of Jesus.

Evangelical Lutheran Church
(Rev. H. A. Teckhaus, Pastor)
Sunday, February 26
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 o'clock.
Saturday school the 25th at 2:00 o'clock in afternoon.

The ladies of the Aid society will have a food sale at the Central Market Saturday afternoon.

English Lutheran Church
(Rev. J. H. Petteroff, Pastor)
Sunday school 10 a. m.
Public worship with sermon 11 a. m. Subject of sermon, "The Conflict on Carmel."
Evening service 7:30. Bible study in "The Acts of the Apostles".
Ladies Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Axel Johnson at the home of Mrs. John Kay next Thursday afternoon.

Methodist Episcopal Church
Sunday school 10 a. m.
Preaching service 11 a. m.
Epworth League 6:45 p. m.
Preaching service 7:30 p. m.
The Quarterly Conference will be held on Monday, February 27th. Dr. E. M. Furman will preside over the gathering. All reports are to be ready for the conference.

Holiness 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?

AMERICAN LEGION NOTES

The regular monthly meeting of Irwin Sears Post was held Wednesday evening the 14th. After the business session, a general discussion on the program for the year was held.

A contract was let by the Public Activities Committee to Dan Des Dunes (colored) 35 piece band, and Dan Des Dunes (colored) 10 piece jazz orchestra for music to be furnished July 4th.

The Public Activities Committee gave the report of the dance held the 13th. The dance netted the Post clear \$83.00.

Post Commander James Milliken, Carroll Orr, Jno. Bressler, Jr. are the committee appointed to see the business men on subscriptions for the 4th of July celebration.

The local Post will hold a dance Friday, March 17th, at the Wayne opera house. Tickets will be on sale next week.

Memberships are coming in daily. All ex-service men are welcomed to join the local Post. Do not wait to be asked, put your shoulder to the wheel and let's keep things going.

The Post is having an enlarged picture made of Irwin Sears, (deceased). This picture will adorn the walls in the Posts' rooms. The local Post having been named after Irwin Sears, who was the first man from Wayne county, to fall in battle in the late war.

The Women's Auxiliary and the Legion will hold a Community Dutch Treat Party in the near future.

About 3,000 Miles

"Did you like that batch of foreign jokes that Wagge brought back from his European vacation?"
"Nope. Too far-fetched."
—American Legion Weekly.

Take cream, eggs, poultry to E. E. Kearns at the Chas. Hixcox implement house.—adv.

Interesting Advertising

Here is an advertising item that will interest some. Mrs. Ed. Owen and family have decided to move to the farm and take charge of it, and as a result their modern 3-room house on Main and 6th street will be for rent about March 15th.

The New Spring Hats

Many of the lady readers are beginning to wonder about the new spring millinery, and those who have already may have it gratified by a visit to the store for women; on lower Main street, where Mrs. Jeffries is putting the new spring styles in millinery on display. Your wants may be met at this store.

One of the firm of Salmon Brothers of Concord was a Wayne visitor last week, and asked us to tell people that they want a good home in Wayne, where they hope to move; and that they have a good house and quarter block in Concord, well located, they would like to trade in for some residence property in the outskirts of Wayne. Who has such a property for sale or trade?

Ahern's

Spring Style News of Interest to Women

John has returned from his eastern buying trip. The most admired of his purchases are 80 beautiful silk dresses of taffeta, crepe and satin. Everyone who has seen them has been enthusiastic about them and several have already been sold. These dresses were bought for our out of town sales but as these do not commence for a couple of weeks we have the privilege of showing and selling these garments here, until that time.

If you have any idea of buying a silk dress for dance, party or best spring wear, you will be greatly interested in this fine display.

They are the choice styles from several of the best eastern lines. There are styles, colors, materials and trimmings to suit almost every taste, and best of all, no two are alike. Come now and choose an exclusive style dress from this splendid assortment. If you do not want to take it until March or April we will lay the dress you choose away for you until then. We would like to have every one of our customers who has a new dress in mind to see the unusual collection and make their choice before the garments are sent away for out of town sales.

What of Ready to Wear styles for springs? Will suits be good? If so, what will they be like? Are the suit jackets to be favored in fitted, semi-fitted or box styles? How long are the skirts? What of capes? Are they to replace coats, as they did two years ago, or are they just for special occasions? Will coats be long or box length; will coat materials be tweeds, sport cloths or dressy fabrics; what colors will prevail? How about dresses? Are taffeta silks or crepe silks considered best? What about sleeve lengths and styles? What trimmings are most favored on the dresses? These and many other questions which you are now considering relative to spring styles, have been carefully studied by us for the past three months. As we buy garments to sell in sixty other towns besides our own it is necessary that we find the right answer to these questions ourselves before we start buying on such a scale. We have made two trips to the eastern markets to get information on these style questions. John Ahern, who travels west for a leading Cleveland coat and suit house has had opportunity to see what styles were most generally selected by buyers for the ready to wear stores in several of the western states.

We feel sure we have figured out correctly the style problems in ready to wear for the coming season. You can see our answers if you will come now and look over the hundreds of garments that are coming into the store by almost every express.

You can depend on us to have the correct styles for you, and if you come now you can choose your coat or suit from a wonderful selection as all the garments which will be taken out later on for our out of town sales, are now here.

Wash Dresses Can Be Made Prettier

By trimming them the way you want them—making up the becoming colored ginghams and using the prettier styles that are now in the New McCall Pattern "it's printed."
"Printing" on a pattern simplifies dressmaking so that even an inexperienced sewer could make up New McCall Pattern 2579, and have the prettiness of the dress pictured above.

Many women always plan to have the bulk of their spring sewing done and out of the way by the time the "out-of-door" days of March rush upon them.

The twenty-eight days of February are good days in which to whirl the machine and finish many of the things you have in mind for your own and the children's wear. We have had the new materials you require for this sewing shipped early, and they are now ready for your selection.

The ginghams, tissues, voiles, silks, foulards, sheetings, lingerie cloths, etc. are now here in more and better variety than they will be later on. Come now and get first choice of the materials for your February sewing.

Especially attractive prices prevail on muslins, longcloths, nainsooks, sheetings and white goods which we bought below regular prices at the Chicago opening sales in January.



Our first shipment of silks, Foulards, Voiles, Organdies and Fine Tissues came in this week. An hour or two spent in looking them over will give you a much better idea of their beauty, fineness and style than we could give you in several columns.

You will enjoy seeing the new fabrics which have come to replace figured voiles of which we have surely had a plenty in the past three years.

You will admire the new patterns in foulards; the dainty weaves and colorings in tissues; the gayly colored organdies and richly woven crepes.

And you'll find planning your spring sewing a much pleasanter task after you have seen these goods and have an idea of what you can get in materials to carry out your style plans.

Our dress goods and silks are La Porte Mills Products; well known among dry goods lines for their excellence in dye, weave and finish, and especially esteemed for their superiority in styles.

We consider it quite an attraction for our store to have the sale of these unusual fabrics.



Are you wondering what to buy in the way of spring footwear? Of course, style is a big attraction in ladies' shoes and will continue to be because skirts are no longer, and footwear must be especially neat and attractive when it is left thus conspicuous.

You will be interested in the following style information on footwear for the coming season which I got at the National Shoe

Convention in Chicago in January

Shoe retailers from almost every state in the union and also from Canada were present, and in general meetings the question of what shoe styles would prevail this season were discussed at length. On some style ideas there was a pretty general agreement and we have guided our spring buying by these ideas as follows:

Oxfords, especially brown, and strap slippers in heavy leathers (mostly brown also) for early spring wear.

Black oxfords, mostly in kid, and a few patents, will hold second place.

Later on, in May and June lighter slippers in strap styles will prevail, and these will be mostly black. Patent leather, too, is popular in these styles.

Hot weather of July and August will usher in white footwear in the greatest variety it has ever been shown. What is known as sport styles in white goods will have great popularity.

Heels continue low and medium heights on street and every-day footwear, and a lower type of Louis or shaped heel on dress footwear.

There is an effort being made to revive grey as a popular footwear color. If it is successful we will have it for you.

Patent leather promises to be popular until July at least.

If you place your footwear purchases along these lines you are sure to be in correct style.

The new brown oxfords are cut on new lasts and trimmed in new ways that will distinguish them from the fall and winter styles.

The first shipments are now in and ready for your selection.

The strap slippers have the straps attached in entirely new fashion and they are certainly very dressy and attractive looking. We have had a few of them sent out early for dancing use and expect them next week.



CRITICAL INSPECTION
Close-up inspection of WAGNER'S Heavy crepe only to strengthen the famous regard for these wonderfully dainty creations. WAGNER'S Heavy crepe is properly made good. We want your critical inspection of our complete line. From the directness of the silhouette to the rich colorings, the perfect fit and the beautiful and durable details for every wear.

Mr. Ahern in Chicago this week buying Waists, Skirts, Draperies, Curtain Nets, Fancy Goods, Neckwear, and a few other lines of spring merchandise. On this trip he will meet the salesmen for the New York and Philadelphia houses from whom we buy many of these lines.

From now on until June 1st some one from the store will go East almost every other week to keep in touch with the styles and buy the goods required to keep our stock complete and up to date.

Buy your Chase and Sanborns Coffee in 3lb. cans for the next month and save the wrappers for Woman's Club. They receive 20¢ for every wrapper taken from a 3 lb. can by April 1st.

We have been obliged to increase our daily order for shipments of Federal bread. There is something about this bread people like. They like it so well they send their friends and neighbors here for it. Try a loaf. You may like it a whole lot better than what you are using. Raisin bread which I got at the National Shoe and cinnamon rolls on Saturdays.

OUR 1922 SAMPLES AND STYLES ARE HERE

For the inspection of those who want

GOOD CLOTHES

We have a new line of samples of all wool clothes, of latest patterns and weaves. We represent one of the very large manufacturers of

Made to Measure Clothing

Our prices are all marked in plain figures, and those figures represent greater values by far than was possible a year ago. They are down to now so far as both price and style are concerned.

Let me take your measure and your order for such clothing as you need.

Suits, Pants, Overcoats

Wayne Cleaning Works

W. A. TRUMAN, Proprietor

Phone 41

**WELL DRILLING
DEEP OR SHALLOW
ALL MAKE OF WELLS**

We are prepared to give prompt and satisfactory service for any kind of well work—no job too large—none too small. We ask an opportunity to make an estimate on your work. We guarantee a well.

SALMON BROS.
Phone 1111-on 10
Concord, Nebraska

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

All kinds of grass seeds at Fortner's. L. M. Owen was a passenger to Sioux City Saturday.

There will not be any show at the Crystal Monday evening.—adv.

Mrs. H. L. Harmer from Carroll was a passenger to Sioux City this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Benschhof came from Winside this morning to visit at the home of their son Fred.

W. A. Truman went to Lincoln Wednesday morning to spend a few days visiting with his mother.

Mrs. W. E. Johnson went to Missouri Valley this morning to visit at the home of her brother, Dr. Gamble.

Mr. Nels Sjoeborg from Norfolk came to Concord the first of the week, and Wednesday accompanied his wife and children to their Norfolk home. Mrs. S. is daughter of Mr. Anderson, whose funeral was last week Sunday, and she has been staying at the old home with mother since that time, until Wednesday.



YOU will find that our bread is just right. The tastiness of it will make your appetite sit up and take notice and the weight of it will make you feel that you're getting the food-value of your money. It's important that you should remember the name of our bread and that you impress it upon the groceryman.

Wayne Bakery
E. Lingren, Prop.
Phone 343

Food For The Lenton Season

We have a new stock of Norwegian Fish and can supply every demand in that line. In stock you will find the very best in Mackerel, Sardines and Kipperd Herrings, and other salt fish in convenient sized pails or by the pound. Also Salmon, and other canned fish, of best quality.

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The Yeomen are to meet in special meeting this evening.

Mrs. McIntyre of Winside was a Wayne visitor Wednesday.

There will not be any show at the Crystal Monday evening.—adv.

Emmet Dewey of Winside was a Wayne visitor between trains Wednesday.

Miss Vera Brunner of Randolph was a Wayne visitor between trains Wednesday.

G. H. Thompson was a passenger to Emerson the last of the week, for a short stay.

Mrs. C. L. Smith, who was visiting at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Jones, returned to her home at Sioux City Wednesday.

Miss Helen Blair was over from Norfolk, where she teaches, to spend the week end with home folks, Dr. and Mrs. Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Lowry from Bloomfield visited Wayne friends the last of the week while going to Norfolk to visit relatives.

Mrs. Delilah of Carroll, passed thru Wayne Wednesday morning on her way to Bancroft to attend the funeral of her sister's baby.

Horace Theobald, who has been suffering from erysipelas for more than a week past, is better, and able to leave his bed.

Miss Loretta Clark of the Normal, left Wednesday for her home at Lyons, where she will spend a few days with her parents.

Miss Carrie Lambert, who has been one of the office force at the Radio-Round incubator factory left this morning for Sioux City.

Mrs. C. J. Rasdal came home from Sac City Saturday where she has been caring for her mother, who has slightly improved in health.

Mrs. L. R. Carroll and son E. H., who were visiting with Miss Dorothy and Frances Carroll, returned to her home at Wynot Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ahern went to Chicago Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Ahern going on business and Mrs. Ahern will visit with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Jansen, who were visiting at the home of her sister Mrs. H. J. Hansen, returned to their home at Dallas, South Dakota, this morning.

Mrs. W. H. Root and her sister, Mrs. Gudgeon from Sholes were passengers thru Wayne the last of the week, going to Archer to visit Mrs. Root's daughter Alice, now Mrs. Gentleman. My line of new footwear is here, and I wish the ladies to know what a fine line of oxfords they may find here to select from, and the best way to do that is to call and see the offering. Mrs. Jeffries.—adv.

President U. S. Conn is at Chicago this week attending the meeting of the superintendents and presidents of schools, and remaining until next week to be present at the national teacher association sessions.

Miss Helen Wiemers, who has been visiting with Miss Frieda Koch, returned to her home at Laurel Wednesday. She was accompanied by Miss Koch, who will spend a short time visiting with her at that place.

Miss Elsie Ford Piper went to Chicago Wednesday, where she will attend the National Conference of Deans of Women Association to be held there this week, and next week will attend the National Teachers Association.

Dr. J. T. House of the college was at Pender Tuesday, where he was invited to address the women of the clubs of the city. His subject was not announced—but we venture the assertion that he gave them some good things to think over.

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

SOCIAL NOTES

Members of the Baptist Sunday school, pupils and teachers, gave a reception in the church basement Monday evening for A. E. Childs, who has been their superintendent for about two years past, and is now about to move to his farm near Magnet. The Childs family will be greatly missed, for they have been an active force in the church and Sunday school work. They have been living on the Frank Ruth farm near Wayne. A pleasant evening was passed, and refreshments served. The well wishes of the school go with them.

The Coterie enjoyed a social afternoon on Monday at the home of Mrs. A. T. Cavanaugh. The entertainment was "500", Mrs. Perry Theobald winning the prize for high score. A two course luncheon was served by the committee, Mesdames L. A. Fauske, Leslie Ellis and LeRoy Ley. Mrs. Edwin Pederson and Mrs. T. J. Cavanaugh were guests. The club will meet February 27th with Mrs. Leslie Ellis.

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. Lutgen Friday afternoon. Miss Clayton sang two songs with Miss Crystal Dragon accompanying on the piano. Miss Fortner gave a reading. Mrs. Oman sang two songs and played her own accompaniment. The circle are planning on a social meeting in near future. Next meeting will be with Mrs. C. W. Hiscox. The ladies who left early missed a song by Harry Lauder entitled "There is Somebody Waiting for me".

Mrs. Ray Reynolds entertained at dinner for Mrs. Penney Tuesday. The following guests were present: Mrs. J. G. W. Lewis, Mrs. Harry Craven, Mrs. E. W. Huse and Miss Nettie Craven. Mrs. Penney gave a splendid address here before members of the Woman's club, and from this place she went to Bloomfield to speak at a county welfare conference of the citizens of that vicinity.

Allan Perdue was neatly surprised Saturday afternoon when a number of his little playmates came in to help him celebrate his 11th birthday, February 19th. The afternoon was spent in various games and contests. Ice cream, cake and home made candy was served by Mrs. Perdue. A birthday cake with 11 candles was a feature of the afternoon feast.

The members of the Minerva club will have their postponed meeting Monday, February 27, at the home of Mrs. Lutgen, when the following program will be given: Roll call, current events, Magazine articles by Mesdames House, Lewis, Lutgen, Rog and Owen. Community singing Mrs. Crabtree leader. Mrs. House pianist.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church will meet in all day session Wednesday, March 1st at the C. T. Lingham home, for quilting. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon, each lady to bring what she wishes for the lunch. It is hoped that many will be present prepared to quilt.

The Acme club met Monday at the home of Mrs. V. A. Senter. The afternoon was spent socially. The hostess, served candy. Next Monday the club will celebrate their 40th anniversary at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Mines. The husbands will be guests. Dinner will be served at 6:30.

The members of Sorosis club met with Mrs. Fred Blair Monday afternoon. Mrs. May Young gave a paper on "American Humorists". Mrs. Grace Keyser gave a paper on "American Singers". A record of each was given on Victrola. Hostess served luncheon at close of the afternoon.

Wednesday and today are the birthdays of Wm. Libengood and G. W. Alberts. Mrs. Alberts prepared a birthday feast and invited the Libengood family to dine Tuesday evening. Mrs. Libengood made two birthday cakes. A very enjoyable time was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harrington and Mrs. J. J. Williams entertained at a 6:30 o'clock dinner last Thursday evening. The guests found places at two large tables, which were beautifully decorated with cut flowers. The evening was spent playing 500.

The Queen Esther's met for a social hour Wednesday evening with Miss Adelle Schmidt, and enjoyed the time playing "Somebody". They laid plans for a food sale March 4th. At the close of the evening the hostess served light refreshments.

The Monday club met with Mrs. Maib. Mrs. Kahl gave a book review. Mrs. Whitmer of Normal gave three readings. Hostess served refreshments. Next meeting will be

guests day at the home of Mrs. Chace. Prof. I. H. Britell will talk on radium.

The Happy Hour club met at the Judson home Saturday afternoon. The program consisted of music, readings and games. Hostess served refreshments. Next meeting will be next Saturday afternoon with Mary and Joe Theobald.

The members and husbands of the Central Social Circle surprised Mr. and Fred Wendt Friday evening, who soon leave for their new home at Lucas, South Dakota. The evening was spent at cards and music, after which refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Coryell will give a farewell party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Rasdal this evening. The evening will be spent in playing cards. Mr. and Mrs. Rasdal will move to Sioux City about March 1st.

The Aid society of M. E. church meet this afternoon with Mrs. Brahnard. There is sewing to be done, preparations are being made for the annual spring bazaar.

The Ladies Aid of the English Lutheran church met with Mrs. John Kay last Friday afternoon. The ladies are planning their spring bazaar. Hostess served luncheon.

P. E. O. met with Mrs. J. W. Jones Tuesday evening and gave their surprise program which was very interesting. Hostess served refreshments.

Central Social Circle meet with Mrs. John Gettman March 2nd, with Mrs. Joe Haines as social leader.

The new party congressional convention for this 3d district was postponed until the 3rd of March.

Zoro weather this morning, and we thought the weather man said he would not do that again, the last break before this.

AS COMET SWINGS ITS TAIL

Speed Records of Celestial Bodies Are All Broken When They Turn Around the Sun

One of the most remarkable things about comets is the presence of a tail. Not that all have them. Many possess such appendages, and some make marvelous displays. However, the tail appears to be a transient affair somehow due to the comet's proximity to the sun. A periodic comet which displays a magnificent tail at one apparition may show little or nothing of this character upon another occasion.

As a typical comet swings swiftly round the sun, the tail seems to swing around as well. Always it stretches from the comet in a direction away from the sun. As the tail may be many millions of miles in length, an explanation is needed to cover the question as to how it is possible in a few days to swing the tail through an arc of 180 degrees. Some comets are extraordinarily rapid movers as they round the sun. Thus, the periodic comet of 1843 reached, in its swing round, the wonderful velocity of 300 miles per second. However, it is more particularly the rapid angular swing of the tail that needs explanation. If the tail is precisely the same object throughout, a 72-hour swing of a hundred million miles of tail through two right angles would mean that the terminal particles covered an arc considerably over 150,000,000 miles long at the rate of some 600 miles per second.—Scientific American.

AGED MAN WOULD SEE WORLD

Turkish Methuselah, at 148, Refuses to Consider Himself as Too Old to Travel.

A modern Methuselah, reputed to be the oldest man on earth, has started out to see the world before he gets "too old to travel." Zora Mehmed, one hundred and forty-six years old, of Constantinople has arrived in Paris. Zora, who has been working pretty consistently for 140 years, is in excellent health and boasts of being able to carry a 200-pound weight. Zora produces identification papers to prove he was born in 1775, and he refers to his closest competitor for longevity honors, a Sioux Indian in the United States, aged one hundred and thirty-seven years, as "a mere boy." Zora has a son fifty-five years old, and he has so many descendants that he long ago lost count.

The aged Turk is a skeptic on the subject of matrimony. Having tried the experience four times, he says he speaks with a certain amount of authority.

"Women," said Zora, shaking his head bitterly, "women; they may seem as sweet as the rosy dawn, but, verily, they are more often like thorns, hidden only by a rosy exterior."

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BIGGEST GAME OF THE YEAR

On Saturday of this week at the opera house Wisner tackled Wayne in what should prove to be the hardest fought and best game of the season. Wisner has a classy bunch of cagers this year and they have hung

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up a record which is hard to beat, having defeated all the leaders in their vicinity. Wayne has met Wisner once this year, on the Wisner floor, and it was there that Wayne received her only severe drubbing of the season. The local cagers being defeated by the count of 16-11. The game at Wisner was a thriller and was declared by the Wisner people to have been the best game played there in years. Many of the local dopsters are of the opinion that the fact that Wayne played a hard game with Wakefield the night before and made the trip in an open truck in the cold weather was the cause of this defeat. However that may be, there is no doubt but what the return game will be a corker as Coach Crabtree's tossers are out for revenge. The latest reports from Wisner indicate that they are planning on a victory. Will

they? We rather think not, but lets all be out and boost for Wayne. The Midgets will play the Wisner second team in a curtain raiser to the big game, the Midgets defeated Wisner at Wisner and should repeat. The Midgets have won eight games this year and have a 1000 per cent. First game at 7:30. Admission 35c.

- GRADLE**
- WALKER—Friday, February 17th, 1922, to Henry Walker and wife, a son.
- HANSEN—Monday, February 6, 1922, to Chris A. Hansen and wife, of Laurel, a daughter.
- DEBERNECKER—Saturday, February 11, 1922, to Wm. H. Debernecker and wife, a daughter.
- JOHNSON—Thursday, February 9, 1922, to John C. Johnson and wife, a son.

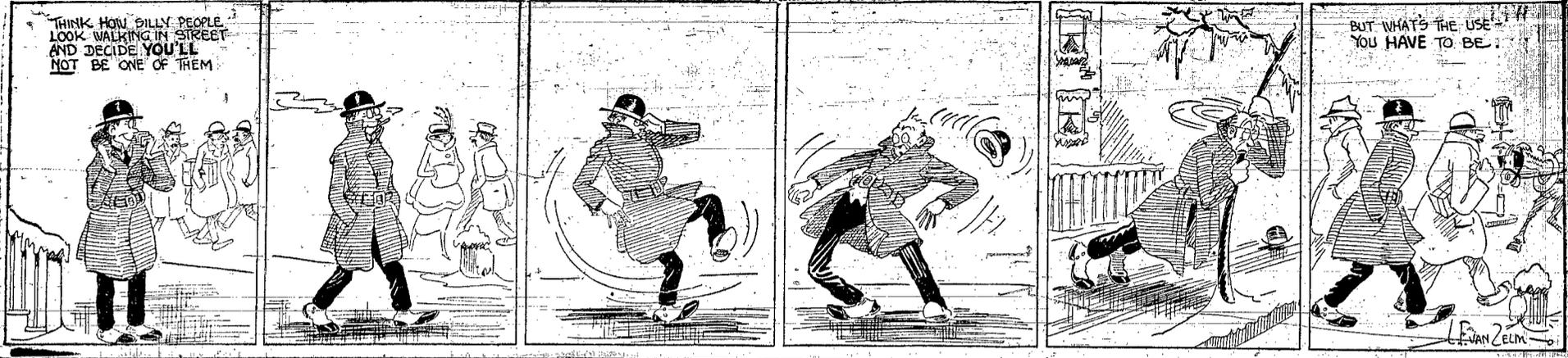
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NORTHEAST NEBRASKA SCHOOLMEN'S MEETING

(From The Goldenrod)
The second annual meeting of the Schoolmen of Northeast Nebraska was held at the Wayne State Teachers College on Friday, February 10. Over fifty men attended, the two sessions, one in the afternoon and the other in the evening in the calisthenium.

In the absence of the president of the club, Supt. O. H. Bimson of Oakland, Supt. E. W. Smith of Wakefield presided over the first session. Supt. R. A. Bixler of Emerson and Supt. H. H. Reimund of Tekamah gave the principal addresses, discussing the present economy program of the schools. The need of a budget system was urged and the sentiment of the company was that some savings were possible. However, in the interest of efficiency, it was deemed unwise to cut salaries until the cost of living had been further reduced. Discussion revealed the fact that contrary to opinion, there is no general movement toward reduction of salaries. The dispatch from O'Neill that appeared in state papers a few days since, declaring for a minimum salary of \$70 per month for rural schools, was authoritatively stated not to represent the sentiment of the people or of the school boards of that vicinity.

At the banquet hour, the men gathered in the calisthenium, where after the dinner, a series of toasts were responded to with Supt. L. J. Surface of Albion, acting as toastmaster. Dean H. H. Hahn of the State Teachers college, discussed improvement made during the past generation in school supervision. Supt. S. B. Shively of Wausa, told many amusing incidents in the lives of some of the club members. Supt. R. W. Shirey of Wayne, spoke of the spiritual rewards of the profession of teaching. Supt. H. H. Reimund urged cooperation with the State Teachers Association in establishing the office of secretary on a permanent basis. President U. S. Conn said that some cry that the schools are a failure and said that if such be the case, the situation is due to lack of a sense of responsibility on the part of the public, not only for the schools but for all the institutions of society. "When people demand better schools, we shall have them."

During the banquet music was furnished by the Normal orchestral club directed by Professor Hunter. Music was also sent by wireless from the science hall. By means of the magnovox, an instrument which magnifies the vibrations received over the radio-telephone, the concert was very distinctly heard by all the banqueters.

The schoolmen voted to hold the district declamation contest in Wayne about the first of April. Thanks were

expressed to the domestic science department of the Normal for the excellent meal served and to the management of the school for the use of the rooms and the entertainment. The general sentiment among the club members was that the meeting was a decided success.

FROM CHANCE TO CERTAINTY

The difference between school administration and supervision fifteen years ago and administration and supervision today is the difference between chance and certainty. In less than two decades the control of school affairs has passed out of the realm of opinion into the realm of science. Fifteen years ago school authorities built and equipped schoolhouses, made curricula, measured the progress of children, selected and dismissed teachers, judged the effectiveness of methods, and administered school affairs in general, merely on the basis of opinion. Today schoolhouses are being built in accord with the science of architecture, the curriculum is being made in terms of the progress of children, selected and dismissed teachers, judged the effectiveness of methods, and administered school affairs in general, merely on the basis of opinion. Today schoolhouses are being built in accord with the science of architecture, the curriculum is being made in terms of the progress of children, selected and dismissed teachers, judged the effectiveness of methods, and administered school affairs in general, merely on the basis of opinion. Today schoolhouses are being built in accord with the science of architecture, the curriculum is being made in terms of the progress of children, selected and dismissed teachers, judged the effectiveness of methods, and administered school affairs in general, merely on the basis of opinion.

There is space for the development of only one of the above-named items. When methods are selected on the basis of opinion, school fads are likely to exist. No one is disposed to find out in an objective way what methods can do. They appeal to our interest in novelty and win. Such is the explanation of the Pollard Method, the Spear Method, Vertical Writing, Reformed Spelling, and the rest. When methods are chosen on the basis of results as measured by objective standards, the schools are not in danger of fads. Under such a regime methods must prove their worth before they are accepted. At present "incidental learning" and "project teaching" are in the testing stage. If the use of either one becomes general in school, it will be because its results have proved its worth. The day of the school fad is gone.

Of course, the objective tools of administration and supervision must be understood. Superintendents must become skilled in their use. Their techniques must be mastered. To operate in the field of chance no training is necessary; but only the trained can labor in the field of certainty.
—H. H. Hahn.

LIVE STOCK PRICES AT SOUTH OMAHA

Cattle Trade Active—Strong to 10-15c Higher.

HOGS SHOW DIME ADVANCE

Fat Sheep and Lambs in Keen Demand and Fully 25c Higher. Fat Lambs at \$15.75, High Point of the Season.

Union Stock Yards, Omaha, February 22, 1922. A comparatively light run of cattle Tuesday, 7,200 head, was responsible for an active market with prices strong to 10@15c higher than Monday. Best heaves on sale sold at \$7.75@8.10. Cow stuff was steady and stockers and feeders easier.

Quotations on Cattle:—Good to choice heaves, \$7.40@8.25; fair to good heaves, \$6.00@7.35; common to fair heaves, \$5.85@6.50; fair to good yearlings, \$6.00@7.50; common to fair yearlings, \$5.75@6.50; choice to good heifers, \$4.75@6.00; choice to prime cows, \$5.25@6.75; good to choice cows, \$4.75@5.25; fair to good cows, \$4.35@4.75; cutters, \$3.35@4.15; canners, \$2.75@3.25; beef and butcher bulls, \$3.60@5.25; bologna bulls, \$3.25@3.75; veal calves, \$5.00@9.50; good to choice feeders, \$6.85@7.50; fair to good feeders, \$6.15@6.75; common to fair feeders, \$5.40@6.10; good to choice stockers, \$6.85@7.50; fair to good stockers, \$6.25@6.75; common to fair stockers, \$5.50@6.25; stock heifers, \$4.50@6.00; stock cows, \$4.00@5.00; stock calves, \$3.00@7.75.

Hogs Advance Again.
Receipts of hogs Tuesday were 14,600 head and both shippers and packers bought them freely at prices steady to 10c higher than Monday. Tops brought \$9.00 and bulk of the sales were around \$9.50@9.80.

Lambs Sell up to \$15.75.
The lamb market scored a further advance of fully 25c Tuesday and a new top of \$15.75 was registered. Receipts were 9,000 head and demand was broad from all quarters.

Quotations on sheep and lambs:—Fat lambs, good to choice, \$14.50@15.75; fat lambs, fair to good, \$14.00@14.50; shearing lambs, \$13.50@14.25; feeder lambs, good to choice, \$13.00@13.85; cull lambs, \$10.00@12.00; fat yearlings, light, \$12.50@13.00; fat yearlings, heavy, \$9.50@10.50; fat wethers, \$7.75@9.00; fat ewes, light, \$7.50@8.00; fat ewes, heavy, \$5.50@7.00; feeder ewes, \$4.00@5.50.

Keeps Fruit a Year.
A French scientist has found that even the most delicate fruit can be kept fresh for a year by thoroughly washing it and sealing it hermetically in jars filled with sterile water.

The Beaten Road.
Sincerity is like traveling in a plain beaten road, which commonly brings a man sooner to his journey's end than by ways, in which men often lose themselves.—Tillotson.

WHY GIVE EXAMINATIONS?
(From The Goldenrod)
The following discussions are extracts from the papers of Normal students; the first from the county physiology examination and the second from an elementary physiology examination.

Using School Notes.
The tenth grade had a valentine party Saturday evening.
The eighth grade attended the basketball game February 10. Afterwards they went to the home of Marion and Margaret Ahern and

spent the evening in playing games. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Miss Stocking's pupils had a Valentine box.
Dr. House spoke to the ninth grade last Thursday in connection with their study of The Song of Hugh Glass.

Miss Stocking was absent from school on Wednesday on account of a sprained ankle.
The seventh and eighth grades are writing replies to letters which have been written them by the sixth grade of the Albion school. Miss Stella Arnold, '21, is teaching this grade at Albion.

On February 10 the Peewees lost to the High School Midgets 28 to 11. On Friday, February 17, the Peewees played Emerson second team at Emerson.

The ninth grade is conducting a school newspaper and posting the material upon the bulletin board in the Junior High room. The above items were taken from this board.

RADIOPHONE CONCERTS

A program of sacred selections on the phonograph was sent out over the radiophone of the Normal Sunday afternoon, from four to five o'clock. Reports have been received from a distance of 100 miles indicating that the concert was well received and enjoyed.

On Wednesday evening another concert was sent out from the school.

On Thursday evening at 6:30 Rev. Weldon Crossland at Detroit Michigan, gave a fifteen minute talk on the subject "Putting Goodness on the Market" which was received here over the wireless. A number of people, friends and relatives of Mr. Crossland, gathered to hear this message.

WORLD'S DEBT TO COLUMBUS

Expansion of Europe and Remaking of the Earth Followed Explorer's Wonderful Voyage.

Few people realize how thin great regions were peopled four centuries ago, or how many Europeans are living outside of Europe today. The United States, Canada and Argentina contain twice as much land as the home continent. When white settlement began, the land now comprised in the United States may have contained 400,000 Indians—that is the highest estimate. Possibly the other two countries contained as many, an average of population of one person to nine square miles. Australia, with 3,000,000 square miles, held not more than 100,000 persons.

Today, those four countries support a white population of about 125,000,000. The hot regions between the Rio Grande and La Plata hold several millions more. Europe has spread over half the globe, while Asia has shrunk well within her own borders—and all this change dates from and depends upon that voyage of Columbus.

White men crossed the Atlantic before Columbus, but they left no trace of their voyage on this side. It is passing strange that not even European domestic animals were left here—the Norsemen had cattle, whose bellowing frightened the natives. Not till Columbus pointed the way did the expansion of Europe begin, or the world become truly one world instead of many.

Nose-Tip Vaccination.

The aged Japanese statesman had a little, saucer-shaped scar on the tip of his nose.
"All we Japanese of the older generation have this scar," he said. "It's our vaccination mark."
"Mercy!"
"Yes, it's our vaccination mark. In the old days, when compulsory vaccination first came in, we vaccinated everybody on the tip of the nose. Why? Well, because it was a good place—no movement there, you see, to rub off the scab. Also because a vaccination mark on the nose tip was easily identified by the medical officer—no need to take on half your clothes in order to prove that you'd been vaccinated."
"Yes, nose-tip vaccination had its good points, but before the modern hankering after beauty it had to go, just as knee vaccination is going here in the western world, before the one-piece bathing dress and the stocking rolled down to the top of the calf."
Further wants your poultry. adv.

"ANTI-EFFEMINACY" MOVEMENT

The "anti-effeminacy" movement from Columbia University has been adopted at Northwestern University, according to a recent report. Since girls are adopting mannish habits a club of boys has decided to avoid womanish ways. The constitution of the club reads:

"Whereas, Women are smoking cigars, wearing galoshes both buckled and unbuckled, and otherwise presuming into realms heretofore restricted to men only:
"Be it Resolved, That we, the Beta chapter of the Anti-Feminist club, shall shun and otherwise lay off the habits of the lounge lizard and the arm chair Napoleon."

Each member must have a pipe, corn cob, briar or clay, and stand a fine of not more than \$200 if he powders his face after shaving.

PERU HEADS CONFERENCE

At present it looks as if Peru Normal has a good chance to annex the 1922 state college cage championship. Thus far the Pedagogues have a record of six victories and not a single defeat. The remainder of the Peru schedule calls for four conference games all of which look quite favorable for our sister normal school. The state conference race stands as follows:

	W.	L.	Pct.	Pts.	Op.
Peru	6	0	1.000	201	72
Wesleyan	7	1	.875	256	134
Doane	6	1	.857	221	112
Midland	5	3	.625	242	138
Cotner	7	4	.571	337	246
Kearney	5	5	.500	269	225
Hastings	2	5	.286	165	220
Chadron	1	4	.200	127	166
York	1	4	.200	60	156
Grand Island	0	7	.000	93	244
Wayne	0	6	.000	54	208

LOCALS

J. Laurie Wallace, Omaha artist, has been commissioned to paint a portrait of John G. Nelhard, the Nebraska Poet Laureate. The painting will be done under the auspices of

the Omaha Nelhard Club which will present the portrait when completed to the city library. Nelhard is now lecturing in the East but will return soon and will begin sitting for the portrait.

Miss Elsie Ford Piper was elected vice president of the Woman's Educational Club of Nebraska at the annual meeting held recently in Lincoln.

Eldon Brotherton and Miss Pearl Backaus of Neligh were married in Wayne Wednesday. Miss Backaus was a student in the Normal for a short time this semester.

The college physics department is making wireless receiving sets for the following schools: Creighton, Emerson, Wisner, Osmond, and Peru State Teachers College.

E. R. Heins of Wayne and Miss Fern Stanley of Dixon were married in Wayne Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Heins was a student in the Normal in 1918-19.

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OUTLINE IN CIVICS

(Continued From Last Month)

4. Qualifications. See Section 1 under Article II.

5. Oath of office (Learn it.) See Page 196 in Montgomery's History. Note 4 at bottom of page or Section 1 under Article II.

6. Powers and duties. Name 8 or 10. See Sections 2 and 3 under Article II.

7. Vacancy.

a. How may it occur? Impeachment, death, resignation, or inability.

b. How filled? Vice President then by members of cabinet in order as given in list of officers in Wayne County Teacher.

is divided into:

1. Supreme Court.
2. District Court.
3. County Court.

c. Salaries. See Bowen's Civics.

d. Duties.

The Secretary of State is the chief clerk and records the official acts of the governor and legislature, has charge of various State papers and documents, and performs other miscellaneous duties.

The State Auditor has charge of the State finances. He estimates the See Supreme Judges of Nebraska in list of officers.

Note. Make and mount map of our judicial district with names of district judges.

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Bible subscriptions, all to one teacher's address, from now until June 17, each subscription 20c. Address, Chicago, Illinois, 30 North Michigan Avenue.

Study of Constitution in back of History.

Tarkington's "My Country" good for pupils.

Magruder's Civics, by Allyn & Bacon, Chicago, helpful to teachers in filling out outline.

Bowen's Nebraska Civics.

Bookkeeping.

I think if pupils cover the work in Bookkeeping given on Pages 82-91, 155-159, 163-167, 180-187, 260-263, 269-278 in Hamilton's Essentials of Arithmetic, Second Book, and get the work in letter writing in their composition work they will have no difficulty in passing the examination in bookkeeping.

OF GENERAL INTEREST

District 21.

A box social was held in District 21. A program was given by the pupils. Proceeds from sale of boxes amounted to \$21.70 for twenty-seven boxes.

Mrs. Ellen Doyle, teacher.

District 68.

Our school had a program and box social on December 23, but because of the stormy weather not a very large crowd was present. Proceeds of the social were \$15.45, which will be used in purchasing a teacher's chair and curtains for the school. Four pupils of this district have attended regularly for the five months.

Violet Meng, teacher.

District 2.

The annual social of District No. 2 was given at LaPorte, December 29th, in the form of a pie social. The school children with the assistance of others gave a most enjoyable program. A very large crowd was present and a number of pies sold. Proceeds were \$38.10.

Vallie Wiggins, teacher.

School Notes From District 75.

We had a nice time at our Christmas Program on the afternoon of December 23. The pupils gave a program consisting of Christmas songs, recitations and dialogues after which the tree was lighted. The tree was given to us by Mr. and Mrs. Billeter and was a beautiful one. Santa Claus made a short call and helped distribute the treat which consisted of popcorn balls, apples, candy and nuts. The parents received useful and dainty gifts which had been made by the pupils.

Frank Bock one of our eighth graders has been out of school a month on account of illness.

Attendance has been good, especially by the little folks.

Frances Spahr, teacher.

DIPLOMAS OF HONOR

Pupils receiving Diplomas of Honor for three years perfect attendance are: Alvena Greve of District 27, Morris Hansen of District 63, Helen Dorman of District 61, Otto Kant of District 53, Mildred Brumels of District 3, Ruth Frick and George Miller of Winside.

THE FOURTEEN

EIGHTH GRADE SUBJECTS

Are your eighth grade pupils covering the work as outlined in the different numbers of the Wayne County Teacher and the Course of Study? Pupils will be pretty well prepared if they have covered work in Course of Study.

We had a box supper at our school house last Friday evening, February 10. Our program consisted of songs, recitations, and dialogues. Quite a number were present and the proceeds amounted to \$37.50. We are planning on getting an organ and a flag for our school.

Gladys Beaton, teacher.

STATE EXAMINATION

DAYS FOR TEACHERS

One day, Saturday, April 15, 1922.

Two days, Friday and Saturday, May 26-27, 1922.

Two days, Friday and Saturday, June 30, July 1, 1922.

Two days, Friday and Saturday, August 4-5, 1922.

CERTIFICATES OF AWARD

Pupils of the county who have received Certificates of Award for nine months perfect attendance are: Otto Kant, Robert Anderson, Norman Carr, Emil Greve, David Garwood, Edna Robson, Carl Mellicke, Mathies Holt, Dorothy Jackson, Helen Neitzke, Opal Thompson, Theodore Rees, Alice Anderson, Charles Killion, Preston Turner, Bessie Davis, Kay Graverholt, Verona Buss, Mildred Agler, Orville Erxleben, Frank Bock, Anna Bock, Clara Rathwisch, Mabel Brudigan, Irene Dämme, Lorenzo Voss, Clomans Welch, Mary Isom, Leona Koepke, Edwin Koepke, Frank Meer, Howard Witt, Elwen Trautwein, Ross Holcomb, Marjorie Miffield, Opal Schneider, Opal Phillips, Mabel Landanger, Frank Hayener, Pearl Brumels, Lloyd Meyers, Helen Beith, Harold Nelson, Willie Swanson, Rudolph Nelson, LeRoy Stamm, Ruby Nelson.

CERTIFICATION RE-

QUIREMENTS FOR 1922

Second Grade Certificate

1. Issued by county superintendent.
2. Valid for two years, in state.
3. No subject below 70%; average 80%.
4. Eight weeks normal training, no experience required.
5. Renewable upon following conditions:
 - a. Average must be 85; no subject below 75.
 - b. Presentation of six college hours credit earned in residence or in absentia.

Eight weeks normal training, Institute attendance, and an average of 80% with no grade below 70% entitles an applicant to a first issuance of their second grade certificate under the new law.

First Grade Certificate

1. Issued by county superintendent.
2. Valid for three years, in state.
3. No subject below 75%; average 80%.
4. One year's experience and twelve weeks normal training required.
5. Renewable on following conditions:
 - a. Average must be 85%; no subject below 80%.
 - b. Six hours college credit in addition, earned since the issuance of the first grade county.
6. Subsequent renewals after the first:
 - a. Twelve hours college credit in addition to these since the certificate was first renewed. Twelve weeks Normal Training, one year's experience, Institute Attendance and average of 85% with no grade below 75% in all subjects required for a first grade entitles an applicant to a first issuance of their first grade certificate under the new law.

STATE EDUCATIONAL, CHARITABLE AND CORRECTIVE INSTITUTIONS

University of Nebraska, Lincoln.

State Normal Schools, Peru, Kearney, Wayne, Chadron.

University School of Agriculture, Lincoln.

Nebraska School of Agriculture, Curtis.

School for the Blind, Nebraska City.

School for the Deaf and Dumb, Omaha.

Asylums for Insane, Lincoln, Norfolk, Hastings.

Tuberculosis Hospital, Kearney.

Institution for Feeble Minded Youth, Beatrice.

Orthopedic Hospital, Lincoln.

State Penitentiary, Lincoln.

Soldiers and Sailors' Home, Grand Island and Milford.

Boys' Industrial Home, Kearney.

Girls' Industrial School, Geneva.

Nebraska Home for Dependent Children, Lincoln.

EIGHTH GRADE EXAMINATION

The dates set for the final eighth grade examinations are Thursday and Friday, April 6 and 7 and May 4 and 5.

They will be held in the different towns of the county.

No seventh graders are to take the examinations. Only pupils who have completed the work of the eighth grade and are recommended by their teachers are to take the examinations. Teachers are not to recommend any that have not covered the work and that they think are not ready.

PROGRAM

Thursday	Friday
Forenoon Reading	Forenoon Mental Arithmetic
Afternoon History	Afternoon Geography
Orthography	Grammar
Writing	Agriculture
Physiology	
Drawing	

Pupils should write answers in clear, concise terms; the questions need not be written. A complete solution of all problems in arithmetic should be given. Credit will be deducted from carelessly written or illegible papers. The general average in the fourteen subjects required must be at least seventy-five per cent, with no grade below sixty per cent in any subject.

Pupils should take the full time allowed for each subject, not hurry to get through, and write every paper as neatly and carefully as possible.

All papers should be written with pen and ink; the drawings may be made with lead pencil.

Pupils who have taken the examinations before are to retake all subjects that are not 80 or above, but may retain the former grade if it is higher. No whispering should be permitted. Grades of pupils violating this rule should be cancelled.

The rules from the state department say that at no time are the examinations to be held by a teacher, any of whose pupils are taking the examinations, and also that conductors are not to explain the meaning

of any questions given in the lists or give any information relating to their answers. That the examination questions are stated plainly enough for any one who knows the subject.

All pupils wishing to avail themselves of the free high school law must pass these examinations.

An examining board will grade the papers. This board shall be appointed by the county superintendent. The members must be persons with qualifications at least equal to those required for the second grade county certificate.

NEBRASKA'S LUXURY

BILL FOR 1920

Nebraska's luxury bill seven and one half times the cost of her schools.

(From The Nebraska Teacher)

Face powder, cosmetics, and perfume	\$ 7,500,000
Furs, domestic and imported	3,000,000
Cigars, tobacco, cigarettes, and snuff	21,100,000
Jewelry	5,000,000
Musical instruments	2,500,000
Talking machine records	10,000,000
Automobiles	20,000,000
Soft drinks and ice cream	6,000,000
Toilet soaps	4,000,000
Chewing gum	500,000
Candy and cake	3,500,000
Joy rides, pleasure resorts, races	30,000,000
Food luxuries	50,000,000
Luxurious services	30,000,000
Total	\$193,100,000

While Nebraska pays \$33,399,273.72 annually to support the Federal Government, shall she not be willing to pay \$25,253,518.17 annually, if necessary, to support her vast system of public elementary and high schools? While Nebraska's annual luxury bill is many times the cost of her schools—seven and one-half times, to be exact—it is clear that the practice of rigid retrenchment should begin where it costs the least and where it least hinders the development of a sensible program of Americanization and good citizenship through well supported and well taught public schools.

EDUCATOR DECLARES U. S. "SIXTH GRADE" NATION

Rural Weekly.

KANSAS CITY.—The United States is mentally a "sixth grade" nation, John B. Coleman, director of vocational education at La Crosse, Wisconsin, told the annual convention of the national society for vocational education here.

"It is for us to prescribe the remedy for this condition," Mr. Coleman told his fellow educators.

Mr. Coleman said that with the increasing number of mechanical devices to do the work formerly delegated to unskilled manual labor it is becoming increasingly difficult for the unskilled worker to find employment. The child who has no chance to attend school in the daytime must therefore be given an opportunity to get an education at some other time, he said, if he is to have a fair chance in life.

"Part time and continuation schools for children and young people in industry," Mr. Coleman said, "afford this opportunity."

OF INTEREST TO TEACHERS

Teachers will now be able to get a book that has long been needed. It is a Nebraska Civics gotten out by Prof. O. R. Bowen of the Wayne State Teachers' College. Every district, especially if there are eighth graders, should have at least one of these books and it should be made good use of before the eighth grade examinations. It will help in the filling out of the outline in civics given in this issue. The books will be on sale at Jones Book Store after March 1st. Price 75 cents.

The state senatorial district will be number 11 instead of 7 and will comprise Wayne, Pierce and Madison Counties. The state representative district will be number 45 instead of 20. It comprises Wayne County.

A few teachers have not yet sent in the white reports giving the grades for the second quarterly examinations. Those which are lacking are districts 45, 72, 74, 77 and 80.

Have heard compliments recently concerning the following things: Classes not being held for several days or weeks because of all time being given to practicing for a program, no singing for opening exercises, not all the subjects for the 8th graders being given.

GOLD SEALS

Pupils having received Gold Seals for an additional year's attendance are: Fred Maas of District 86, Della Meyerhenry of Hoskins, Emma Dorman of District 61, Mabel Stamm and Edna Jeffrey of District 15, Lucile Brune and Manera Wolf of Winside, and Francis Bright of District 85.

Where Your Taxes Go

How Uncle Sam Spends Your Money in Conducting Your Business

By EDWARD G. LOWRY

Author "Washington Close-Up," "Banks and Financial Systems," etc. Contributor "Public and Economic Articles to Leading Periodicals" and a "Writer of Recognized Authority on the National Government's Business Methods."

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IX. OUT-OF-DATE MACHINE

A committee made up of three members of the senate and three members of the house is now considering the whole problem of the organization of the executive departments of the government with a view to finding out how to reorganize them so as to increase their efficiency and decrease their cost of operation. It is about time. The great executive departments of the government have not been reorganized or greatly modernized since Alexander Hamilton's day.

Representative Reavis of Nebraska is one of the members of this joint congressional committee that is making the present investigation. He put the resolution through the house that brought about the appointment of the committee. He is a part of the national government machine and he ought to know what he is talking about when he says that "while the government of the United States is the world's biggest business, it is likewise the world's worst managed business."

That is an indictment and a statement of fact that will stand the closest scrutiny and the most unparliamentary analysis. But listen to Mr. Reavis: "Why should the Interior department run an insane asylum and a college for negroes, and a school for the deaf? How did it get that way? Why should one personnel in the pension bureau in the Interior department be caring for the disabled soldiers of the Civil war and the Spanish American war, while another personnel in the bureau of war risk insurance of the treasury is caring for the veterans of the World war? Why this hodgepodge of totally unrelated purposes which is resulting in endless duplication and appalling expense?"

I will let Mr. Reavis go on without further interruption. As a member of the house he has his share of the responsibility for the conditions he describes:

There are 39 separate governmental agencies handling engineering, architectural and public works functions, all of a related kind. There is no good reason why all these agencies should not be coordinated in one department and about 38 of the useless organizations done away with. There are 16 government general offices in surveying and mapping; there are 27 separate and distinct agencies engaged in public building operations; there are 18 agencies authorized to build roads; there are 19 engaged in hydraulic construction; there are 16 doing work on rivers; there are 20 engaged in public land activities; there are 16 doing chemical investigation connected with public work operations; there are 22 doing engineering and research.

Many of these agencies have been inactive for a number of years, but they are keeping up their personnel in anticipation of work in the future. We could save \$300,000,000 a year, in my judgment, by doing away with useless bureaus and duplication of activities.

Some of the duplications are ridiculous and absurd. For instance, the government seeks to protect the wild animals in the national parks. If a brown kaddak has two, one brown and one black, as often happens, and one should shoot the brown cub he must make his settlement with one department, but if he shoots its full brother, the black cub, he must settle with another department. If you were to shoot a fox in Alaska your settlement would be with the Department of Agriculture, while if you trapped the same fox you must make your settlement with the Department of Commerce.

The government issued last year through its several bureaus and departments 16 cookbooks. The last one that was issued was published by the board of vocational education. This is a board organized by the congress for the purpose of relating the public land activities of the world war, to prevent, as far as possible, their becoming derelicts in life. It may be of interest to state that while the government has been issuing 16 cookbooks and consuming vast quantities of print paper in these and similar useless publications, 1,300 country town newspapers have suspended in the last three months because they could not secure print paper.

Mr. Reavis and a great many others have sensed the feeling in the country and in congress that the time has come to put an end to all this sort of thing. He gives reasons for his belief:

One of the reasons is that the people demand that their taxation be reduced. For many years we have been collecting the revenues of this government through systems of indirect taxation. The revenues have been collected through a protective tariff and by excise taxation on intoxicating liquors. Indirect taxation of this kind prevents the people from realizing fully just who is getting the benefit of the government. There was a time when the expenses of the government amounted to only 12 cents per capita per year. Today, the annual per capita expense exceeds \$40. This tremendous expense has made it necessary to resort to direct taxation, and the people have suddenly become painfully aware of what they pay the expenses of the government. To be very certain that the elimination of duplications and overlapping in the departments will result in the saving of millions of dollars. There is no reason why it should not be done.

There is every reason, in the presence of the strife and turmoil that prevail in this country, and of the great necessities of life, that the government should be put upon a sane, efficient and economical basis.

Whoever by public clamor or other means can induce congress and the executive departments to organize the routine business of the national government will have performed a great public service. Note that I say "organize" and not "reorganize," for in no proper sense has the federal business ever been organized.

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

KING LION'S BONE

"Roar, roar, roar," shouted King Lion. "Some one said something very rude about me just now."

"What was that, Your Majesty?" asked the Lioness from the next cage.

"Some one said that I looked like a dog with a bone," said King Lion. "The very idea of saying that I looked like a dog, a great and mighty lion as I am!"

"I never heard of anything so absurd in all my life, never, never, never!"

"I don't see how any one could have said such a thing in the first place. I don't like a dog in the least. A dog is a silly creature compared to me."

"A dog barks, and yet his bark is usually such a friendly bark."

"Then the dog wags his tail. I wouldn't do anything so silly. The dog smiles, too, when he shows his teeth. Yes, very, very often the dog does that. But I don't."

"I roar and I mean it. The dog growls at times, but often even when he growls, he is friendly."

"His growl isn't wild, like my roar. No, it is often a friendly growl. As a rule the dog likes to make friends. He likes to be patted and he even kisses people."

"Fancy that!"

"I wouldn't kiss any one. Not I, no indeed."

"I am sure you wouldn't," said the Lioness.

"I am so dignified and so fine," said King Lion.

"Of course," said the Lioness, "there are some creatures who think that even if one is fine and brave and noble one



"I Am So Delighted."

may be quite loving and devoted, too. Some don't think it makes a creature any less fine to be sweet and friendly. In fact, some think it shows a finer, nobler nature."

"Some may think so," said King Lion, "but I do not. Some may think all sorts of things, but pop! What do such creatures amount to?"

"Have people who may think such thoughts names?"

"I answer my own question. No, they have not. Can they roar?"

"Again I answer my own question. They try to roar at times, but they cannot. They can't hold up their heads and open their mouths wide and let great, noble, wild, terrific sounds come forth."

"They can open their mouths wide and they can hold up their heads, but that is as far as they can go. They can go in other ways, perhaps—I mean they can run and so forth, but they can't go very far with their voices."

"So why should I pay any attention to what they do? I don't."

"I see," said Mrs. Lioness.

"But I was talking about a dog," continued King Lion.

"So you were, Your Majesty," said the Lioness.

"And I shall continue to talk about the dog and the person who said I was like a dog," said King Lion.

"By all means, talk away," said the Lioness.

"Roar, roar, roar," said King Lion. "I do not like a dog and I don't want any one to say that about me."

"And if any one says that about me again I will give such a roar that I will make such a person tremble with fear. That I will do. Most certainly I will."

"Just because I was having a beautiful time eating a great, huge bone, some one thought I looked like a dog."

"I don't believe any one really thought so," said the Lioness. "I suppose they just thought the bone looked like a bone a dog might enjoy."

"It was too big a bone for a dog," said King Lion.

"The keeper gave me a great raw meat bone because he knows I must chew on something hard like that. It gives more variety of change to my meals. That is important."

"But a dog isn't in any distant relation of mine. I don't know that my bone is the bone for a lion's meal, and not for a dog."

"Roar, roar, roar," said King Lion at the top of his tremendous voice.

And the Lioness smiled a wide, wide smile and said:

"I guess no one thinks you're like anything but a lion."

In answer:

"May I help you in slight matters?" asked the lion.

"I have you understand boy," replied the woman softly. "I do not smoke."

NEW PEST DESTROYS WHEAT

Men of Science Called to Combat the Fearsome Creature Known as Trogoderma Khapra.

Beware of the Fearsome Trogoderma Khapra! says an English correspondent.

This creature, with the name of an oriental villain, is a new insect pest which has already worked amazing havoc among stores of wheat and malt. First discovered in 1917 by Mr. G. T. Arrow, of the Entomological department of the British museum, it is now reproducing its species so rapidly that it has become a pest of serious economic importance.

A small insect, measuring about 3 mm. in length, the trogoderma khapra eats itself into the heart of the wheat and malt grain, leaving nothing but the husk.

Many recent cases are reported in which hundreds of quarters of grain have been eaten by the vermin, and its depredations are causing great anxiety.

A remarkable example furnished by the board of applied pestology involves a shipment of malt. A number of sacks, containing the malt, were stacked on the dockside awaiting transference. A burly workman, employed on the job, was about to move a 2-cwt. sack and summoned all his strength for the exertion. He gave a tremendous tug—and then to his amazement found that his pull met with no resistance from the sack. It was as light as air!

This destructive creature is one of the pests against which the newly formed board of applied pestology is directing its scientific energies. Montreal Family Herald.

HIDE JEWELS IN SANDWICHES

Germans Resort to All Sorts of Devices to Get Treasure Out of the Country.

Sandwiches spread with gold pieces or diamonds and eggs spiced with un-set gems have been successfully used by international smugglers to get such valuables out of Germany until in two recent cases the customs officials became suspicious of these travel lunches and discovered the deception. Now all "snacks" are carefully examined at the frontier.

A German merchant, whose lunch basket attracted the attention of the Polish customs officials at the frontier station of Konitz, was found to have a layer of gold coins interlarded between the layers of every sandwich and covered with a thick coating of butter, while each egg nested a valuable diamond. The total of his confiscated hoard was estimated at 18,000,000 Polish marks.

His fellow smuggler, a Dutch merchant, was intercepted at about the same time at the Holland frontier.

While the officials were vainly searching his baggage, they were struck by the fact that he was ostentatiously but rather nervously devoting himself to a huge sandwich. They found imbedded in the bread and butter three diamond rings, a diamond brooch and a number of loose diamonds. Further search disclosed 34 un-set diamonds concealed in a cigar lighter.—Milwaukee Journal.

New York Turns to Concrete.

A reinforced concrete building sixteen stories high is to be built in the leather district of New York city, just below the Brooklyn bridge. This is a record height for such a structure on Manhattan island, where concrete has been used sparingly and only for lofts and factories.

Unofficial CITY BALLOT For Wayne

FOR MAYOR

FOR CITY CLERK

FOR TREASURER

FOR COUNCILMAN, WARD

Put this out and deposit in a box at DEMOCRAT OFFICE

They will be opened and reported before the City Caucuses are held.

Uncle Walt's Story

Walt Mason

DOMINANT WOMAN

"THERE'S much truth in the old saying that a bachelor is merely half a man," observed the professor. "I suppose you are trying to take a fall out of me because I don't get married," said the low-browed man. "It

may be true that a bachelor is only a half a man, but when he accumulates a wife, he's usually only a quarter of a man, or maybe one-eighth. The more I see of married men, the more thankful I am that I have never loomed up at the altar with an orange wreath on my head.

"Old Doolittle has been married a long time, and he's got so used to being tossed by his wife that he doesn't know what to do when she isn't around. If you offered to lend him \$5 he'd say he'd have to consult Eliza Jane about it. One time, when his wife was away, visiting, he ate about a peck of green cucumbers, and the colic shut him up like a folding bed. It was the worst case I ever saw. I heard him yelling for the police, and when I rushed over there and saw him on the floor, with his feet clasped across the back of his neck, I phoned for a doctor at once. We put him to bed, and the agony that man endured was sickening. And as he rolled around there, expecting to go off the hooks every minute, he kept saying, 'What will Eliza Jane say when she hears I called in a doctor?'"

"After his wife came back, I was over at their house one night, and she roasted me to a crisp for sending for a doctor. She said that if I had the first instincts of a gentleman I'd pay the bill, for I wasn't authorized to call in a sawbones; and she didn't want one in the house. Doolittle sat there and heard his wife roasting me until my whiskers curled and, although he knew the doctor saved his life, he never said a word.

"After I left the house, he sneaked out and overtook me, and told me he was sorry for what had happened; but experience had taught him that it's no use to butt in when his wife has the floor.

"Gooseworthy came over this morning while I was feeding the cows, and told me a tale of woe. His wife has about five hundred female relations, aunts and step-sisters and cousins and such people, and she keeps the house full of them all the time. He has to sleep on a sanitary couch in the hall, while his own feather bed is occupied by an aunt who weighs about 400 pounds. He has a comfortable rocking chair he bought for his own private use, and now he never gets a whack at it. His wife's step-sister, who brought her tortoise-shell cat along, is always using it. He said he was getting plumb disgusted with such a condition of affairs, but he didn't know what to do.

"I asked him why he didn't read the authorized version of the riot act to his wife, and tell her to ship all those relics out of the house. He seemed shocked at the suggestion. 'You don't know what you're talking about,' he said. 'You've never been married.' "The queer thing about it is that Gooseworthy is a great stickler for his rights when he's away from home. He's as sassy as a bobcat, and will fight at the drop of the hat if anybody tries to impose on him. He walks with his head back and his chest out in front of him, but as soon as he reaches his own front gate he begins to look so-blamed object that the neighbors pity him.

"Then, there's old Major Sendoff, who distinguished himself on many a crimson battlefield. He has courage enough for three regiments. But he married the Widow Bunkum a couple of years ago and she makes him do the family washing, and hang the clothes on the line, and I suppose he does the ironing, too. I could tell you of a hundred such cases."

"I suppose you could," sighed the professor, "but I don't care for sensational fiction."

Russia.

The Russian empire, prior to the world war, comprised 3,704,586 square miles. Cyclopedists divide this territory, one-sixth of the world, into four parts, Russia in Europe (including Poland and Finland), the Caucasus, Siberia, Russian Central Asia. Russia in Europe has an area of 1,911,032 square miles.

French Presidents.

Of the presidents of France, M. Poincaré was only the fifth to stay the full term. Thiers, the first, held office for only three years, as did MacMahon. Faure died at the end of his fourth year, and Casimir Perier resigned after one year.

His Status.

"What do you know about the high cost of living?" "Nothing. I'm merely existing."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Tidrick's Annual Sale of POLAND CHINAS and DUROC-JERSEY

BROOD SOWS

Thursday, March 9th, 1922

To be held at

Sunny Slope Stock Farm

2 miles south and 2 miles east of Winside, Nebraska, and 5 1/2 miles south and 6 miles west of Wayne, Nebraska.

Dinner at 11 o'clock.

Sale to start at 1 o'clock

50 HEAD FALL and SPRING GILTS

The Duroc Gilts are sired by Pathfinder Investor and King Cherry Orion and bred to Pathfinder Investor and Winside Cherry Orion.

The Poland China Gilts are sired by Big Boned Timm and Long Big Jones and bred to Claus Monarch 2d. Bred to farrow in March and April.

Remember you are not buying old worn out sows but on the other hand are getting gilts with their life before them and probably the last chance this spring to buy a bunch like this at Farmer prices as we don't have field men and by bidders to run the price up on you, so come to this sale and look the gilts over and put your own price on them.

Remember you are welcome at this sale whether you buy or not.

HARRY TIDRICK

Col. Don Cunningham, Auctioneer. Merchants State Bank, Clerk.

SEEKS BEST WOMAN WORKER

Labor Newspaper of Rio de Janeiro Succeeds in Going the "Beauty Contest" One Better.

The "beauty contest" is gone one better by the Intransigente, a labor paper of Rio de Janeiro, which has started a contest to ascertain the best "manual or intellectual labors of Brazil."

Simultaneous with the opening of a beauty contest by another journal of Rio, the Intransigente announced it would give a valuable prize to a woman or girl securing the largest number of votes for being the most skilled woman in any line of work.

The lists published by the Intransigente of the contestants and their standing include the names of stenographers, actresses, seamstresses, women in all branches of government work, laundry workers, telephone operators, shop girls and numerous others.

Contrary to expectations actresses do not head the list of contestants, the top place being occupied by Senhorinha Baley, a seamstress, who has a total of more than 1,000 votes to her credit, says the New York Sun.

Show Aero Development.

A remarkable collection of pictures, which will be more highly prized as years go by, is the series of American aeronautical photographs which—ex-Major Ernest Jones, army air service, has gathered during his fifteen years in this work. They cover the development of aeronautics, particularly aviation, from 1808 to 1917. The 1,800 photographs visualize the successive steps made by the Wright brothers, Curtiss, Thomas, Wittemann and other pioneers in this country. Some of these are the only pictures in existence of certain machines and events. "It is probable," says United States Air Service, "that this is the most complete collection of air photographs in America."

Deserved That Deer.

Frank Pettingill of Sanbornton, N. H., while hunting alone wounded a big buck deer. The buck turned and ran; Pettingill was out of ammunition so he dropped his gun and gave chase as he saw that the deer was badly wounded. He overtook the animal in a mountain brook, got a strangle hold on its neck and the pair went to the mat. The buck managed with its feet to tear Pettingill's trousers completely off, but finally succumbed to Pettingill's blows. Then, trouserless, in the 15 above zero air, Pettingill ran two miles to his home, donned dry clothes and returned for his prize.—Boston Globe.

FACULTY MEMBER IS AUTHOR

(From The Goldenrod)

Prof. O. R. Bowen, head of the mathematics department of the Wayne State Teachers College, is the author of a new school textbook, "The Government of Nebraska" which is now in the hands of the printers and which will be ready for the market about March first.

A revision of the state constitution in 1920 created a demand for a new school textbook dealing with the constitution and laws of Nebraska. Mr.

Bowen's carefully prepared volume will amply supply this demand. It is understood that this book will be the first of its kind published recently and naturally it will be heartily received by schools throughout the state. The book will be ready for distribution soon and orders may now be left with F. H. Jones & Son, Wayne, Nebraska, who are in charge of the publication.

JOB PRINTING—Call at Democrat or call Phone 145.—adv.

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