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DEATH OF H. M. DAMME, OLD SETTLER OF COUNTY

Sunday evening, September 23, 1923, death came to H. M. Damme, who had been in ill health, gradually failing, due to the infirmities of age for nearly a year past. He was born in Germany March 1, 1841, and was therefore 83 years, 6 months and 23 days of age when called to his reward. When a child he came with his parents to America, settling in Perry county, Missouri, where he grew to manhood. He served during the latter part of the Civil war for a time, but was discharged because of sickness, shortly before the close of war.

In 1865 he came to Nebraska City, and drove stage from here to Salt Creek and Nemaha in Saline county. Was united in marriage April 3, 1867, to Minnie Pahde, who survives him. They came to Wayne county in March, 1888, and settled on the farm seven and a half miles south of Wayne, where he made his home until his death.

To this union eleven children were born, two dying in infancy; William at the age of ten years, Minnie at the age of 23, December 23, 1914, and Andrew at the age of 49, February 11, 1923. His companion of all these years and six children survive him: Mrs. Fred VanNorman, Windom, Minnesota, Mrs. J. P. Case, Merville, Iowa, Mrs. Albert Doring and Mrs. George VanNorman and Phil Damme of this place and Mrs. Roy Rogers of Lusk, Wyoming. One brother and four sisters are still living, and 42 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. His daughters and son were all at his bedside when she end came.

The funeral services were held from the home Wednesday at 1 o'clock and at the Altona Lutheran church an hour later, Rev. Schaller preaching the sermon, and burial was in the cemetery by the church.

A worthy citizen and kindly neighbor has gone from among the early settlers of the county.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mr. DeWitt from Stanton who was brought to Wayne a month ago suffering from gangrene in foot and leg, and submitted to amputation at the hospital here, was able to be taken home Sunday, and is getting along nicely there, tho still attended by a nurse.

Mrs. Cliff Penn, who underwent an appendix operation two weeks ago, has returned home, and is getting along nicely.

W. C. T. U. COUNTY CONVENTION

Wayne county convention of the W. C. T. U. will meet tomorrow, Friday, afternoon at the Methodist church. Rev. Iva Innis of Diller is the principle speaker. The public is invited.

DEATH OF CARL F. MILLER

Carl Miller of this place passed away at a Sioux City hospital Sunday evening, September 23, 1923, at the age of 35 years, 1 month and 3 days. Mr. Miller was taken to Sioux City about the first of September, suffering from appendicitis, and underwent an operation for the removal of that organ, and was reported to be getting along well for a few days, after which trouble seemed to develop retarding recovery. Sunday a second operation was deemed the only chance of saving life, and he failed to rally from the shock, and death came in the early evening.

Carl F. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller, was born in Saipy county, Nebraska, August 20, 1888, and came with his parents to Wayne county but a few years later. Here he grew to manhood, and was united in marriage February 8, 1911, with Miss Maggie Hansen, who with four children, to mourn his death. Four sisters besides his parents survive him, Mrs. Lizzie Jacobson of Carroll, Mrs. Mary Bargholtz of Wayne, Mrs. Bertha Averman of Rudyard, Montana, and Miss Mabel at home.

The funeral services are being held this afternoon, from the home at 12:30 and at 2 o'clock from the Evangelical Lutheran church, Rev. Teckhaus officiating, and burial will be in Greenwood cemetery.

LEARNER-HOFBAUER

A pretty wedding took place at 7 o'clock Monday morning at the Holy Name church in which Miss Minnie Elizabeth Hofbauer became the bride of Fred F. Lerner. Father John Duffy officiated in the ring service. The young people were attended by Miss Opal Holler and Joseph Trolland. The bride wore a modish frock of rosewood crepe de chine with hat, shoes and accessories to match. Both she and the bridesmaid carried bouquets of roses and lilies of the valley.

After the service the bridal party repaired to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman E. Handke where a wedding dinner was served. In the afternoon, a party of their friends called informally and showered the newlyweds with rice. Mr. and Mrs. Lerner left Monday evening for Edgemont, S. D. where they will visit the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hofbauer. Upon their return home, they will be at home to their friends at 140 West Eighth street.

Mrs. Lerner for four years has made her home with her sister, Mrs. G. W. McIntyre, of this city. At the time of her marriage she was employed by the telephone company as assistant cashier. Mr. Lerner, whose home formerly was at Wayne, Nebraska, is an employee of the Sheridan Bread company—Sheridan Wyoming Tribune.

WAYNE GROCERY GOES TO NEW QUARTERS SATURDAY

The new brick store room just finished, south of the old Union hotel, is to be occupied Saturday by the Wayne Grocery, for which it was made. The new store room is 25x30, feet, with a ware room 20x25 in rear, and basement under the entire store part. It is being newly furnished, and the stock has been accumulating there as received for the past week. A meat market is to have a place in a part of the building, with A. Paul formerly of Wakefield in charge as proprietor.

Plans are being made for an opening—a formal opening soon; but meantime their patrons are going to be served from the new quarters until, and there is a welcome for all now and also at the opening formal when it shall be announced.

WAYNE NORFOLK IN GOLF MATCH

At Norfolk last Sunday the first half of a match between the Wayne and the Norfolk country club players was played, and Norfolk won by five points. Next Sunday at Wayne, the second half of the match is to be played, and it is possible to change the result before the second half is finished. Ten men on each side are supposed to participate, but last Sunday Wayne was not able to muster more than seven who could participate. The score, as given us by F. S. Morgan, follows:

Wayne	Norfolk
Fisher, 3	Christoph, 0
Lewis, 3	Breger, 0
Ahern, 1	Boyle, 2
Craven, 1	Hall, 2
McClure, 0	Grows, 3
Hunter, 0	McKinnon, 3
Morgan, 0	Nelson, 3

Cream, eggs, poultry bought by Fortner.—adv.

DEATH OF WENDEL BAKER OF NORFOLK

Wendel Baker, oldest son of Mrs. Emma Baker passed away at the state hospital at Norfolk Thursday, September 20, 1923, at the age of 43 years, 9 months and 20 days, after more than eleven years of ill health, nine of which were passed at this hospital. His ill health developed into tuberculosis of the spine, and he has been confined to the bed since March patiently waiting for the inevitable end to come.

Wendel Baker was born at Lincoln, Illinois, January 1, 1880, and spent the early years of his life at that place, coming with his parents to Harlan, Iowa when a small lad, and there they remained thirteen years before moving to Wayne county.

After a few years here, he went to Bloomfield where he farmed his father's place for nine or ten years, his sister, Mrs. Minnie Carson, making a home for him in her home.

The funeral services by Rev. Father Kearns were from the St. Mary's Catholic church at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and were attended by many friends of the family and relatives. The burial was in the cemetery at Wayne.

His surviving brothers and sisters are Carl Baker of Dalton, Joe Baker of Presho, South Dakota, Mrs. Eliza Ross of Winnebago, Will Baker of Neligh, and Mrs. Art Hershield of Winside, all of whom were here at the funeral, and two sisters, Mrs. Minnie Carson of Wyoming and Mrs. Neal Thompson from Dalton could not be present, tho the former had been here to visit him but a few days before he passed away.

TEACHERS OF COUNTY IN SESSION TODAY

The teachers of Wayne county are assembled in annual institute at the high school building today and tomorrow. Among the instructors who have a place on the program are Harry E. Bradford of Lincoln, one of the university instructors in agriculture; Miriam Blanton Huber from Indianapolis, Indiana, a special teacher of the public schools of that city, and Prof. O. R. Bowen of the Wayne State Normal and Teachers' College.

Others who will take some part in the program are State Supt. J. M. Matzen, Prof. S. X. Cross of the Wayne State Normal, H. M. Eaton, County Superintendent of Douglas County, the Red Cross Nurse and Principals and Superintendents of the town schools.

There are both morning and afternoon sessions, and an interesting program will be carried on. Visitors interested in school work will be welcome.

GREAT NORTHERN TO EXTEND LINE TO PLAINVIEW

Plainview, Nebraska, September 26. Announcement was made here yesterday by Judge Berryman, president of the Nebraska, Colorado and Wyoming Development association that it was the intention of the Great Northern railroad to extend its track from Yankton, South Dakota, to this city, and the desire of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad to extend its road from O'Neill to Theford and from Mullen to Sydney, if they are placed in the same group by the interstate commerce commission this fall.

The contemplated expansion, it was explained, will shorten the distance between Denver and St. Paul, Minneapolis, and Duluth, 115 miles, and will open an immense acreage for agricultural work in western Nebraska.

LIGHTNING BURNS ALFALFA

During the storm last evening lightning struck an alfalfa stack on the Arthur Carlson place just about two miles northwest of Wayne, and burned it and two other stacks, practically the entire crop of three cuttings put up by Mr. Carlson. The hay was about 50 rods from the house, and the owner did not know of his loss until morning, when a passing neighbor saw the smoking ashes. It is quite a loss, and was hay of excellent quality.

The storm was not particularly severe, and the rainfall was only .30 of an inch. A little hail fell in places, but at no place, so far as we can learn, was it enough to do any damage.

Geo. Mellor came from Malvern, Iowa; the first of the week to look after his farm and business interests here, and visit relatives.

WAYNE DELEGATION ATTEND FEDERATION MEET

Tuesday was the annual meeting of the Inter-County Federation of Women clubs at Hartington, and two cars carried the delegates from Wayne. They were Mrs. D. J. Cavanaugh, Mrs. Clyde Oman, Mrs. O. R. Bowen, Mrs. E. W. Huse, Mrs. S. A. Lutgen, Mrs. Jas. Miller and Miss Fernie Oman. Coleridge, Hartington, Randolph and Laurel and possibly other places.

Wayne delegates report that it was an interesting meetin, and the Hartington ladies royal entertainers. The sessions were held in the new community building, and the visitors were feasted at the hotel.

Wayne was selected as the place for holding the 1924 meeting, and the officers elected were Mrs. Clyde Oman of Wayne, president; Mrs. Miller of Hartington, vice president; Mrs. Nielson of Coleridge, secretary and Mrs. Thies of Hartington, treasurer.

In addition to the program announced last week, Miss Fernie Oman sang two solos for the entertainment of the audience.

ATTEND ORDINATION SERVICE AT LINCOLN

Mrs. Huntermer, daughter Marcella and brother Bon Moran went to Lincoln Saturday and were present at the ceremony of ordination of Rev. James Coyle who was ordained at that place.

Of the service the State Journal says, Rev. Louis James Coyle, of the Congregation of the Mission, celebrated his first solemn high mass at St. Mary's cathedral Sunday at 11 a. m. Father Coyle is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Coyle of Lincoln and was reared in Lincoln and attended the Cathedral school. For the past eleven years he has been in training at St. Mary's seminary, Perryville, Missouri, and has just been ordained. Father Coyle, after two or three weeks' vacation here with his family, will go to China as a missionary. Thirty-five members of his family attended the mass, some coming from distant points in Nebraska to be present.

Father Coupal of Dallas, Texas, also a member of the Congregation of the Mission, was present at the mass and preached the sermon. Rev. Father O'Loughlin, rector of the cathedral, Father Kenny and Father Grogan also assisted at the mass, as did thirty altar boys and the cathedral choir.

MAJOR PARTIES FACING ISSUE OF KU KLUXERS

Washington, September 26.—The Ku Klux Klan issue will inevitably be an issue before the Republican and Democratic national conventions.

Politicians reluctantly have come to that conclusion after receiving reports from the various parts of the union. It will be agitated not by those who favor the principles of Ku Kluxism, but by those who oppose the idea. And naturally the opponents will not be permitted to have things their own way for both conventions will number among their delegates men who are actually affiliated with the K. K. K.

LODGE BANQUET IS HELD AT RANDOLPH

Randolph, Nebraska, September 25.—A social affair of the week was a banquet given by the Rebekahs on Friday evening, September 21.

Last winter the Rebekahs and Odd Fellows had a membership race.

The I. O. O. F. lodge won by one point and thus were entertained by the Rebekahs.

About 200 people were present. Dancing closed the affair.

WILL WAYNE HAVE LAUNDRY?

Such is a possibility. Mr. C. C. Lund from west of Butte was here Wednesday looking for a suitable room for his wash shop, but did not locate one, we understand. His equipment is on the way, and will be stored until he can return and install same. Some tells that to make the name look like the professional laundry man it should be written See See Lung. That is not the kind of a laundryman Mr. Lund is, however.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS AT AUCTION

I will sell at auction at my residence 3 blocks west of First National bank on Saturday, September 29, Household Goods, Furniture including Voss Electric Washer, Reed Sun Parlor Suit and Mat, other articles too numerous to mention. J. C. FORBES.

KUGLER-THOMSEN

A very pretty wedding took place Thursday, September 20, 1923, at the Evangelical church, at 6:30 p. m. When Miss Emma Kugler and Mr. W. F. Thomsen were united in marriage. Rev. Teckhouse performed the ceremony. The bride entered the church with her father who gave her away. Then the groom and Herman Slevyers as best man, joined the bridal party at the altar. The Lutheran ring ceremony was used. Brides maids were Misses Anna Jacobi and Ida Hurichs, Miss Rose Kugler maid of honor, Mildred Ringer and Marjorie Lerner were flower girls, and Helen Vath, ringbearer. Wedding march was played by Mrs. Martin Ringer. "O, Promise Me" was sang before ceremony and "O, Perfect Love" after ceremony.

The bride wore a pretty dress of white remain crepe and wreath and veil and carried an old fashioned bouquet of pink roses. Maid of honor was attired in pink georgette crepe.

After the ceremony sixty-five immediate friends and relatives were present at a reception which was given at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kruger, a bountiful repast was served.

The bride's colors were pink and white, and decorations at the house and church were carried out in those colors with pink and white asters and ferns.

Miss Emma is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kugler of Wayne. She was employed at S. R. Theobald & Co. for several years as clerk, and of late she was employed at Larson & Larson store.

Mr. Thomsen is of Lancaster, California, going out there about three years ago with his parents, from Wayne. He is ranching in California at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomsen will leave Friday for their home at Lancaster, California. They are wished much happiness in the future by their many friends.

CAMP LIFE BRINGS HEALTH TO GOVERNMENT STUDENT

Dog days are over. A few canoes still drift lazily down-stream and the late vacationists wend their way back to the old jobs.

Out on the Meramac River, the summer playground of St. Louis, Alvin Dietz will be the last to leave the old haunts and the first to pick them up again in the Spring. For Alvin Dietz, disabled soldier, is fighting the long hard fight back to health.

In Belleau Woods, fighting with the 6th Marines, Dietz was hit in the shoulder, the bullet traveling down thru his left lung. Because of this he was given vocational training under the Veterans' Bureau. He is now taking a course in Commerce and Finance at St. Louis University.

Dietz believes in taking no chances in getting tuberculosis or having his schooling interrupted by ill health, so when the first Spring days come he moves out to a camp on the Meramac River, some twenty miles outside of St. Louis, and commutes back and forth to school.

In the afternoon, when Dietz has absorbed his share for the day of business law, corporate finance and economics, he hurries back to the "ole swimmin' hole". He gets off three miles before his station and hikes the rest of the way to keep himself in trim.

He is now tan and healthy looking and making strides in his studies under the Veterans Bureau with the same determined effort with which he is bringing his war crippled body back to normal.

MRS. HENRY LEY SUFFERING FROM BROKEN ARM

Tripping on a rug at her home last Friday, Mrs. Henry Ley so fell as to fracture the left arm between the elbow and the shoulder. The fracture has been reduced, and she is resting easy, and will soon be up and about the home again.

CHICKEN PIE SUPPER

The ladies of the Presbyterian Aid Society will hold their annual Chicken Pie Supper at the home of Mrs. J. J. Williams,

Thursday, October 4th From 5:30 until all are served

MENU	
Chicken Pie	Mashed Potatoes
Baked Beans	Cabbage Salad
Rolls	
Pickles	Jelly
Cake and Coffee	50 cents
All invited.	

BENJ. F. FEATHER DIES AT POMONA, CALIFORNIA

Word was received at Wayne the first of the week of the death of one of the pioneers of this county, Benj. F. Feather, which occurred at his late home at Pomona, California, of the infirmities incident to advancing years.

Benj. F. Feather was born October 10, 1835, at Berrion Springs, Michigan, and spent his early life in that state, enlisting from there to serve in the Civil war, becoming a member of Co. C, 25th Michigan Infantry, and acquiring the rank of Q. M. Sergt. He was one of the members of the G. A. R. post at this place.

Mr. Feather was one of the pioneers of this county, homesteading a farm west of Wayne in the early days, and was in evidence in county fairs before the county seat was moved from LaPorte, and Wayne was his town before moving here to live.

He served as clerk of the District Court several years, from January, 1906 to October 10, 1911, when he was succeeded by Forrest L. Hughes.

Mr. Feather was twice married, the first wife, mother of two sons, and one daughter, passed away before he came west. The wife survives him, and their daughter, Mrs. Blaine Skeen lives at Pomona. The older daughter, Mrs. Willis E. Howard lives at some place on the Pacific slope, and doubtless was at the home when the end came.

Mr. Feather was a good citizen, a competent official, and a real neighbor.

ARBOR LODGE

At Nebraska City today the state of Nebraska is formally accepting Arbor Lodge, the gift to the state of the home founded by Sterling Morton in the early days of Nebraska, and bequeathed to the state as a beauty spot—a park for the people of the state.

As we go to press the exercises are under way at the old home of Mr. Morton and Governor Bryan is making the speech of acceptance. The donor of this bower of beauty is best known perhaps in all the great prairie states as the "Father of Arbor Day", the man who suggested and urged a day for tree planting in public places. Thousands of shade trees in school yards, in court yards, in church yards and parks and by the wayside that but for the effort of this man in forming public sentiment and looking to the future would now be barren of the inviting shade.

Arbor Lodge is a living monument to this pioneer that will endure thru the ages. We are sorry that we cannot pass the Governor's address out to you today, but the "static" seems to interfere.

STOCK SHIPMENT FOR WEEK

St. Louis Market
John Beckman, car hogs.
M. C. Lower, car hogs.
Wm. Krullman, car hogs.
August Roggenbush, car hogs.
Omaha Market
A. J. Kirwin, three cars cattle.
Daniel Balor, two cars cattle.
George McEachen, car hogs.

MODERN WOODMAN ATTENTION

There will be another class addition at Wisner, October 8th, the Wayne lodge are invited, so be at the hall not later than six o'clock and there will be cars enough for all. LETS GO.—adv.



JEAN C. MINES

Jean C. Mines, 28 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mines of this city won the sweepstakes cup for girls at the Interstate fair at Sioux City Friday afternoon, for being the most perfect baby in the health contest.

Jean the winning girl, scored 85.4 percent, the highest awarded at the Interstate fair in several years. She was entered in division B, including towns and cities under 5,000 population.



WAYNE PETERSON

12 months old son of Amel Peterson at Allen, carried off the sweepstakes cup for boys. More than 300 babies were examined, making the contest the largest in the history of the Interstate fair.

First-Class Tailoring and Repairing

We have in our employ one of the best tailors in this part of the country, and can do any and all kinds of tailoring and repairing—ladies or gents.

A new selection of ladies' coat linings.

Wayne Cleaning Works

W. A. Truman, Prop. Phone No. 41
We are Dry Cleaners, Dyers, Tailors, Hatters.
We dry clean the best.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Cream, eggs, poultry bought by Fortner.—adv.

Rollie Ley was a passenger to Sioux City Saturday afternoon.

WANTED Girl for Telephone work, apply at telephone office.—adv.

Mrs. Clarence Conger went to Sioux City Friday morning and spent the day.

Mrs. George Denkinger went to Sioux City Monday morning and spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Robinson went to Sioux City Friday morning and spent the day at the fair.

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

Mrs. Anderson and two daughters of Wakefield were Wayne visitors between trains Saturday.

Mrs. Hilda Nelson and daughter of Wakefield was a Wayne visitor between trains Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hall went to Sioux City Saturday afternoon and spent a couple of days there.

Andy Chance and P. C. Crockett went to Herman the first of the week to plaster a house at that place.

Miss Stella Skiles came from Coleridge Saturday morning to spend the week end visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Tim Collins of Carroll, who spent a few days visiting with Mrs. Alice McManigal returned to her home Friday.

Mrs. Roy Murfield and daughter went to Onawa, Iowa, Friday morning to spend a short time visiting with her mother.

Mrs. W. R. Kortwright, who was visiting with Mrs. W. O. Hanssen, and at Randolph returned to her home at Omaha Friday.

Miss Bertha McCracken, who spent two weeks visiting at the D. Hall home left Monday morning for her home at Omaha.

Fred Helwig of Carroll had an exhibit of red hogs at the Knox county fair that won some prizes and some sales were made.

Mrs. Alex Scott and daughter Mrs. George Fox and Mrs. Pete Peterson went to Sioux City Friday morning, and spent the day.

Sam Houser came from Omaha the last of the week and spent a few days visiting at the home of his cousin, Harry Robinson and family.

Grant Davis last week sold his Wayne residence to S. O. Anderson, who is soon to move to Wayne from a farm northwest of town.

Miss Ellen Mortahl, who spent a few days visiting with Miss Mamo Johnston returned to her home at Sioux City Saturday morning.

Mrs. O. G. Randal left Sunday morning to visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Hammond at Johnstown, in Brown county.

Mrs. Carl Miller and four children went to Sioux City Saturday morning and spent the day visiting with her husband who is in the hospital.

Miss Frances Mitchell of Wakefield spent Friday and Saturday here, a guest of Mrs. Alice McManigal, returning home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Martin, who spent several weeks visiting with their daughter at Denver, Colorado, returned home Monday afternoon.

Miss Virginia Hale came from Chicago Friday afternoon to spend a short time visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hiscok, her aunt.

Fortner wants your poultry, cream and eggs.—adv.

Mrs. T. L. Beckman and Miss Rose Dorman went to Sioux City Saturday morning. Mrs. Beckman met a friend and returned in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gildersleeve and daughter, Mrs. May Young and Mrs. Ray Reynolds were Sunday afternoon callers at the Ray Perdue and Frank Spahr homes.

Mrs. C. C. McDonald, who spent a few days visiting with her son and daughter Russell and Marion at the Normal returned to her home at Wynot Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Mabel Parkinson from Kansas City came the last of the week for a week-end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Griffith. She left for her home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lillian Denesia, who is here from Iowa Falls, visiting her father at Carroll and Wayne relatives and friends, went to Norfolk Saturday for a week-end visit with friends.

Madison will soon begin paving and as some of her enterprising citizens with her Commercial club have made possible a tourist park, old north side school grounds to be used as the site.

Glenn Wallace and brother Harry Hansen who spent a short time visiting with their mother Mrs. R. H. Hansen and other relatives, returned to their home at Ida Grove, Iowa, Friday.

Mrs. Grace Buskirk, Mrs. A. W. Dolph, Mrs. Orville Pucket of Leslie precinct won first on their poultry at Wayne. Mrs. Dolph had champion hen, John Park won on his corn and potatoes.

Miss Florence Baird left Saturday morning for Madison, Wisconsin, where she will attend school. She was accompanied as far as Sioux City by Miss Stella Arnold, who spent the day there.

Mrs. Chas. Hiekes and daughter Evelyn went to Sioux City Friday morning to attend the fair. Mr. Hiekes and son returned home with her in the evening after spending the week there.

Mrs. Peter Coyle and son R. A. Coyle and her grandson Richard Coyle Jr., left Saturday afternoon for Omaha where they will visit with relatives and from there they will go to Lincoln and visit others.

Martin Ringer reports the sale of the E. Olds 120 unimproved farm in the west part of the county, to Anton Peterson of Winside, who is to have possession at an early date. The consideration was \$110 per acre.

Mrs. Ringland and Mrs. V. A. Senter, who went to Lincoln with their daughter Miss Ruth Ringland and Miss Faunell Senter, returned home Friday afternoon. The daughters will attend the university at that place.

Miss Norma Peterson left Saturday afternoon for Chicago where she will study for nurse. She was accompanied by her father H. C. Peterson. She is a student at Augustana hospital near Lincoln Park, a pretty part of city.

Mrs. Pauline Kruger of St. Peter, California, who was visiting with relatives at Wakefield passed through Wayne Monday morning on her way to Bloomfield where she will visit relatives. Mrs. Kruger was formerly of Wayne.

Melcher Emmington, a former postmaster at Pender, and one of the pioneers of Thurston county died last week at the home of his daughter in Los Angeles, California, where he had moved because of ill health, several years ago.

Now is your opportunity to secure a Real Estate loan that will cost you less than 5 per cent interest. Six reasons why farmers should secure this loan will be mailed on request. John H. Roper, Dodge, Nebraska.—adv. S13-3t

Miss Ruth Taylor from Iowa Falls returned home the last of the week after three weeks spent with relatives and friends in Nebraska. She visited at Gordon and other points west of here, and last week was a guest of Miss Lillian Denesia at Carroll.

BARNARD GROCERY CO.

SELF SERVE

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Demonstration All Day Long.

While inspecting the Cookies and Crackers try a cup of coffee, made from **BRIM-FULL COFFEE**, the best coffee that ever came to town for 35c.

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LAST DAY

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"CATCH MY SMOKE"

Also LEATHER PUSHERS

Admission 10c and 30c

Friday & Saturday

MARY MILES MINTER and

TOM MOORE in

"THE COWBOY and THE LADY"

Also Comedy LIVE WIRES

Matinee at 3:00, Doors Open 2:30

Admission 10c and 25c

Monday & Tuesday

ANITA STEWART in

"THE WOMAN HE MARRIED"

Also Fox News

Admission 10c and 25c

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Friday & Saturday

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Rollie W. Ley, Cashier
Herman Lundberg, Ass't. Cash.

Cream, eggs, poultry bought by Fortner.—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McIntosh, who spent two weeks visiting at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Norman, and with relatives and friends at Wayne, and with his parents Mr. and Mrs. James McIntosh at Concord departed Sunday morning by auto for their home at Des Moines, Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh formerly lived in Wayne leaving about six months ago.

Guests came the last of the week by car to visit at the farm home of E. E. Simpson, to whom they are related. Mrs. Sundem of Lake Preston, So. Dak., Mrs. Dave Sandelbach and her son Dick from Pipestone, Minnesota. They had spent some time visiting at their old home near Oakland, Iowa, and from here they plan to visit points in South Dakota before returning home.

The necessity of providing enough timber to supply the country's future requirements and the Nation's inability to use the bulk of its cut-over or burned-over forest lands for agriculture are two problems now confronting the United States, declares the Forest Service. Reforestation, both natural and artificial, on private and public lands and the full utilization of the farmer's woodlot are two of the main remedies.

We notice that coal dealers in several neighboring towns are advertising coal to meet the price at which Bryan says that a good coal may be sold in most towns in this part of Nebraska and leave a dollar a ton for overhead expenses. That listens good—especially if they deliver the quality coal that the governor says that he can guarantee. Of course there is soft coal, and soft coal. Not all is gold that glitters—nor is all soft coal of equal quality or value. One man said that he saw some soft coal offered at the state price that he would not give bin room.

WALTER SAVIDGE AMUSEMENT CO.

On Monday October 1st The Walter Savidge Amusement Company will open a weeks engagement in Wayne, this will mark the closing week of their season which has been a very profitable one. Mr. Savidge is highly pleased with this season's business and is already formulating plans for a bigger and better line of attractions for next season. The Savidge Players will open their engagement here presenting the comedy success "What Is Love?" which differs from many plays of its class in that it is consistent in both plot and action and holds the auditors' attention until the final fall of the curtain. All who enjoy a good wholesome play should attend the opening performance. "The Sea Plane Swing", "The Ferris Wheel", "The Merry-Go-Round" and all small shows and concessions will be in operation both before and after the dramatic performance. Two big Free Acts will be presented daily, also concerts by The Savidge Concert Band. If the weather is cool the big tent will be heated by coke ovens during this engagement.

FACULTY RECEPTION

(From The Goldenrod)

In accordance with custom, on Tuesday evening at eight o'clock the students of the Wayne State Teachers College were given the opportunity of meeting the members of the Faculty at a Faculty Reception. This is, colloquially speaking, a get-together affair for the purpose of becoming better acquainted and of encouraging school spirit.

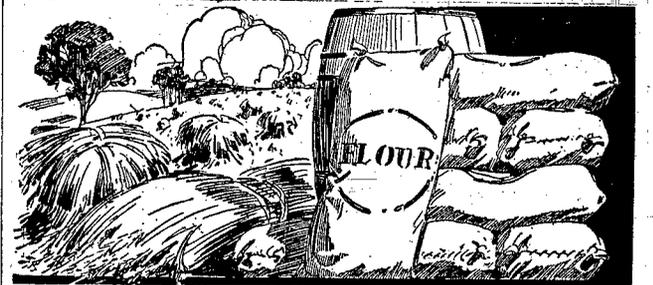
After meeting the instructors, the guests were ushered to the second floor of the Administration Building and there were served punch and wafers. Assembling in the Chapel, the students then enjoyed a program of unusual interest consisting of the following numbers:

Music Male Quartette

Address of Welcome.....Dr. Conn
Violin Solo.....Prof. Hunter
Our Country.....Prof. Lackey
Dr. House acted as Master of Ceremonies.

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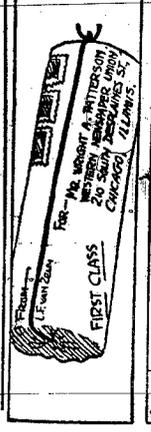
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By L. F. Van Zeln
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Did You Ever Try It?

DOING FOR THE EX-SERVICE MEN

District nine with M. E. Head as district manager, has the lowest overhead expenditure of any other Veterans' Bureau office in the United States when compared in number of ex-service men, trainers and beneficiaries. This District, which comprises the four states of Missouri, Kansas, Iowa and Nebraska, is run on a strictly business basis and has for its slogan, "Courtesy, Service, Economy". According to Mr. Head these three points have been kept closely in mind and are responsible for the remarkable of cooperation with the ex-service men thruout this District.

The Medical activities of District Nine have increased materially over the preceding year according to the fiscal report of 1923, which shows that 70,600 men were treated, 130,300 examinations were made and 1,700 operations were performed during the year. Clinics were established in St. Louis, Kansas City, and Omaha and Des Moines, and a new Veterans' Bureau Hospital built at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, at a cost of \$1,500,000. By the opening of the larger clinics in St. Louis and Kansas City, treatment was given to ex-service men who would otherwise have been sent to the government hospitals at a great deal more expense to the government.

The annual report goes on further to say that, due to the fact that the four states comprising District Nine are located in the very center of the farming belt, it is only natural that agricultural training should occupy a prominent place in the rehabilitation work of District Nine. The agricultural colleges of the four states in this district are the equal of any in the United States and have been used to great advantage. Special arrangement had to be made for the

boys who had only had a common school education. An unusual school has been opened up during the last year at Mountain Grove, Missouri. It is for the partially blind men. Poultry is the major instruction offered, supplemented by training in Braille, typewriting, basketry and weaving. The men taking up agriculture are supervised for a year following their training. Their farms are leased or bought under Government supervision and a certain amount of equipment is furnished them.

One of the interesting things brought out in the Annual Report is the survey of the first 700 cases rehabilitated in District Nine. This survey shows that the average length of training is a year and a half, the average cost of training \$1,700.00, that 85 per cent of the men choose their own training and that the increase in salary after rehabilitation would pay for the cost of training inside of four years.

Disabled soldiers are now being rehabilitated into successful employment at the rate of 250 a month. An employment survey is made on every case taking Government training and a notice is sent to the employment office thirty to sixty days before the man's training is completed. In this way contract is made with different firms and suitable employment found.

The insurance record given in the Annual Report shows that District Nine has been first in the amount of insurance handled during the past five months.

CIVIL WAR VETERAN DIED

Robt. Smith was born at Nova Scotia, June 17th, 1840. His father, mother and twin sister died when he was but a lad, leaving him to fight life's battle alone. At the out break of the Civil War he enlisted April 16th, 1861 as a private in Co. A 5th Massachusetts Infantry. On October 17th, 1863 he was promoted to captain of sharp shooters 22nd Massachusetts where he served until the close of the war.

About forty-eight years ago he came to Wisner where he has since resided. In 1909 he joined Finnician Post, G. A. R., when it was an organization of fifty-seven members, only three F. J. Buck, J. R. Mansfield and Cone Borgeld of which remain to mourn their departed comrade.

He was married to Alice Merriam October 13th, 1892, she being the only living relative.

He was taken ill Sunday afternoon, September 9th and died Wednesday evening September 12th at the ripe old age of 82 years and 2 months.

The funeral services were conducted in the M. E. church by Rev. J. Bruce Wylie and at the grave with full military honors by the American Legion, members of which also acted as pall bearers.—Wisner Chronicle.

Fortner wants your eggs.—adv.

OLD RESIDENT DIES HERE LAST WEEK

(Wakefield Republican)
John T. Marflott, for 42 years a resident of Wakefield, and one of the pioneers of this section of the state passed away at his home here Thursday, September 13th, at 9:00 o'clock a. m., after an illness lasting over two years. He suffered a stroke of apoplexy two years and seven months ago, from which he never fully recovered, and which finally caused his death.

John T., as he was well known, was born in Binsfeld, Illinois, March 6, 1865. Before coming to Nebraska he was married to Miss Louise Rice, about forty-five years ago. To this union were born two children, Caroline, who died in 1918, and Will, now of Sioux City.

On September 16th, forty-two years ago, he came to Wakefield, and started the first store in this city, and engaged in the mercantile business on the lot now occupied by the L. C. Nuernberger building. After a few years his business outgrew the old building and he built the present Nuernberger block. After a few years he sold this property and from that time on had been engaged in the grocery business until he suffered the stroke two years ago. He served as Justice of the Peace and as a member of the local Board of Education for years until compelled to give them up by illness.

He leaves to mourn his departure his widow, son Will and family, and little granddaughter, Caroline Kornegay.

Funeral services were held at the home last Saturday morning, conducted by Rev. Stephen Yemm, of the Presbyterian church. Burial was made in the Wakefield cemetery beside his daughter and grandson.

Out of town friends and relatives who attended the funeral services were: Mr. and Mrs. Will Marriott, of Sioux City, Iowa; Mrs. G. E. Kornegay, of Peoria, Illinois; Mrs. John Pietz, Hooper, Nebraska; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. K. Neely and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Neely, of Wayne, Nebraska.

DEATH OF WM. MEYERS.

Wm. W. Meyers, first sheriff of Thurston county, died last week at Sioux City, and the funeral occurred last Sunday at that place. He was 60 years of age. He was elected in 1889. His brother, Dick Meyers, who was the first deputy sheriff of this county, died some time ago. Another brother, John F. Meyers, for three terms county clerk of this county is a resident of Sioux City. Sheriff Meyers served only until January following, but during that time he experienced a wild and woolly official life. Shortly after his election the Benjamin boy was shot, and three Winnebago Indians were arrested by the new sheriff at an Indian dance charged with the crime. The Indians denied the crime and were afterwards acquitted in the district court of Wayne county where the case was taken on a change of venue. When the Indians were brought to Pender from the reservation a good mob leader could have found plenty of help to have pulled off a lynching bee. The question of jurisdiction came up and the new county government was sustained in its contention that the state had jurisdiction over the county, and its people were amenable to the state. Many other interesting events occurred at that time, and the new sheriff, Mr. and Mrs. James J. Lynch attended the funeral.—Pender Times.

GROUND FEED FOR HOGS

"Self-feeders for their hogs were installed by over 27,000 farmers in 1922 as a result of demonstrations of agricultural extension workers in improved methods of swine management according to reports."

Yes, we saw a farmer taking a load of milled feed from the mill last week and he said he had just purchased some pedigree hogs, and they did not seem to know how to eat whole grain or corn from the cob.

Dr. Young's Dental Office over the First National Bank. Phone 307.—Adv. 28-11.

BRIGHT GRIDIRON PROSPECT (From the Goldenrod)

Prospects for a successful team this season are unusually bright for Wayne State Teachers College. With thirteen letter men back and a large number of Northeast Nebraska high school stars, the outlook is one of promise.

The first night's practice disclosed the fact that thirty men had donned the cleated shoes for Wayne. Each man seems to have caught the spirit of the season, and is not sparing himself to make the team a winner.

Following is a list of the letter men, positions, and years played: Rennick, Quarterback, '21, '22. Rickabaugh, Tackle, '20, '21, '22. Moran, Quarterback and End, '22. Black, Halfback, '22. McCoy, Halfback, '22. Clark, Tackle, '19, '20. Miller, Lyle, Right End, '19, '20. Peterson, Paul, Guard, '20, '21. Vinckel, Guard, '21, '22. Schroeder, Guard, '22. Prescott, Tackle, '20, '21. Hall, Guard, '22. Larson, Halfback, '22.

The schedule consists of eight games, four to be played at Wayne, and four away. The contests this year are likely to be difficult. The first game, which is with Nebraska Wesleyan, to be played at University Place, on October 6, is considered one of the hardest of the season. Wesleyan is reported to have eight letter men back from last year's team, which defeated Wayne 6 to 0.

On October 12, we open the season on the local field by playing Western Union from LeMars, Iowa, considered one of the strongest teams in the Hawkeye Conference. On October 19, Wayne journeys to Fremont to play Midland, last year's title holders, who defeated the Teachers College 34 to 0. That institution has nine of last year's team back in school. October 26 will find Wayne in Lincoln, where they will meet Cotner. The next Friday, November 2, a contest will be staged on the local gridiron that will be worth the price of a season's ticket, when Wayne is to meet the heavy Buena Vista team from Storm Lake, Iowa, which ran away with the championship title in the Hawkeye Conference last year.

On November 9, Wayne will play Peru at Peru. Although there is a spirit of friendliness between these schools, there also is a keen rivalry. Central City next claims the attention of Orange and Black followers, when they will come to Wayne on November 16.

On Thanksgiving Day, Chadron will occupy the center of the stage. Chadron has defeated Wayne twice, while Wayne has but one scalp on her belt. Orange and Black followers are calling for revenge for last year's defeat, and the team is determined to win. Chadron always has had a clean, hard-fighting team, that claims the admiration of each spectator, and this game should find everyone interested in the Orange and Black institution on the sidelines, helping the team to victory.

NEW FACULTY MEMBERS

We have seven new members in our faculty this year. Mrs. Mae Smith from Pawnee City has taken Miss Grace Johnson's place in the office. Miss Johnson is attending the University of Nebraska this year.

Professor John Gray who went to the University of Florida has been succeeded by Professor Phillip Spong in the department of Biology. Professor Spong's home is in Butler, Indiana, and he received his degree from Iowa State College at Ames.

Miss Martha Pierce, who has charge of the Art department, has a leave of absence, the first semester. Mrs. Sara McKibben, who assisted during the summer, has charge of the work.

At the head of the expression department is Miss Maude Joseph from Hopkinton, Iowa. Miss Joseph was graduated from Lenox College, Iowa, and has done work at the University of Chicago.

Miss Ethel Stephens has ably filled the position formerly held by Miss Goldie Reis in the commercial department. Miss Stephens comes from Wisconsin and received her commercial training in Lincoln, Nebraska.

In the training school, Miss Reid has charge of the Kindergarten while Miss Gladys Kline has taken Miss Beechel's place as critic in the third and fourth grades.

Miss Jennie Nordquist is assisting Professor Britell in the science department. Miss Louise Wendt formerly had this work. She is attending Iowa State College at Ames this year.

Professor Lewis is again at the head of the history department. Professor Lewis has been working at the University of Chicago the past year on his Ph. D.

ALUMNI

J. E. Britton, '12, graduate of the University of Nebraska law school and holding his M. A. from the same institution, has entered upon the practice of law in the city of Wayne, having his office with Fred S. Berry. Mr. Britton was formerly County Judge of Wayne County.

Herbert Welch, '14, and his wife recently visited at the home of his parents, Judge and Mrs. A. A. Welch of Wayne. The young man is in business in New York City and is studying law in night school. While successful and happy in his work, he longs for the life of the west, and may decide to enter the practice of law in this section in a year or two.

SENIOR CLASS

Friday, September 14, the Senior Class held their first meeting in the Auditorium. The meeting was presided over by Ruthven Anderson. Provisions for election of officers were made.

Wednesday, September 19, the class

again met, Mr. Anderson presiding. Officers were nominated for the coming year. It was decided that the five highest would be voted on by ballot next Thursday, September 27.

Seniors, it is necessary that you give this your attention and vote the day of election. A list of the candidates have been posted in several places. It is your duty to vote for the one you want for each of the seven offices to make the year and Spizz a success.

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WAYNE MARKET REPORTS

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

Corn	75
Oats	32
Springs	18
Wheats	18
Roosters	.06
Eggs	.23
Butter Fat	.40
Hogs	\$6.00 to \$7.25
Cattle	\$4.00 to \$9.00

The Oklahoma difference between governor and legislature may now be settled in the courts. According to reports it will be hard to find an impartial court in that state. It seems honey-combed by the K. K. K.

One convincing argument advanced by the Bee and others who are advocating increasing the tariff on wheat imported into the United States to add to our surplus is the statement that "if it does no good, it can do no harm." That's more than can truthfully be said of some of their tariff legislation.

Petitions are being circulated in the state asking that the question of an amendment to the state constitution be made providing for a one house legislature. Senator Norris is the power pushing for this change—reform he calls it. Might study the question a bit and then know what you want to do if any one asks you to sign.

Electricity is becoming almost as common a necessity as water in the affairs of men, and it is a shame that it cannot be at least as free as water. Instead, as it often is, the pet of a monopoly that is making excessive profits therefrom. In fact, our water should be worked to make our electricity and deliver it for the use of mankind at half or less of what it now costs.

Eggs should be cheaper—unless electricity is too expensive—for a test has shown that hens in an electric lighted house produce twice as many eggs as an equal number in a house not so lighted. The light was used in the evening to add three hours to the hen's day. That is working over time, and our labor-union folks should see that it is discontinued unless the birds get at least time and a half for their extra hours.

We have just received some figures which maintain that in the nine years between 1913 and 1922 the coal used by a certain Nebraska light and power company increased 197 per cent, the freight on same is now 43 per cent greater than in '13 and that taxes are 400 per cent more than nine years ago, and yet they are furnishing juice without increased price and without loss. Question: What were they making in profits before commodities so greatly advanced? These figures made no mention of wage, which beyond a doubt are much greater than nine years ago.

The editor has just received a communication from the Old Line Insurance Co., which states that out of \$32,500,000 of farm crop values in 1922, the farmers who grew them received in round numbers but \$7,500,000 and that more than twice that sum which the consumer paid for the crop went to the fellows in line between producer and consumer. Is any wonder that more than 2,000,000 farmers quit the farm in 1922, and that the prospect is that another 3,000,000 will try to get in the line of middlemen by leaving the farm in 1923? How can this be stopped?

CARD OF THANKS

We wish at this time to express our thanks and appreciation to our neighbors and friends for their kind assistance, and the beautiful floral offerings at the death and burial of our son and brother.

Mrs. Emma Baker and Children.

MIDWEST POLITICAL SENTIMENT

When Josephus Daniels was here during chautauqua week, the country was out thrumming about what the voters had done in Minnesota and in conversation some asked him his opinion of the situation, and he said that as he read the signs of the times if an election was held then in Iowa, Nebraska and Kansas, in his opinion, the results would be practically the same as they had been in Minnesota.

In view of that remark, the following, taken from the Hastings Tribune is of interest:

"There is only one way to get the true sentiment of a country and that is to get to talk to the people in person.

"Josephus Daniels who recently made a chautauqua tour in this vicinity had the right idea for ascertaining public sentiment—he talked with farmer, merchant, laborer and banker at every opportunity and secured their opinions upon various public questions.

"He spoke night after night before large chautauqua crowds in Oklahoma, Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska, and riding in these states for over ten weeks and living very close to the people, he had little trouble in ascertaining public sentiment and to realize what the people are thinking about.

"After ten weeks' travel in these states he came to the conclusion that the talk of the dissatisfaction of the farmers in the west that gets in the papers would make the reader think that deep-seated revolution was confined to the farmers. That, he says, is an error.

"Talk to any merchant whose trade is chiefly with farmers, and bankers who loan money to and keep the accounts of farmers, the preachers whose congregations are made up mainly of farmers, and you will find that they are almost as resentful of the hard conditions that lay heavy on agricultural sections as the farmer."

"He further says that there is a deep-seated feeling that the prosperity of manufacturers and the lack of it in the farm section is proof of special privilege. The first question every farmer asks is:

"Why do I pay the same prices for my agricultural implements, for my shoes, for everything I need on the farm and that my family must buy as when wheat was two dollars a bushel, and can get only seventy cents for my wheat?"

"Daniels further says that the farmers do not resent the laborer getting good prices in the city for they realize that he has to pay the same price for a loaf of bread today that he paid when the farmer was getting two dollars a bushel for his wheat. The farmers say it is not the city worker that is responsible for their plight and argue that they will not get more for their wheat if wages are reduced. They argue that the trouble is higher up.

The farmer says: "It isn't labor that makes agricultural machines and gasoline and shoes and everything else I buy so high. It is the legislation that gives the manufacturer a bonus in high tariff and gives railroads a bonus in high freight rates. If the government can bring prosperity to these interests, why can't it legislate prosperity to the farmers?"

And that is something else to think about.

WHO GETS THE SPREAD

A very conservative reader of the Democrat was visiting the writer a little while ago. He had been reading the report of some government coal commission or investigating committee in the Literary Digest, and found that their research had established the cost of hard coal on the car at the eastern mines was \$6.58, of which the miner received \$3.89 for digging. The retail price at Wayne is not less than \$21 per ton, with another dollar for delivery. That makes a spread between the coal on track at the mine and the consumers in this part of Nebraska of \$14.32 plus delivering charges and he was wondering how that \$14.32 was divided. There are others, too, who wonder. It was not his opinion that the railroads took it all for freight—nor did he think the local dealer was perhaps waxing exceeding fat—for he had been in the retail business in his time, but not in coal or kindred products. We hope some one answers his anxious inquiry as to who is standing between operator and consumer. Who will?

Furnished room for rent—apply to Phone 77.—adv.

WAYNE HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The seventh grade, accompanied by Mrs. Davis and Miss Koester, enjoyed a "wiener" roast at the "Y" Monday after school. This event was held to celebrate their winning the flag at the law enforcement meeting Sunday evening.

The first period of assembly singing was held Tuesday under the supervision of Miss Franklin.

An interesting contest is being staged this week at the High school, to aid the athletic association in selling tickets for the football games. The pupils were divided into two teams with Burr Davis and Thelma Peterson as captains.

Friday evening the Seniors, under the supervision of Miss Bacon entertained the students and members of the faculty in honor of the freshman class. After the members of the freshman class had been formally introduced a program was given in the assembly room. A French quartette, "Les Geandes Fromages" composed of Mademoiselles Johnson and Ingham, Monsterrus Davis and Gansko sang a group of songs in character costumes. Una Schrumpt gave a clog dance which was followed by a reading by Tot Bartels. A toe dance by Lucille Noakes completed the program. A number of the freshmen were called upon to perform impromptu stunts which were highly amusing. Light refreshments were served at the close of this program.

The Glee club held their first meeting of the year on Wednesday evening with about twenty-five present. The officers for the year were elected: President, Francis Craig; Secretary-Treasurer, Tot Bartels; Pianist, Frieda Schrumpt.

The prospects for a winning team this year seem very favorable, as far as can be determined from the present condition. The team, although mostly green this year, are fast being rounded into shape, by Coach Brown, and are looking good. The team has a very hard schedule ahead of them, going up against teams which are heavier and more experienced. However if the town will turn out and buy tickets, and support their High School team as a fighting team should be supported, the team themselves will guarantee that the holders of tickets will not find themselves the losers. The team well average, in weight, about 150 pounds, but as a whole outfit is a well, balanced, fast, hard-hitting outfit, that can and will give a good account of themselves wherever they are.

The probable lineup for Fridays game will be as follows:

- Ends—Smith, Owen, Eicher.
- Tackles—Hartshorn, Mabbott.
- Guards—Stamm, Ellis, Kopp.
- Center—Whitaker or Jones.
- Backfield—Capt. Sund, Mildner, Kay, Finn, Winterstein.

Everybody be sure and come out to every game this season and see this team play and help put the High school across strong this year.

BROOKS FUNERAL SERVICES TUESDAY

Stanton, Nebraska, September 24.—Funeral services for James Brookes, Stanton county pioneer and former state senator, who died suddenly Saturday morning, were held at the farm home near here Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Burial was in the home cemetery. The services were in charge of the Scottish Rites, assisted by the Stanton Blue lodge of the Masons.

Besides the widow, three daughters, Mrs. Charlie Mewls, Mrs. Emil Entelman and Miss Nellie Brookes of Stanton and three sons, Omer Brookes of Omaha, Ira Brookes of Pilger and Earl Brookes of Stanton.

COUNTY TAXES IN STATE INCREASE

Lincoln, September 24.—State Tax Commissioner W. H. Smith has compiled a statement of taxes for the state as a whole, based on information received from county officers. The statement shows a net increase of \$174,545 in the consolidated county taxes. The figures do not include the county high school tax which is levied in only eleven of the ninety-three counties in the state. The total county tax for the state this year is \$9,892,874. Forty-four counties levied a greater amount than last year, and forty-nine showed a decrease.

WHAT CAN BE MADE FROM MILK

Some interesting figures have been compiled to show what can be made from a definite quantity of milk. Use in 100 pounds of milk which tests 4 per cent, it has been found that this quantity will make about 4.8 pounds of butter, 11 pounds of Cheddar cheese 12.5 pounds of whole-milk powder, 8.5 pounds of Swiss cheese, or 23 pounds of Camembert cheese. The exact amounts of these products that can be made from 100 pounds of milk varies with the richness of the milk in fat and other solids. A number of by-products are also formed by the different processes.

Eggs wanted at Fortner's.—adv.

WITH THE WAYNE CHURCHES

Baptist Church

Francis K. Allen, Minister
Rally Week, the object of which is a better, bigger church school, will begin next Sunday morning. A full attendance of every class is desired at 10 o'clock when announcement of the events of the week will be made. At 11 a. m. the theme will be: "The Place of Religious Education in the Home, the church, the Nation." A short children's sermon will be introduced.

Young People's meeting at 7 p. m. Topic: "School Days." Evening service at 8 o'clock. Subject: "A Workman Unashamed." The Junior choir will sing.

On Wednesday evening there will be a prayer meeting in the interest of the Sunday school. It will be a great night. Everybody should be there who ever has been, is, or expects to be a Sunday school scholar. Teachers will come with their scholars, babies in arms, strong men and aged soldiers of the cross. This will be one of the biggest nights of Rally week.

Friday night there will be a "Booster Banquet" served by "Every Man's Bible Class". This will be a time of sociability and good fellowship—creating the atmosphere in which the church-school will go at the year's work with pep and joy. Everyone working or interested in the school and church should be present. On Sunday October 7th. The Rally Program will be given and promotion of pupils will take place. Later announcement will be made of this.

The "get-together" held at Pilger last Sunday was a very happy event and a decided success. Pilger people are fine hosts. About sixty went from Wayne taking part in the worship and enjoying the good things provided for body and soul. Hereafter it will be known as the Wayne District Baptist Fellowship Union. The next meeting will be held in May at Carroll.

First Presbyterian Church

Rev. Fenton C. Jones, pastor
10:30 Morning Worship. Sermon "What shall we think of Christ?"
11:30 Sunday school. Remember this is Rally Day. 100 per cent attendance.

7:00 Christian Endeavor.
8:00 Evening Worship. Sermon subject, What you see depends upon where you look.

REMEMBER, Theodore Roosevelt once said "When the liquor men are allowed to do as they wish they are sure to debauch not only the body social but the body politic also."

English Lutheran Church

(Rev. J. H. Fetterolf, Pastor)
Sunday school 10 a. m.
Public worship with sermon 11 a. m.
Luther League 7:30 p. m.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society will meet with Miss Rose Assenheimer next Wednesday afternoon.

Ladies Aid meets with Mrs. Henry Koiff next Thursday afternoon. Mrs. A. A. Miller will entertain. This is a postponed meeting. A full report of all committees who served at the fair will be given. Full attendance is desired.

Methodist Episcopal Church

Rev. John Grant Shick, pastor
Sunday school at 10:00 a. m., Conrad Jacobson, Superintendent.
Epworth League at 7:00 p. m.
Mable Britell, leader.

Preaching Services at 11:00 a. m. Rev. S. X. Cross will preach the sermon Sunday morning, in the absence of the pastor, who is said to be slowly improving at Excelsior Springs where he went nearly two weeks ago.

Evangelical Lutheran Church

(Rev. H. A. Teckhaus, Pastor)
Sunday school 10 a. m.
No preaching service, the pastor is attending the annual meeting of the Synod, near Columbus, Nebraska.
The Ladies Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. Will Danne, October the 4th.

GIVING THE PETS MORE FREEDOM

A big-game fence 12 miles long, 88 inches high, and inclosing an area of approximately 4,000 acres, which has been under construction for several years on the northern part of the Niobrara Reservation of the United States department of agriculture, was recently completed. A temporary runway has been built for use in transferring the game animals across the Niobrara River from the smaller inclosures which have been used up to this time.

This smaller enclosure was an island near Niobrara, and the enlarging of the ground given to these wards of the nation, as they might be called will mean an increase of the number and variety of the wild animals kept in confinement by this fence.

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BACK TO THE CONSTITUTION

(From The Goldenrod)

Constitution week will perform a great service to the American people if it succeeds in directing more attention to the study of the constitution itself. There is too much loose talk about what many people think the constitution is. We are in the position of the mediaeval scientists who wrote voluminously from hearsay about the familiar things of nature, but never once thought of studying the things themselves. A number of American institutions which many people think are parts of the constitutional system are not parts at all and may even be unfriendly to the constitution; at least they may be so remotely connected with the constitution that the latter should not be blamed for the failure of some of these institutions to work properly.

Take the matter of political parties for instance. The constitution makes no provision for parties, does not contemplate their existence, is not adapted to a true party system. In fact, some of the "Fathers" who made the constitution very much regretted the appearance of parties—cf. Washington's Farewell Address. The man who thinks it is necessary to be a strong party man in order to support the constitution is manifestly headed in the wrong direction.

Again, take the matter of change of the constitution. It is quite the fashion with some to find some particular constitutional virtue in resisting change in the constitution. Such an attitude finds no support in the constitution itself or in the ideas of the founders of our nation. They were so doubtful of their ability to predict future conditions that they took considerable pains to provide ways of amendment. Not only did they provide one way of amendment, but they provided for another—an alternative way—in case the first way should by chance become impracticable. In fact, by different combinations in the process of amendment, it is possible to enumerate four different ways of amending the constitution. "The basis of our political system," said Washington, "is the right of the people to make and to alter their constitutions of government."

There is no warrant in the Constitution for a lack of leadership on the part of the President of the United States—a leadership that has been characteristic of such men as Washington, Jefferson, Jackson, Lincoln, Roosevelt, and Wilson. While no president may constitutionally usurp the power of Congress, there is no warrant for assuming that he should stand aside and leave to the legislative branch the task of evolving a leadership either through the tyranny of an irresponsible speaker or through an oligarchy of congressmen.

Finally, there is a good deal of loose talk as to the treasonableness of the public discussion of certain mooted political and economic questions. The constitution is not authority for this loose talk. It very carefully defines treason, and narrows it to a very small range of activities; it encourages free speech and a free press. The "Fathers" knew more about human nature than do some present day statesmen and citizens. They knew it was better in the long run to let men have their say and be done with it; better to oppose bad arguments with good ones than to try to make men keep to themselves their honest convictions.

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J. G. W. LEWIS.

Y. W. C. A. FROLIC

Fun and frolic reigned supreme at the Y. W. C. A. meeting Wednesday evening. The first social hour of this organization was spent in the Callisthenium, and restraint was thrown to the winds while all joined in the merry-making. The hour passed all too quickly for the seventy-five girls who were present, and not until the committee in charge promised another frolic in the near future were they appeased.

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Cartoon from The Farm Journal, September, 1923

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

FOR RENT—House and Barn in east part of town, Call 326.—adv.

Mrs. R. M. Roggenbach, went to Wakefield this morning and spent the day there.

Mrs. W. A. Hiseox and cousin Miss Hale went to Sioux City this morning where they spent the day.

Mrs. J. H. Felber and daughter Dorothy went to Sioux City this morning and spent the day there.

Miss Martha Paulsen, who has been employed at the Fred Bichel farm this summer returned to her home at Pender Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Mabel Nygaard, of Wynot who spent a few days visiting with friends at the Normal returned to her home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Rollie Hinkel was called to Norfolk Monday evening by word from home folks telling of the serious illness of her sister's little child.

Mrs. M. E. McDonald, who spent a couple of weeks visiting with her daughter Mrs. Earl Lewis returned to her home at Thurston Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Fritz Hinkel and daughter who spent a few days visiting with her parents at Norfolk returned home Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Hinkel went over with her Saturday evening.

Robert Wells of Fresno, California, who is visiting in the great central west, is this week visiting at the L. A. Fanske home, with his sister, Mrs. Fanske. He reports that the grape and raisin industry in the valley about Fresno as being in a flourishing condition as to the quantity and quality of the crop, but when it came to price and the profits to the grower he said he could not answer.

W. L. Fisher and wife, accompanied by Mrs. Jenkins of Carroll, drove to Wymore the first of the week to visit at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Leta Jones. From Wymore Mr. and Mrs. Fisher will drive to St. Charles, Iowa, to visit her mother and other home folks, and then go on to visit Mr. Fisher's mother who lives in Beaconfield, Iowa. They plan to be absent about two weeks.

Milling wheat going up. Flour will follow. Buy while it is cheap. Wayne Superlative \$1.60 per sack. at The Wayne Roller Mill. Open Saturday nights. W. R. Weber, Prop.

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We want Occident known in every home. You will combine this name with a flour—a flour that costs more and is worth it. To housewives who are using Occident the apparent saving of 25, 50 or 75 cents per sack on ordinary flour does not appeal for she knows the difference in price is more than absorbed by more loaves and absolute satisfaction. Every day 50,000 gallons of artesian water is used to wash the hard selected wheat before it's made into Occident flour. Occident is a product of one of the few concerns that produce absolutely clean flour. Occident is made for the woman who cares and who feels the responsibility of providing in her growing children with the best possible bread.

New Arrivals SPECIAL Seven Days

Five pound package Blue Ribbon peaches	78c
Five pound package Sunkist prunes	78c
Three pounds rice	25c
Five pounds navy beans	50c
Twenty bars Naptha soap	\$1.00
(Aluminum Kettle free)	
Five Hippo Washing Powder	25c
Camel cigarettes, per carton	\$1.25
Four and one-half pounds sweet potatoes	25c
Gold Dust flour	\$1.65
Fancy cream cheese, per pound	33c
Four pounds shelled popcorn	25c

Basket Store

Mrs. Pollard was called to Sioux Falls, South Dakota, the last of the week by word of the serious illness of her father at that place.

George Bryant, a son of Judge Bryant of Hartington, is dead, according to a report received Wednesday, but no other particulars came.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beckenhauer, Mrs. O. C. Lewis and son Warren, and Mrs. Linn McClure, spent Tuesday visiting with O. C. Lewis at Sioux City.

Mrs. Chas. Norton returned from her visit to Wyoming this morning where she was called more than a week ago by the illness of her sister, she left the sister slowly improving.

Frank Gamble went to Chicago the first of the week, where he is attending the annual convention of the organized clothing retailers. He will no doubt learn much that is good from the meetings.

C. C. Peterson and family drove over to Herman last week to visit relatives, and the rain and muddy roads kept them there longer than they planned to tarry, but business was not very brisk here when the rain was coming.

J. J. Grove of Coleridge, one of the men who wrote the blue in the days of '61-'75 was at Wayne Wednesday for examination before the pension board. From here he went to visit at Norfolk for a time, and see the festival on at that place.

Geo. Hofeldt was at Sioux City the first of the week looking over the offering of feeders, and came home with the verdict that they were priced too high to suit him—and he did not purchase. The fellow who was selling that they did not bid up high enough.

Wm. Anderson was a passenger to Sioux City Tuesday, going down to see about a new pump for the well he has just put down at or near his ice pond. He plans to begin filling the pond next month for winter freeze for the 1924 use. Fred Eichoff accompanied him on the trip.

R. R. Smith, who has been visiting his sons in Hand county, South Dakota, returned to Wayne the first of the week. He left the boys well, and tells that they have every prospect for a good corn crop there this season—but that he passed thru some parts of the state where the corn prospect was not so flattering.

Our new line of footwear for Misses and older ladies is very complete, and also includes shoes for the children. Foot covering is not complete without hose, and this may also be found in variety of late shades and real serviceable quality at the Mrs. Jeffries Style shop, in the new home just south of the Crystal.—adv.

Wm. Benschhof of Winside fell from a seven foot wall Monday, and escaped with but slight bruises, in spite of the fact that he is 85 years of age. It was by a small margin that he missed striking his head on a concrete block, and then the story might have been more serious. We are glad that Mr. B. was so fortunate in fighting as he did, if he must be so unfortunate as to fall.

Lovers of music and the dance will not forget the American Legion ball this evening at the new store room soon to be occupied by R. B. Judson & Co. The committee aver that they have good music and are prepared to give each and every one the worth of their money. It will be a fine place for the evening. The floor is new, and in fine condition, and the room is large.

T. B. Heckert has sold his residence on 8th street to R. H. Cross from near Laurel, and is to give possession about October 1st. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mines who have been living at the Heckert home with him, or he with them, will move for the present to the J. G. Mines home, and Mr. Heckert find a place where he will be at home. They have a lot west of the park and are making estimates of the cost of a new home there.

Rev. James Coyle his father and mother Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Coyle of Lincoln, Mrs. Marcella Moran and Mrs. H. W. Whitaker of Omaha, who spent a few days visiting at the home of Mrs. E. Huntermer, left Wednesday afternoon and will visit at Jackson and Ponca. They were accompanied by Mrs. Peter Coyle and son R. A. Coyle. Rev. Coyle read at Early Mass at 8 o'clock Wednesday at the St. Mary's church at Wayne. There were a large number of his friends there to hear him.

Robert Baird, for many years a resident of this county, came in the last of last week for a vacation visit here at the home of his brother. He has been engaged on the ranch owned by his brother of this place near O'Neill. He tells us that it has been a great season on the ranch. Lots of pasture for the hundreds of horses and cattle ranging there, and plenty of hay for their winter care. He said that for the past six weeks they had been busy putting up hay, with a big force of men and machinery. Often they would erect eight or ten stacks in a day.

SOCIAL NOTES

J. G. W. Lewis spoke before the members of the Kiwanis club at their Monday dinner, and uttered a bit of warning as to what his observations of the speed at which things social and political might run against at most any time. During a year spent in Chicago, Mr. Lewis had ample opportunity to see things and measure their momentum, as well as the direction in which they were headed. Mr. Lewis is not an alarmist, and has great faith in the integrity of the American people; but he saw some things which caused him to wonder whether or not the people who are busy daily making the two ends meet, are cognizant of conditions in some of the great centers of population. The remedy as it appears to Mr. Lewis is education. His remarks were well received on above lines. He also said that one who must buy at the big city stores will appreciate the merchant of the smaller places—the home merchant, as never before.

The W. C. T. U. met last Friday with Mrs. C. O. Mitchell. It was the first meeting of the year and a splendid time is reported. Mrs. I. E. Ellis led devotions Roll call was responded to with suggestions for school social life. Some very good thoughts were brought out.

Rev. Allen of the Baptist church gave a very interesting talk on "The Bible in the Public Schools."

Miss Francis Beckenhauer, accompanied by Mrs. C. J. Lowry on the piano, sang two delightful solos.

Mrs. Geo. Fortner gave a short talk urging for a greater interest in W. C. T. U. work.

Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Fortner, Friday, October 19. Keep the date in mind and come out.

The country club social had their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon at the country club. There were 60 members present. The time was spent playing cards and with knighting. The committee of ladies were Mrs. Clara Ellis, Mrs. Don Cunningham, Mrs. C. T. Ingham, Mrs. Will Hiseox, Mrs. W. E. Jenkins, Mrs. A. T. Cavanaugh, Mrs. Harvey Neely, and Mrs. Frank Strahan. They will meet next Tuesday at the country club. The committee of ladies will be Mrs. Clyde Oman, Mrs. A. A. Welch, Mrs. H. C. Henderickson, Mrs. J. F. Ahern, Mrs. D. C. Main, Mrs. Ada Rennick, Miss Jessie Jenks and Mrs. V. A. Senter.

There was a social meeting of the Queen Esther's at the Britell home last evening at which members and many guests had a happy evening. It was a "Colonial" occasion, and the young ladies were attired in the customs that were fashionable in colonial times. Games were played and a really sociable time passed. Miss Imogene Shick gave a few songs, and others contributed to the program. Refreshments were served, and it was a really a big social event for the members of that organization, starting them in the new year in fine shape.

The Coterie held its regular business meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. T. Cavanaugh. The program for the afternoon was an article taken from the Magazine of the September issue of the World's work, with Mrs. Frank Morgan as leader. Mrs. A. R. Davis, Mrs. John Ahern, Mrs. L. A. Fenske, Mrs. Frank Morgan and Mrs. Don Cunningham each gave a very interesting article from the lesson. The club will meet next Monday at the home of Mrs. Don Cunningham.

The Minerva club members were entertained at a 1 o'clock covered dish luncheon Monday. Roll call was responded to by giving their vacation experiences. Bessie McEachen and Marcela Huntermer sang a duet, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. House, and had victrola music.

At the close of the afternoon the hostess served ice cream, cake and coffee. The next meeting will be October 8th, at the home of Mrs. W. E. Beaman.

The Ladies Aid society of the Methodist church will hold its regular meeting this afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. S. Blair at 2:30. Reports for the year will be given and election of officers will be held. The afternoon will close with a social hour.

The professional and business women's club held their regular meeting Tuesday evening in the basement of the library. Members gave talks on their experiences during their vacations. The next meeting will be the second week in October.

Mrs. I. E. Ellis entertained about twenty ladies Wednesday afternoon, at her home. The afternoon was spent socially and sewing carpet rags. At the close of a very enjoyable afternoon the hostess served a five o'clock dinner.

In New Building

We will be located in our new building, just south of the Union Hotel, on Main street, next Saturday, Sept. 29,

and everybody is invited to call and see what we have to offer in the way of equipment and stock. On next Saturday a lady expert will demonstrate our different lines of canned fruits. People are urged to attend the demonstrations and sample the delicious fruits. Our formal opening day will be announced next week. In the meantime we will be in our new quarters and will be serving the public in the best possible manner.

In connection with the grocery, August Paul, formerly of Wakefield, who has had long and successful experience in the business, will open a meat market. He has bought new fixtures, and will be an important aid to the grocery in helping people supply household needs at the least possible cost. The exact date for the opening of the market will be announced next week.

We heartily appreciate the growing patronage received from Wayne and vicinity, and we believe we can give better service in our new building, which has modern fixtures, and which is mouse-proof, and perfectly sanitary in all respects.

We have provided a comfortable rest room which people are cordially invited to freely use at any time.

Our free delivery will speed up every grocery and meat order any hour of the day. The telephone number, 499, will be the same.

Wayne Grocery
"We Go the Limit to Please"
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The N. K. club met and surprised Mr. and Mrs. Aden Austin last Friday evening. The evening was spent in playing 500 and music, after which a delicious luncheon was served.

Mrs. Paul Sadler entertained a few friends Wednesday at a 6:30 o'clock birthday dinner party. The evening was spent socially and with music. It was her husband's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Geor. Bush, Miss Letha and Mr. and Mrs. J. Grimsley were Sunday dinner guests at the Ray Perdue home.

The St. Mary's Guild will hold its regular meeting this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Schmelskamp.

Central Social Circle meets with Mrs. Aden Austin, October 4th.

SCOFIELD—SCOTT

At Sterling, Colorado, Monday, September 17, 1923, occurred the marriage of Mr. Aurthur D. Scott and Miss Ruth Aldine Scofield of Kimball, Nebraska. They are to be at home after October 15th at Harrisburg, Nebraska.

The bride is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Scofield, formerly of this place. Miss Ruth attended the public school at Wayne until a few years ago when the family moved to Kimball, where she graduated from the high school, two or three years ago, and has since been a successful teacher. Miss Ruth has many friends at Wayne who will wish her a happy life.

Mrs. John Soules left Wednesday morning for Okadate, to help care for her aged mother who is ill.

HOUSE AND SHOP FOR SALE

I have for sale on favorable terms, 7-room house, modern except furnace, a shop 16x30 with dynamo, shafting, belting, planer, saws, both circular and band installed. Sell shop as it stands, or equipment separate.

Both well located, close in on Main street, and a bargain for one who wants to own a home. Apply to owner, John W. Morgan, Wayne, Nebraska, Phone 316—adv. 2t

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September 28—Plainview at Wayne
October 5—Lyons at Lyons
October 12—West Point at West Point
October 19—Wakefield at Wayne
October 26—Randolph at Wayne
November 2—Leigh at Leigh
November 9—Stanton at Wayne
November 16—Randolph at Randolph
November 23—Ponca at Wayne

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110 acres under cultivation, 5 acres grove and orchard, 20 acres good pasture, 25 acres in alfalfa. Land lays well and has running water in pasture. Improvements are 5 room house, barn 30x32, crib and granary 24x32, cattle shed, hog house, chicken house, brick cave, 2 wells, 25 acres fenced hog tight.

Price \$155.00 an acre and can arrange plenty of terms.

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MINISTERS ASSIGNED

BY M. E. CONFERENCE

Lincoln, Nebraska, September 24.—The 1924 Nebraska Methodist conference will be held in Omaha, according to a decision reached at the closing session of this year's conference here Monday afternoon. Reading of the appointments for the coming year was the most important part of Monday afternoon's program.

The Rev. J. W. Embree, superintendent of the Hastings district, was elected secretary of the conference. Claimants society of the Methodist Episcopal church. The Rev. Mr. Embree has for many years been a district superintendent and his election will necessitate the appointment of a new superintendent for the Hastings district. He will succeed E. T. Connelly of University Place as secretary of the claimants society. The Anti-Saloon league and its superintendent, F. A. High, were endorsed by the conference in adopting the report of the committee urged ministers to prepare to fight the move for light wines and beer which the report declared, is soon to be waged by the wet forces.

Assignments of ministers for the coming year follows:

- Norfolk District
Ed Hull, Norfolk, District Superintendent.
Allen—C. R. Willhite.
Batticreek—L. L. Chambers.
Beemer—David Stitt.
Brunswick—(Federated) L. Yost.
Belden—Ivan McMurray.
Bloomfield—M. E. Richmond.
Bristow-Cross—M. J. Gerrard.
Carroll—W. W. Hull.
Chambers—R. L. Oarlyon.
Central—A. Lindsay.
Clearwater—G. T. Andrews.
Coleridge—M. E. Colstran.
Creighton—M. L. Farmer.
Dakota City—G. R. Newkirk.
Dixon—Rosehill, G. A. Drals.
Hwyng—W. J. Philly.
Homer—J. J. Kemper.

AN INTELLIGENT

TARIFF DISCUSSION

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- Producers of western products affected by the tariff invite and welcome the judgment and co-operation of everybody concerned in western progress as the task being undertaken is of large proportions and must have the full strength and co-operation of a united West in order to be successful.
Among western producers most directly interested are wool growers, stock growers, the mining industry, banker's association in various western states, sugar beet growers and many other industries of primary importance to the West.

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AFTER FATHER
MCKELVIE'S SCALP
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In the course of the show, the older exhibitor met the junior member in several classes and succeeded in heating him by a half-breath in each class. Finally he remarked to the boy: "Well, we boys are having a pretty good time," and the youngster promptly replied: "You bet we are. Do you think you will show here again next year?" "I don't know," said Father McKelvie. And the purpose of the young exhibitor's query was revealed when he said: "Well, I hope you do. I think I can get your scalp next time."

All the boy wanted was another chance. "It mattered not that he was competing against the oldest Poland China breeder in the state and an exhibitor of forty years' successful experience. This is the spirit of which the right kind of Young America is made.—Nebraska Farmer.

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In the course of the show, the older exhibitor met the junior member in several classes and succeeded in heating him by a half-breath in each class. Finally he remarked to the boy: "Well, we boys are having a pretty good time," and the youngster promptly replied: "You bet we are. Do you think you will show here again next year?" "I don't know," said Father McKelvie. And the purpose of the young exhibitor's query was revealed when he said: "Well, I hope you do. I think I can get your scalp next time."

All the boy wanted was another chance. "It mattered not that he was competing against the oldest Poland China breeder in the state and an exhibitor of forty years' successful experience. This is the spirit of which the right kind of Young America is made.—Nebraska Farmer.

PALMER CERTIFICATES AWARDED

(From The Goldenrod)

Up to the close of the 1923-24 school year, fifty-three students did work which entitled them to a Palmer Penmanship Certificate. Twenty-nine completed this work during the year, and twenty-four finished it during the summer term.

It is customary for the schools of Nebraska to give a penmanship teacher holding a Palmer certificate an increase of from twenty-five to fifty dollars a year above the regular salary.

The following received certificates: Ester Wendte, Bea Ohrl, Clara B. Stallsmith, Ema Lessman, Helan Nuss, Mary Hollister, Alice Sherer, Lillian Butron, Alice Button, Estella Roberts, Hildegarde Wiebelhaus, Emma Havekost, Anna Ropken, Mattie Ehrenberg, Margurite Peterson, Louise M. Kneall, Pauline Amende, Bertilla Hoos, Eva Howard, Ruth O'Neal, Gladys Chambers, Lydia Cihlar, Agnes Paulsen, C. Wittiver.

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THE COUNTRY OF HUGH GLASS

(From The Goldenrod)

On the evening of July 31, 1923, a monument was placed on a lofty bluff overlooking the forks of the Grand river in South Dakota to the memory of Hugh Glass, a hunter with the Ashley-Henry Fur company who, one hundred years ago this summer, was at that spot wounded by a grizzly bear, deserted and robbed by his comrades and who, coming out of his state of unconsciousness, crawled on one leg and his hands across the divide between the Grand and the Moreau, from the Moreau to the Cheyenne, down the valley of the Cheyenne to its mouth, and from that point floated down the Missouri on a raft made of grapevines and drift-wood to Fort Klowa, near the present town of Chamberlain, South Dakota. This tremendous adventure is the central theme of "The Song of Hugh Glass" by the epic poet John G. Neihardt. Among the party to place the memorial to the heroic hunter were the poet himself and the officers of the Neihardt Club, an international organization for the spread of the study of the American epic that Neihardt is writing.

That which most interested the party and which occasions the writing of this story is the remarkable parallels between the details of the adventure as Neihardt has written them and of the actual topography of the country as it is today. Never before had Neihardt been within one-hundred-fifty miles of the forks of the Grand, and, while he had general knowledge of prairie country, the details of this region were utterly unknown to him. Some of these correspondences were to be expected, but the number and accuracy of these were so remarkable as to raise questions as to how poets learn the truth, that will might interest the society for psychical research.

In the twilight the monument was being dedicated; the reader was just reciting that portion of the poem in which the wolves—"Intone their wild, antiphony chants," when from some "dimly lit channel of the night" came the long weird cry of a coyote which was again and again answered by his comrades along the breaks of the Grand. It was as though the very animals recalled the tragic situation one hundred years ago. Coming at the close of a day in which Neihardt and his biographer had found, again and again, exact correspondence between the narrative and the facts, this chant of the wolves seemed uncanny indeed.

While it has always been the desire of Neihardt to be a realist in his writings, it was, of course, not necessary that there be exactness in every detail, but to the one who had for six years been teaching "The Song of Hugh Glass" to freshmen college classes, it seemed as if he must have a photograph of the country in his mind, and so it proved. The first thing in the morning had been to look for the spring and the bullberry bushes where the bear leaped out at Hugh, and they were there, and further their location corresponded to the story, for Jamie, in seeking Hugh, in the narrative, had ridden northwest from a "breakneck hill" on the south side of the river. Now, the only hill on the south side that was not sheer, down which a horse might "flounder, close-footed in the skitter of the shale," stood out boldly to the southeast of the spring. How did the poet know that God had set a hill at that one point and made it not sheer like the others, but sloping, with shale on its side?

The next correspondence is this, that had the poet made Jamie approach Hugh from the north side of the Grand, the entire topography as given in the poem would have been incorrect, for to the north the country is only a somewhat rolling prairie, while to the south are the bluffs, the butte and the creek, scarce more than a "deepcarved rune of vernal rain," all of which are found in the poem and none of which appear on the north side of the river.

As Jamie in the poem approached in the evening he came suddenly to the top of the "breakneck hill" and as the horse stopped short its rider became "aware

Of lonesome flatlands fading skyward there Beneath him, and, zigzag on either hand A purple haze denoted how the Grand Forked wide 'twixt sunset and the polar star."

Several chances for error lurk here. The hill might not have been steep, the river might have forked, not "wide", but narrowly, and there might have been no "lonesome flatlands fading skyward." But they were all there exactly as pictured. The poem is a great painting on large canvas of the actual scene.

Those who have read "The Song of Hugh Glass" will recall that the poem relates that after Hugh awoke he ate blueberries for several days, that he began his crawl up the bed of a little creek, with "yellow walls flung high," that the first day of the journey he found wild plums and breadroot, that at the close of the day he found a little rise whence he

could see "the yellow splotch of earth that treachery had digged" that at the close of the second day he came upon a little pool, that that night he lay beside that pool in a gorge-like portion of the "rune" and watched "the wandertale of drifting stars evolve," that late in the afternoon of the third day he climbed nearly to the tableland at the head of the creek and found wild grapes. It is almost unbelievable that all these details correspond with exactness to the facts as the party found them after several hours spent in exploration.

On the night of the third day Hugh comes to the beginning of the tablelands and locates a butte at a distance of perhaps five miles exactly to the south. The eagerness of the party was nearly at fever heat, and there went up a shout of amazement and utter incredulity when, just at the right distance to meet the conditions of the narrative, it was found that there stood forth one solitary butte, seeming now almost to be some guide for lost wanderers in a lonely land.

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One more item and we shall have enumerated the whole list of details: On the day after the placing of the monument the party went two miles east in order to take the only road to the south toward the Moreau. On this journey the country was rolling and entirely different from the picture that Neihardt has given of that through which Hugh crawled, but this was not Hugh's trail. That day, as the reader knows, two miles to the west, and there was great eagerness to find whether the exact trail would permit what Neihardt has pictured, that the lonely butte could be seen from the divide, that the divide itself was "rooflike", as the poem states, and whether there was a gap between the hills from which the butte was so nearly invisible that "a fingernail at armlength held could blot it out of space." Every item proved to be exactly as in the poem. We halted and used the fingernail to hide the butte, the top of which was barely visible over the flat land that Hugh had covered, using the butte as guide and later as a measure of distance covered. Then what can be said as to the fact that on neither side was the divide particularly high and rooflike! It was rooflike there, and nowhere else, so far as the party could see. "And the gap in the hills is very marked.

As they continued their journey the party fell into speculation. Is the poet a seer? Theories of Myers, James and others were canvassed for the explanation. By no possible mathematical calculation of chances, could all the parallels between the poem "The Song of Hugh Glass" and the country of Hugh Glass as the party saw it be accounted for. The situation of the butte alone seemed past belief. No other butte near this butte being just where Hugh could use it for a guide in approaching and as a measure of distance achieved after he had passed it, and remaining visible (barely visible) as in the poem, as Hugh reached the gap between the hills of the divide, The chances for variation were infinite.

Thus meditating until the situation held a touch of awe, one of the group suggested that it would be interesting to see whether a modern man could recapitulate the crawl of Hugh Glass as detailed in Neihardt's poem and another averred that it could be done, that he himself could do it and that to live over the adventures of the old hunter of a century ago, to dream back the conditions of Neihardt's poem might arouse added interest of the young people whom he teaches, in the heroic narrative, might add a further touch of reality to the tale whose wonderful, gripping reality marks it as unique in the poetry of the world.

Whether this shall ever be done or not, "The Song of Hugh Glass" remains one of the most strangely beautiful pieces of literature in any language and its weird beauty is increased by a visit to the wilds where the great feat of Hugh occurred and which Neihardt has so wonderfully reproduced.

GOOD PROGRAMS PROMISED
Holders of the budget committee tickets have some rather unusual treats in store for them this semester, according to Professor Teed. Among the entertainments scheduled are a lecture by a well known scientist, a violin recital, a piano recital, a presentation of the play "Smile Through" by the Redpath Players, a program by the Montague Light Opera Company, and seven moving pictures.

Professor Teed stated that there will be no change in policy by the committee except as regards the management of the Goldenrod, which has been placed in the hands of the Advanced Writing Class. To facilitate handling the crowd, all seats for lecture course numbers will be reserved.

In addition to the programs mentioned above, the tickets cover admission to all football and basketball games played here and a semester subscription to the Goldenrod.

Fortner wants your eggs—adv.

LIVE STOCK PRICES AT SOUTH OMAHA

Corn Fed Beeves Steady—Grassers 10 to 15c Lower

HOGS STILL GOING DOWN

Liberal Receipts of Sheep and Lambs and Values Off Fully a Quarter—Best Fat Lambs and Feeders Sell Around \$12.75 to \$13.25

Union Stock Yards, South Omaha, September 26, 1923.—With 15,000 cattle Tuesday the market held steady on what few corn fed steers were offered but was weak to 10 to 15c lower on practically everything else. Best beeves brought \$11.00 to \$11.25.

Quotations on cattle—Choice to prime beeves, \$11.25 to \$12.00; good to choice beeves, \$10.25 to \$11.15; fair to good beeves, \$9.25 to \$10.25; common to fair beeves, \$7.75 to \$9.00; choice to prime yearlings, \$10.50 to \$11.50; good to choice yearlings, \$9.50 to \$10.50; fair to good yearlings, \$8.50 to \$9.50; common to fair yearlings, \$7.50 to \$8.50; fair to prime fat cows, \$9.00 to \$10.00; fair to prime fed heifers, \$7.50 to \$10.00; choice to prime grass beeves, \$8.25 to \$9.00; good to choice grass beeves, \$7.50 to \$8.25; fair to good grass beeves, \$6.25 to \$7.25; common to fair grass beeves, \$5.50 to \$6.25; Mexican, \$4.25 to \$5.25; good to choice grass heifers, \$5.00 to \$5.75; choice to prime grass cows, \$5.25 to \$6.00; good to choice grass cows, \$4.25 to \$5.00; fair to good grass cows, \$3.25 to \$4.00; cutters, \$2.00 to \$3.10; ranners, \$2.25 to \$2.60; calves, \$4.00 to \$10.00; hologna bulls, \$3.00 to \$4.10; choice to prime feeders, \$3.10 to \$3.25; good to choice feeders, \$2.40 to \$3.10; fair to good feeders, \$1.90 to \$2.35; common to fair feeders, \$1.50 to \$1.80; good to choice stockers, \$7.25 to \$7.55; fair to good stockers, \$6.25 to \$7.25; common to fair stockers, \$5.25 to \$6.25; trashy stockers, \$3.50 to \$7.00; stock heifers, \$4.70 to \$6.25; stock cows, \$2.75 to \$3.75; stock calves, \$1.20 to \$7.50.

Hops Quarter Lower

Some 9,000 bags arrived Tuesday and with both packers and shippers extremely bearish in their views bids and sales averaged close to 25c lower than Monday. Best light weights brought \$7.00 and bulk of the trading was at \$7.35 to \$7.50.

Sheep and Lambs Lower

Receipts of sheep and lambs continue liberal, 24,000 head, Tuesday, and the market continues to weaken. Values averaged about 25c lower on fat stock and nearly that much on feeder grades. Best both are quoted around \$12.75 to \$13.25.

Quotations on sheep and lambs—Fat lambs, good to choice, \$13.00 to \$13.25; fat lambs, fair to good, \$12.00 to \$13.00; clipped lambs, \$12.00 to \$12.75; feeding lambs, \$12.00 to \$13.25; wethers, \$5.00 to \$7.75; yearlings, \$4.00 to \$11.00; fat ewes, light, \$4.75 to \$6.25; fat ewes, heavy, \$4.00 to \$5.00.

WYOMING STEERS TO IOWA FEEDERS AT \$9.25

Top of the range steer market Monday, \$9.25, was paid for three loads of the well known R. Van Tassel cattle from Islay, Wyo. The 67 head at the price averaged 250 pounds. They sold as feeders to an Underwood, livestockman.

SPEAKING OF WAGES IN EASTERN STATES

A correspondent of a New York newspaper recently submitted striking figures, to-wit:

It takes 63 1/2 dozen, or 762 eggs to pay a plasterer for one day of eight hours' work.

It takes 17 1/2 bushels of corn, or a year's receipts from a half acre to pay a bricklayer one day.

It takes 23 chickens weighing three pounds each to pay a painter for one day's work in New York.

It takes 42 pounds of butter, or the output from 14 cows, fed and milked for 24 hours, to pay a plumber \$14 a day.

It takes a hog weighing 175 pounds representing eight months' feeding and care, to pay a carpenter for one day's work.

How is the farmer going to secure the money to improve his home under these conditions? It simply cannot be done. The farmers' produce must be sold on a world's market, and for them to join hands with the unions which have brought about such conditions would be suicide. The farmer's sympathy and influence must always remain with the unorganized common everyday people.