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EX-SERVICE MAN DIES IN ARIZONA

Harry E. Nangle, 30, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nangle, 403 South Eighth St., Norfolk, died at Tucson, Arizona, Tuesday morning.

Mr. Nangle was an ex-service man and served in the eighth aero squadron as a machine gun operator and was stationed at the aviation camp at Waco, Texas. Death was caused by tuberculosis. Burial will be at Wayne, Nebraska.

The above notice brought sad news to Wayne relatives and friends. Harry was born at Wayne, a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nangle, and was nephew of Mrs. T. T. Jones and Mrs. Mary Beckenhauer of this place. Most of Harry's boyhood days were spent at Wayne, but he enlisted when the call came for men from Sioux City, and entered the air service as machine gun operator, and was sent to Waco, Texas for training. He was united in marriage at Pueblo, Colorado to Miss Mary Ryan, who survives him, and is accompanying the body to his old home, where it is expected to arrive Friday.

The funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Beckenhauer parlor. The American Legion will have charge of the services, assisted by Rev. Shick.

THE DISTRICT COURT PRELUDE

Last Saturday there was a session of court before Judge A. A. Welch in which he heard the pleas of "guilty" from those who had been charged with either gambling or illegal sale of liquor, or both, who had given bond in the county court for appearance in the district court for the term beginning Monday. Those listed last week in the bar docket, as defendants against the state, a baker's dozen of them, were in the mill, and the combined bunch were fined \$600 and the costs of the individual cases, and each is permanently enjoined from gambling or selling intoxicants, and if any such violation is reported, and established as a fact to the satisfaction of the judge, they may be held for contempt of court.

F. S. Berry, county attorney in charge of the prosecution said that he had no desire to work a hardship on these men, but that it was his duty to see the law enforced, and that so long as these defendants obey the law, he has no fight with them. Said he had warned them of what was coming, unless they could make up their mind to be good. We hope that this will be the rule these men will follow—and in fact, they will pretty nearly have to be good or suffer the penalty of violating a permanent court injunction.

Joe Baker, charged with having liquor in his possession, withdrew his appeal and settled according to county court verdict.

NOTICE OF CONVENTION

Notice is hereby given by L. C. Gildersleeve, Chairman of the Citizens Party, that a convention is hereby called and will be held by said citizens party at the city hall in the city of Wayne, Nebraska, on the 6th day of March 1924, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates of said party for the following offices of Wayne, Nebraska to-wit: Mayor, City Treasurer, City Clerk, City Engineer, and two members of the Board of Education, and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before said convention.

Immediately following said convention a caucus of the electors of the First Ward of said city will be held at the city hall for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for the office of councilman from said ward, and a caucus of the electors of the Second Ward of said city will be held at Beckenhauer's Undertaking Parlors for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for the councilman of said ward, and a caucus of the electors of the Third Ward will be held at Blair's Clothing Store for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for councilman from said ward. Dated this 25th day of February 1924.

(Signed) L. C. GILDERSLEEVE, Chairman.

MRS. BIANKA BUSTOW SERIOUSLY ILL

Mrs. Blanka Bustow, mother of William and Charles Bustow is suffering from something in the nature of an abscess or carbuncle, and owing to her age of 87 years past, the intense suffering is telling on her strength rapidly. Her many pioneer friends hope for the best.

NORFOLK WINS CLASS A TITLE

Norfolk, Carroll and Chambers annexed premier honors in the north-east Nebraska high school basketball tournament, which was concluded here Saturday. Final round were played.

A faster brand of the cage sport was in evidence in the third days play and dopesters are predicting that some of the Wayne meet finalists will make strong bids in their respective classes at the state tangle next week.

Norfolk defeated in the finals last year, was too good for Scribner and won the class championship by a score of 30 to 18.

Scribner entered the finals a favorite to lose although they upset the dope to beat Winnebago, 28 to 19 in the third round. Stotzel was the deciding factor for the Scribner five in the game with the Redskins, but was held to two baskets by the fast Norfolk team.

Norfolk took Randolph into camp, 24 to 7, Saturday afternoon, in a game which was featured by the shooting Norfolk team.

The Norfolk guards solved Scribner's job pass attack and in spite of the great playing of Stotzel outclassed the Norfolk quintet during most of the game.

A crowd of 75 rooters cheered Norfolk on to victory.

NORFOLK:

G.	F.	P.	
Davenport, f.	5	3	0
Marsh, f.	5	3	0
Malm, c.	4	1	0
Scheffeld, g.	0	0	1
Soram, g.	0	0	0
SCRIBNER:			
Stotzel, f.	8	0	1
Ransem, f.	0	1	0
Zely, g.	3	0	2
Guern, g.	0	0	0
Wjedenvill, g.	0	0	0

Carroll Beats Ponca.

Carrolls snappy little outfit annexed honors in the intermediate class by trouncing Ponca in a well played contest by a score of 16 to 12.

Ponca had little difficulty with Plainview in the semi final tilt but failed to hit their stride in last game. Crofton threw a scare into Carroll in a semi final game by threatening in the last period and Carroll barely escaped with a 20 to 13 victory.

In titular contests Woods, Hollwig and Mills were all hot and hooping them in from past the middle of the court a comfortable share of the time. The box score.

G.	F.	P.	
Woods, f.	1	0	0
King, f.	0	0	0
Mills, c.	3	0	1
Hollwig, g.	2	0	2
Lynn, g.	0	0	0
PONCA:			
Myers, f.	0	1	0
Dunn, f.	0	0	0
McCarthy, c.	1	0	0
Davis, g.	0	1	0
Davis, g.	0	1	0
Schneck, g.	1	1	0

Chambers Downs Bancroft.

The midget Chambers team uncoined an heralded came out of sand dunes and captured the trophy emblematic of superiority in the class C.

They barely crouched out Waterbury by 12 to 10 count Saturday morning but had an easier time with Bancroft that evening. Winning by a 24 to 20 score with Hoffman and the Allen boys exhibiting an almost unbeatable brand of the floor game.

The Chambers team salted the contest away in the first few minutes and although Bancroft staged a desperate rally in the closing minutes it fell.

Bancroft earned the right to compete in the finals by beating Osmond in a well played game by a score of 14 to 11.

Salisbury and Bucklin appeared to be best bets for Bancroft.

BANCROFT:

G.	F.	P.	
Bucklin, f.	5	1	0
Petersen, f.	1	0	0
Callisbury, c.	1	0	0
Miller, g.	1	0	0
Mundelock, g.	0	0	0
CHAMBERS:			
B. Allen, f.	2	0	0
T. Allen, f.	4	1	0
Hoffman, c.	6	0	0
Gibson, g.	0	0	1
Blair, g.	0	0	1

THE SCORES:

CLASS A

First Round

Scribner 25, Wausa 8.
Norfolk 24, Wayne 13.
Randolph 16, Wisner 10.

CHILD SWALLOWS OPEN SAFETY PIN

There were anxious hours at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hawkins of this place when it was discovered that their nine-month-old son "Billie" had unfastened the safety pin with which his bib or apron had been fastened and swallowed it. Hasty preparation and a trip to Sioux City with the little fellow followed, and he was taken to a hospital where the course of the pin was followed with x-ray thru the stomach and bowel. Fortunately the pin started with the closed end in the lead and did not turn in its course.

This morning word came that the pin had finished the journey, and that the little fellow had not been in the least the sufferer. They came home this morning, happy that the accident had terminated without harm.

WED 35 YEARS AGO IN WAYNE COUNTY

Last Friday was the 35th wedding anniversary of August Wittler and Minnie Vahlkamp, and that evening the sons and daughters and their families gathered at his home on Main street in honor of the anniversary of the event. They have seven sons and daughters and eight grandchildren. They were united in marriage in this county and it has since been their home. For more than thirty years they lived on a farm southwest of this town, and moved to Wayne about three years ago. The evening was spent in social way and with games for the little folks.

Before departing a bounteous oyster supper was served. The guests all wish them many returns of the day.

B. W. Wright was looking after business matters at Sioux City Wednesday, going over in the morning.

Winnebago 24, Neligh 15.
Semi-final
Norfolk 24, Randolph 7.
Scribner 23, Winnebago 19.

Final
Norfolk 24, Scribner 18.

CLASS B
First Round
Lyons 16, Bloomfield 8.
Pierce 16, Allen 10.
Carroll 13, Wakefield 12.

Second Round
Ponca 12, Lyons 11.
Crofton 2, Verdigris 0 (Forfeit).
Carroll 16, Beemer 14.
Plainview 15, Pierce 13.

Semi-finals
Carroll 20, Crofton 18.
Ponca 19, Plainview 8.

Finals
Carroll 12, Ponca 6.

CLASS C
First Round
Winside 24, Coleridge 9.

Waterbury 26, Pilger 8.
Fender 29, Osmond 18.
Belden 12, Emerson 10.
Chambers 26, Orchard 8.
Howells 17, Newcastle 7.

Bancroft 21, Battle Creek 15.
Dakota City 16, Laurel 9.

Second Round
Osmond 15, Belden 12.
Waterbury 18, Winside 16.
Chambers 18, Dakota City 5.
Bancroft 15, Howells 12.

Semi-finals
Chambers 12, Waterbury 10.
Bancroft 13, Osmond 11.

Finals
Chambers 24, Bancroft 20.

First Team, Class A
Marsh, F. Norfolk
Stotzel, F. Scribner
Malm, C. Norfolk
Hardin, G. Winnebago
Toelle, G. Wisner

Second Team, Class A
Dennis, F. Randolph
LeMere, F. Winnebago
Seely, C. Scribner
Scheffeld, G. Norfolk
Mildner, G. Wayne

Class B
Woods, F. Carroll
Huber, F. Pierce
Ray, C. Crofton
Heller, G. Carroll
Schneck, G. Ponca

Class C
Hoffman, F. Chambers
Carver, F. Osmond
Von Minden, C. Waterbury
Salisbury, G. Bancroft
Mittlestad, G. Winside

Highest Individual Points
Hoffman of Chambers, 1st, 4 games with 44 points.
Stoelzel of Scribner, 2nd, 3 games with 42 points.

Handsome silver trophies were presented the winners of each class by the Greater Wayne club, a fair sized crowd was in attendance, in spite of stormy weather.

LET WAYNE CITIZENS LOOK AT HOME

While we are taking a long distance view of graft and corruption charged in other and distant places, let us take a look right here at home. Our city election comes soon—the caucuses are called for a week away, only, and we are watching oil and ship subsidy at Washington. We are a long ways from tidewater, and perhaps a long way from oil—that remains to be seen. But just now we are right at home, and against a city election. Who shall we engage to look after our city affairs for the next term?

The present administration admits that they have spent, or invested, more than \$40,000 besides what might be classed as strictly running expenses, in the past two years. It will take a third of that sum for the next year, possibly, if they shall meet the probable demands for light, water, sewer and the like to meet the needs of the growing Wayne, for the place will continue to grow, if the needs are met.

The mayor, the city clerk, the city treasurer and two members of the school board and half the council will have served their time when the first of May comes, and you and I and others must say who will take their places. The terms of Councilmen Bev. Strahan expires in the first ward; Geo. Lamberson in the second and L. M. Owen in third, and from the school board Mrs. E. W. Huse and Mrs. O. R. Bowen.

Members of the present council have been working on the plan of anticipating the needs of the future, and making things pay their way as they come; and have not asked for any bond issue, thus cutting out fully half of the final cost of improvements by cutting out the interest. You may not approve that idea. That is for you to say when you come to vote. You perhaps, prefer to have needed improvements made under the pressure of immediate need, rather than anticipated and met a little in advance. That's another question to consider—the policy of the city.

But what has been done with that \$40,000 which these retiring officers have helped to spend for the city, as well as helped to collect from all of us? Was it wisely spent? Did they get a dollar's worth for 100 cents?

Well, yes—two of them—two wells bored and two pumps, installed and housed and connected with a motor that is controlled from the power house.

To connect these wells with the city stand pipe required the purchase and laying of more than 2,000 feet of 10-inch water main. But it is in and paid for—in fact it is all paid for, and the wells cannot be pumped dry according to the tests repeatedly made.

The pumps have combined capacity of 500 gallons per minute, and there will be no more orders restricting lawn sprinkling because of lack of water, we take it.

Meantime, the demand for light, power and water, which had been growing constantly, began to demand more power to furnish economically, and the matter of a new engine was taken under consideration. The plant was equipped with a small engine and a belt driven generator and a 250 h. p. corless with a 210 k. v. a. generator and it was doing good work—and was economical. So a second and a larger engine of the same type was ordered. This 630 h. p. engine and a 500 k. v. a. generator at a cost of \$11,000 and the installing, and it is running smoothly and furnishing ample power for any and all occasions. Now we are like the man with the big and little cat. He made a big cat hole for the larger cat to come and go thru, and a little cat hole in the door for the little one. Now Wayne can run along and furnish little power, which is all needed at certain hours of the 24—and not waste power—or when needed the power may be increased three-fold with the same help and overhead.

These are some of the outstanding things to be charged or credited to the present officials, and it is for you to say whether or not you approve or disapprove. As a rule, there is no profit in the office, and it is doubtful if any of them would cry if they were asked to remain at home the evenings they have been giving to city work.

The city sold one old engine for a little more than \$1,500, a small, old one. They also have the first engine purchased by the city, a Corless of about 90 h. p. which is still running fine, and is used for the light morning load between midnight and morning, and for the Sunday run when the load is light.

Above is the story we listened to when out asking questions about the city government and hoping to give our readers a bit of information as to what is being done in the way of improvement, and its cost. This improvement has been earned or is being earned month by month at the municipal plant, and there is yet about \$10,000 which is being liquidated at the rate of about \$500 per month, so that within a year this and the additional needed, extensions should be paid for; and then it might be safe to add that we might look expectantly for a reduction of light, heat and power rates.

Do not take this word for it, go and ask—learn first hand and know to your own satisfaction what you want done, and whether or not you are getting all you are entitled to have for the price you pay. But do not neglect to take interest in the caucuses and the election, and let no one put anything over that is not right in your opinion, without a protest.

GOSSARD—SORENSEN

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Gossard, at high noon Wednesday, February 27, 1924, when their only daughter Miss Mabel O. Gossard was united in marriage to Mr. Clarence E. Sorensen. Rev. John Shick performed the ceremony, Miss Elsie Hall played the wedding march, and Mrs. Lyle Gamble sang the song "I Love You Truly". The bride was attended by her cousin Miss Agnes Clark of Craig and the groom was attended by Mr. Ralph Robertson of Oakland.

The bride was prettily gowned in white cinton crepe and carried a bouquet of roses, narcissis and freesia. The house was decorated with the bride's colors blue and white and with roses and fern.

After the ceremony a three-course wedding dinner was served by the bride's mother to thirty immediate friends and relatives.

Miss Mabel has lived in Wayne nearly all of her life, is a graduate from the normal, and has many friends.

Mr. Sorensen is the son of Mr. P. C. Sorensen of Kennard, and has been employed at Coryell & Brock garage for about two years as mechanic.

The out of town guests were: Miss Alma Sorensen, Olla and Andrew Sorensen, of Kennard, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Gossard of Lynch and Theodore Gossard of Bloomfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Sorensen left on the afternoon train for a wedding trip to Omaha, Blair and Kennard. They will be at home in Wayne to their many friends March 15th.

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Notice is hereby given by B. S. Edholm and Carl Madsen, Chairman and Secretary, respectively, of the Civic party that a convention is hereby called and will be held by said Civic Party at the city hall in the city of Wayne, Nebraska, on the 7th day of March, 1924, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates of said party for the following offices of Wayne, Nebraska, to-wit: Mayor, City Treasurer, City Clerk, City Engineer, and two members of the Board of Education, and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before said convention.

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(Signed) E. S. EDHOLM, Chairman
CARL MADSEN, Secretary.

IN DISTRICT COURT

The jury will not be called until March 10th as other cases will take the time of the court this week and next.

In the state cases for gambling four of the defendants, Grant Stinnerman, Ira Cox, John Gunther and Peter Paulson were fined \$150 each and costs, and the others paid costs of their case, and appeared in court the 23rd and consented to permanent injunction, enjoining them from gambling in Wayne county in the future.

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Card of Thanks
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C. C. GOW, NORFOLK.

Monday afternoon Judge J. M. Cherry received a message telling of the sudden death of his cousin, C. C. Gow, which occurred suddenly that afternoon. Mr. Gow and his family have frequently visited Wayne in the past, and have many acquaintances here. Of his death the Norfolk News says:

C. C. Gow, prominent Norfolk real estate and insurance man and member of the firm of Gow Bros., died in his home, 201 North Thirteenth street, about 1 o'clock Monday afternoon. He went home from his office on Saturday with a severe cold, but his condition was not considered critical until Monday. News of his death came as a great shock to his many Norfolk friends and associates.

Besides his widow, he is survived by three sons, Harold, Archie and Ronald and one daughter, Mildred of Los Angeles.

In addition to taking a prominent part in the business affairs of the city Mr. Gow was active in church work.

Mr. Gow was born at Colla, N. Y., July 13, 1864. He attended Cambridge Academy and at the age of 17 years he taught school. In 1883 he attended the state normal school at Albany, N. Y., for one year, but before graduating he accepted a position as bookkeeper in the Blue Springs bank at Blue Springs, Nebraska, in which his brother William J. Gow was cashier. Having served in this capacity for three years, he and his brother formed a partnership in the negotiating of farm mortgages, which business was moved to Norfolk and developed.

Mr. Gow was married to Miss Katherine Temple at Blue Springs, Nebraska, in March, 1886.

ELMER ROGERS ELECTED SUPERINTENDENT AT MADISON

W. B. Ireland, who has been at the head of the city schools at Madison is not a candidate for re-election, and has so told the board that they might know in time to secure a good successor. At their meeting last week they elected E. R. Rogers for the place. Prof. Rogers is at present superintendent of the Pilger schools, and has made good, not only there, but at other places he has served in like capacity. Mr. Rogers is a graduate from this State school, and of the University at Lincoln, and has a host of friends here who will extend congratulations to him.

JUDGE OLESON OF WISNER IS CANDIDATE

Norfolk, Nebraska, February 25.—Judge A. R. Oleson of Wisner announced here that he is filing as candidate for judge in the ninth judicial district. This indicates a four-cornered campaign for that office. Three other candidates have already filed. Judge D. C. Chase who was recently appointed to fill the vacancy made by the death of the late William V. Allen, has filed. So has H. F. Barnhart, federal referee in bankruptcy at Norfolk. Judge Anson A. Welch, the only republican of the four candidates will seek re-election.

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS ORGANIZE AT WAYNE

Sunday afternoon the organization of the Veterans of Foreign Wars was completed at this place. They have between thirty and forty members, and the following officers were elected for the first term: Carl Madsen, commander; John Brisben, adjutant; Eric Thielman, quartermaster; Wm. Assenheimer, officer of the day; Eric Thielman, chaplain; Dr. J. C. Johnson, surgeon; A. L. Swan, Henry Kugler, Fritz Eickhoff, trustees. The post will be known as Woodrow Wilson post.

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JACQUES HAS IT

Our Pleating Outfit

Is now being set up and we can now do all kinds of pleating—Side Pleating, Box Pleating, Accordion Pleating. This is the only pleating outfit in this part of the state.

LET US DO YOUR WORK
IN WAYNE, NEBR.
PHONE 463

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Eggs wanted at Fortners.—adv.
Miss Olive Huse was home from Neligh for Saturday and Sunday.
Mrs. George T. Porter went to Sioux City Friday morning and spent the day.
Mrs. Walter Gaebler of Winside was a Wayne visitor between trains Friday.
Miss Nellie Curren spent the week-end visiting with home folks at Emerson.
The Meridian highway is to be graveled south from Columbus the coming season.
Dr. Young's Dental Office over the First National Bank. Phone 307.—Adv-29-tt.
Rev. and Mrs. Fenton C. Jones, departed Monday afternoon for Rochester, Rev. Jones going to consult the doctors.

E. L. Jones was over from Winside Monday morning on a business mission.
Mrs. E. C. Walters of Emerson was a Wayne visitor between trains Monday.
Jack Denbeck and H. B. Craven went to Sioux City Tuesday morning, going on business.
Miss Charlotte Evans, of the Normal, left Tuesday afternoon for her home at Emerson.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Kostomlatsky, left Friday morning for Omaha and spent the week-end there.
Miss Leila Mitchell was home from Newcastle over week-end, visiting her home folks and taking in the basketball games.
Miss Loretta Gow came from Norfolk Friday afternoon and will visit at the J. M. Cherry home with her cousin Frances Cherry.
Mrs. Nettie Clysdale from Colorado Springs, came last week to visit her sister, Mrs. Jas. Rennick, and plans to make quite a visit.
Mrs. R. J. Miller, who was visiting with Miss Myrtle Lemonier at the Normal returned to her home at Plainview Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Pete Nelson and her sister Mrs. Henry Baker went to Sioux City Monday afternoon, Mrs. Nelson going for an operation.
Mrs. Wm. Hillmar and Mrs. L. Schwartz, who were here for the funeral of Mrs. Brammer, departed Friday morning for their homes at Lytton, Iowa.
Miss Amanda Koerner, of Elkhorn, who spent a few days visiting with Miss Maye Belle Carlson, left Monday afternoon for Crofton, where she will visit friends.
Mrs. Viorth and daughter Gertrude Spangler departed Friday morning for their new home at Sioux City. They have been resident of Wayne for over a year.
Miss Lila Gardner came from Inman to spend Saturday and Sunday at home. She was accompanied from Norfolk by Miss Helen Dolner, who was her guest until Sunday morning.
Misses Sewell and Skavlan county superintendent and county nurse were visiting Hoskins schools Tuesday. They spent the night at Norfolk as the best way to reach Hoskins with roads as they are.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Weaver and Mrs. Jessie Weaver of Oakland who attended the funeral of Ben. W. Davis departed for their homes Friday morning. They were guests at the H. A. Preston home.
Wm. Hennessey, who was visiting with his parents at Carroll, departed Monday morning for Kansas City. He was accompanied as far as Emerson by his sister Miss Katherine and Miss Lillian Demosla.
We are now starting on our third year in Wayne. We furnish all kinds of Cut flowers, wedding bouquets, funeral designs and potted plants. We have all kinds of shade trees, fruit trees, shrubbery and strawberry plants. If you want fresh goods, get them from us. D. Hall & Son, phones, Greenhouse 493, Nursery 486.—adv. F21-10t

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

Roy Brown of Moberly, Iowa, left for home Tuesday following a visit with relatives here.

Mr. Clara Hersh and daughter Emily went to Sioux City Friday morning and spent the day.

Mrs. J. E. Doyle of Ponca who spent a week visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Lewis, departed Friday afternoon for her home.

Mrs. Adolph Rohlf from Winside returned home Tuesday following a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ritze, her daughter.

Ruth Rennick of the Pierce schools was among the former students of the Normal who came at basketball time to visit home folks last week.

Mrs. J. G. Wright, who spent a few days visiting at the home of her son Ed Wright and family returned to her home at Wataugo, South Dakota, Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. August Stalmke, who were here for the funeral of her mother Mrs. Wm. Brammer, departed Monday for their home at Chamberlain, South Dakota.

Prof. Ingham Clark of the Beemer schools was here Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives and friends, accompanying the basketball boys of his school to the games.

Misses Mildred and Margaret Waller left Tuesday afternoon for Sioux City and spent a couple of days there. Miss Margaret is here from Randolph visiting with her sister.

J. Adam Bede, humorist, and Senator Hiram Johnson, of California, were the speakers at the regular weekly meeting of the Omaha Advertising-Selling league February 12.

Misses Olive and Margaret Helt, one teaching at Pierce and the other at Beemer, met at Wayne for a visit and to attend the basketball contests Saturday, returning to their schools Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Carhart departed Tuesday afternoon for Hutchinson, Kansas, going for his health and to visit their son, Dr. Carhart, who is associated with other physicians there in a large hospital.

Mrs. M. Jorgenson, who spent a couple of weeks visiting with her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Johnson and family, left Tuesday afternoon for her home at Omaha. She took her little grandson, Harold Johnson with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Moller, who spent two weeks visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Krempke, and with her brother, Milo Krempke and family, departed Tuesday afternoon for their home at Cheyenne Wells, Colorado.

Rev. E. E. Dillion from York, general missionary of the American Sunday school Union, was here for two weeks assisting E. B. Young, who looks after the society work in this district. He returned as far as Omaha Monday, on his way home.

WANTED—A good, steady, gentlemanly salesman to handle a Ward's Wagon in Wayne county. No experience needed. For full particulars write promptly to Dr. Ward's Medical Company, Winona, Minnesota, Established 1856.—adv. F27-4t.

Senator W. Wilkins, of Emerson, in an address before the Nebraska county treasurers' convention in Omaha the past week, recommended that county treasurers should also be treasurer for cities, villages, school districts and townships in their counties.

E. E. Simpson who spent the past year farming the farm of his brother, M. W. Simpson, left this week for Oakland, Iowa, from which place they came to Nebraska about four years ago. They returned to take up work at their old home, the farm they were on here having been sold.

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

Misses Dorothy Huse, Clara Smothers, Mary Goodrich, Mae Smith, Nelle Gingles, Ethel Staphins, Maude Joseph, Mayme McCorkendale, Lettie Scott and Ruth Pearson left Friday for Omaha where they attended the show of E. H. Southern, and Julia Mariowe, the titles are "The Twelfth Night," "The Taming of Shrew," and "Hamlet."

Prominent surgeons conducting the clinics of the Nebraska section, American College of Surgeons, in session the past week, addressed 1,600 Omaha people at a public health meeting in Omaha Technical High school auditorium, Monday night, February 12. Among those who spoke are Mrs. A. J. Ochsner, M. T. MacEachen and Allan T. Craig, Chicago; Dr. Charles Mayo, Rochester; Dr. A. F. Jonas, Omaha; and the Rev. C. E. Moulhner, S. J. Milwaukee.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bartells went to Carroll Friday and spent the day.

Miss Helen Felber came home from Lincoln for Saturday and Sunday. She is attending the university.

Mrs. Gertrude Sonner went to Sioux City Monday morning and spent the day visiting with Mrs. Alex Scott.

Misses Jennie Nordquist and Lenore Lindsey went to Sioux City Friday morning and spent the week-end.

Miss Josephine Borgett, teacher near Wayne, left Friday morning for Wisner where she spent the week-end.

Miss Susie Souders, teaching at Valentine, spent the week-end with home folks, returning Sunday evening.

Miss Ruth Rennick came from Pierce Friday afternoon and spent the week-end visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. James Rennick.

Miss Mary Lewis from Plainview, where she is of the teaching force, spent Saturday here with home folks and visiting friends at the college.

INTERESTING LETTER FROM KEYAPAH COUNTY

Mrs. Ivor Morris of Norden, but formerly of Carroll, writes of their ranch life near Norden, and word from this lady will be welcome to many.

She writes under date of February 20th as follows:
"Just a few lines to let you know we are still alive and well. We like our new home here. It is quite different than Wayne county."

Our neighbors are not so close together, but a neighbor here is one or maybe two miles or more away. Everyone is friendly and sociable.

We are going on a place by ourselves this year. We have leased 900 acres, mostly pasture and hay. Rent is much cheaper here, quite a bit of farming is done, but mostly stock raising right in this section.

Hay is plentiful and cheap, selling from \$1.00 to \$2.50 per ton, average about \$2.00. Corn is 40c, but of course more at the railroad. It is a two days trip to haul to the road so most of corn is fed here. Not very many pub-

lic sales this winter, sales are mostly held in March and April here, it seems.

I am back in District Christian Endeavor again for a while or until a convention could be arranged, which will be April 4-6 at Atkinson.

We are all often worked for "suckers", but we are not all in official position, so that one working is for all. Denby, as a sucker, let the dome people rob us all a little, and 110 million little makes quite a wad.

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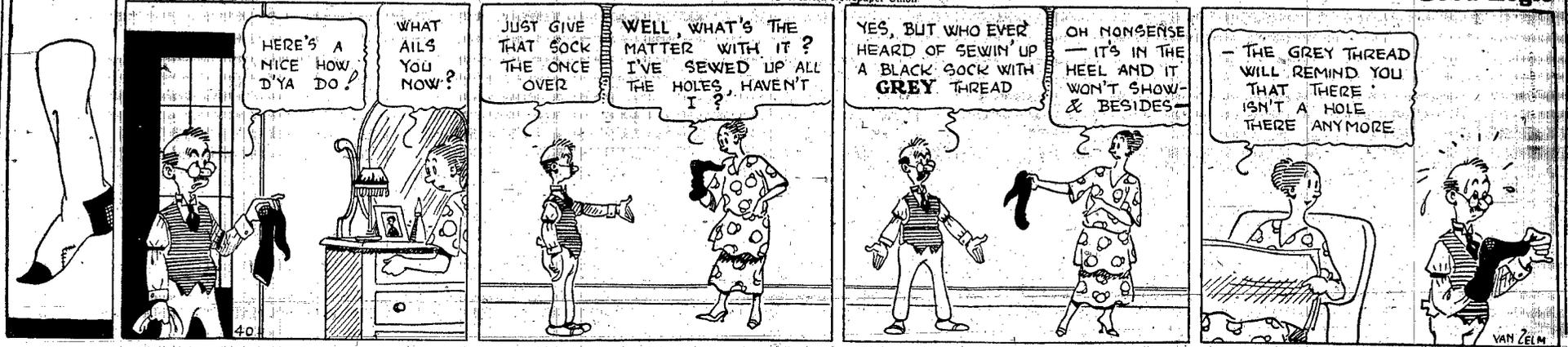
Music Department of State Teachers College

College Auditorium, Tuesday, March 11

8:00 P. M.

Admission 50c

Tickets on Sale March 4th at Wayne Drug Co.



OPERA TO BE GIVEN AT TEACHERS COLLEGE

Rehearsals are being held daily at the State Teachers College, under the direction of Prof. Leon Beery, for the opera, "The Pirates of Penzance, or The Slave of Duty," which is to be presented there Tuesday, March 11th, by the Music Department of the school. The event promises to be an unusually attractive one, especially in view of the fact that it is rather a new venture for the Music Department.

This opera is the work of Sir W. S. Gilbert and Sir Arthur Sullivan, the two Englishmen who have given us also "The Mikado," "Pinafore" and others which have been recognized for many years as the last word in comic operas. There is enough humor in the plot and sparkle in the music to make it highly entertaining, and yet there is not a cheap line in the entire score. Its popularity is attested by the fact that it is produced every year in many places throughout the country.

"Gilbert's delightfully whimsical story tells of Frederic, apprenticed when a child to the Pirates of Penzance who were very gentle to orphans for the reason that they themselves were orphans. Frederic on his twenty-first birthday, is about to leave the Pirates. Ruth, who was formerly his nursery maid, and who has stayed with him through the years, begs him to marry her, and as she is the only woman he has known, he consents. Shortly afterward Frederic meets General Stanley's daughters, and falls in love with Mabel, the youngest. The Pirates capture Mabel and her sisters, but when their father arrives and tells them that he, too, is an orphan, they relent and release them.

"In the second act the General, with a highly exaggerated sense of honor, is lamenting because he has deceived the Pirates by telling them he is an orphan. The Pirate King and Ruth show Frederic the apprentice papers which bound him to the Pirates until his twenty-first birthday, and call attention to their discovery that as he was born in leap year on the 29th of February, he has had but five birthdays, and consequently is still a member of the band until sixteen more leap years have rolled around. A strong sense of duty influences him to return to the Pirates, and also to tell them of the General's falsehood, and they swear vengeance. In an attempt to carry off the General the Pirates are captured by the Police men, but ask for their liberty on the ground that they are really English noblemen "gone wrong." On promising to give up their piratical career they are pardoned, and this releases Frederic, who is now free to marry Mabel."

The cast will include Ralph Robertson as Major-General Stanley, Lawrence Campbell as the Pirate King, Eric Wendt as Samuel, his Lieutenant, Elmer Corbit as Frederic, Nels Georgeason as the Sergeant of Police, Emily Button as Mabel, Eva Clifton as Edith, Ruth Adams as Kate, Genevieve Knox as Isabel and Frances Beckenhauer as Ruth. Members of the chorus will be from the College Chorus Class, and the College orchestra will furnish the accompaniment. Considerable effort is being made and expense incurred to make the performance worth while. Special scenery is being painted and costumes are being rented in order to give the

A RECAPITULATION OF THE OIL EXHIBITS

(New York Herald, rep.)

Now that the Lenroot committee has recessed for ten days it is possible to set in coherent sequence the entire story of the naval oil reserve as thus far elicited. For weeks the public has had one amazing piece of testimony after another flung before it. The evidence has related now to one year, now another. It has swung from 1923 back to 1917, and forward to 1921 again. Not until the facts thus thrown to the surface in confusion are pieced together do all the subtler implications of the scandal become evident.

The setting of the stage for this momentous drama is perfectly clear. On September 2 and December 13, 1912, Naval Oil Reserves Nos. 1 and 2 were created in California; on April 30, 1915, the Teapot Dome reserve was created in Wyoming. This was in pursuance of conservation policies initiated by President Roosevelt. The nation was put in possession of hundreds of millions of barrels of oil which it wished kept as a sure supply in case of war.

With the stage thus set, the drama of the characters began. Late in 1919 the Doheny oil interests employed ex-Secretary McAdoo and the Sinclair interests Archie Roosevelt. Mr. Doheny also obtained the services of ex-Secretaries Lane and Garrison, and Mr. Gregory. At the time no design of either the Doheny or Sinclair interests could have excited any suspicion. But late in 1920 an unnoticed incident foreshadowed future events. A promoter named J. L. Stack represented to Doheny that he could obtain oil leases on the Teapot Dome. Mr. Doheny hired him to make the attempt, and Secretary Daniels stood like granite in protecting the reserves. His policy was to resist private claims or proposals for leases by every possible resource. It is with the change of administration that events come so fast that they can best be indicated in tabular form:

March 6, 1921—Secretaries Fall and Denby are sworn in.

March, 1921 (exact date indefinite)—Fall tells John C. Shaffer (the latter testifies) that he is planning a lease of Teapot Dome to the Sinclair interests, though as yet he has no authority whatever over the reserves. He promises Shaffer that he will ask Sinclair to set aside 200 acres for him.

March and April, 1921—Discussion in navy and interior departments of transfer of authority over reserves from Denby to Fall. On April 25 certain bids for offset oil wells are shelved by navy department because this transfer is imminent.

May 10 and 11, 1921—Fall and Denby confer upon the transfer. Fall drafts a form of executive order for the president's signature.

May 26, 1921—Denby writes to the president recommending insurance of the executive order. He adds: "In candor and in justice to the officials of the navy department having

charge of this particular work I must admit that the suggestion met with considerable resistance from them."

May 31, 1921—An executive order transferring the oil reserves to Fall is issued.

June 2, June 10, 1921—Senator Harold writes President Harding protesting that the president has no authority to make such a transfer. Mr. Harding replies, enclosing a statement by Fall defending its legality.

Mr. Fall's argument on this subject has since been roughly treated by senate lawyers. He cited the transfer, but was later compelled by the Walsh committee to admit that it had no bearing. Congressional leaders now hold that the transfer was illegal. But Harrell's objections were silenced, and Fall plunged into the most repellent part of the drama.

October, 1921—Fall is notified that certain persons wish to buy the Harris land near his New Mexican ranch, covering water rights needed by him. To make the purchase himself he requires 91 thousand, 5 hundred dollars at once, and ultimately 125 thousand dollars. Fall goes to Washington to raise the money.

October, 1921—Fall and Denby confer upon the oil reserves. They decide nothing can be gained by trying to hold Reserve No. 2, and that serious drainage is occurring in Reserve No. 1 (Elk Hills). The bureau of mines advises the government to "secure further data before taking action as to Reserve No. 3" (Teapot Dome). Experts of the bureau disagreed as to whether serious loss by drainage was likely at Teapot Dome, while the geological survey believed it unlikely. Experts testifying before the Walsh committee have indicated that most of Teapot Dome was safe.

November 15, 1921—Fall completes arrangements for raising 1 hundred thousand dollars. He notifies the Harris land owners that he will make the 91 thousand, 5 hundred dollar payment they require about December 1. His subsequent testimony that he obtained the money from E. B. McLean was contradicted by the latter, and it was shown that it was furnished by Doheny.

November 28, 1921—Doheny writes Fall upon details of the oil transaction involving Elk Hills reserve, later leased by Doheny. This letter, conflicting with Doheny's evidence that he had not then conferred with Fall upon the transaction, made a sensation when recently discovered by the Walsh committee.

November 30, 1921—Fall gives Doheny his note for 1 hundred thousand dollars.

December 31, 1921—Sinclair comes to the Fall ranch to confer upon oil leases. Fall, who has just taken over the Harris lands, is entertained on Sinclair's private car.

It is the events just summarized which give point to Mr. Coolidge's promise that if the leases involved any guilt it will be punished. But the leases were still to come.

February 15, 1922—Bids are invited from three oil companies, including the Doheny interests, for drilling Elk Hills reserve and supplying the nation with fuel oil and oil storage tanks in return.

March 1, 1922, or thereabouts—Oscar Sutor, counsel for the Standard Oil company of California, advises the company that in his opinion Secretary Denby has no authority to exchange oil for storage tanks and that it should keep clear of the transaction. Many congressional leaders now assert that Denby lacked this authority.

March 11, 1922—Sinclair buys the claims of Pioneer Oil company and Belgo Oil company to Teapot Dome for \$1,000,000. These claims were generally held to be almost worthless. The federal land office had inquired into them, and the claimants had surrendered their title to the government in hope of getting a lease in return, which had been refused. The Pioneer Oil company, is said to be a subsidiary to the Midwest company, which Sinclair admits was a potential bidder against the Sinclair interests for Teapot Dome. Sinclair has contradicted Walsh's suggestion that the million was "paid simply to get them out of the contract. John C. Shaffer had been made

a present of one-eighth of the Pioneer claim and received part of Sinclair's payment.

April 7, 1922—Lease of Teapot Dome to the Sinclair interests signed.

April 15, April 25, 1922—Bids for Elk Hills reserve are opened in interior department Agreement with Doheny's Pan-American company executed.

April 16 and 18, 1922—Senator Kendrick introduces a resolution asking Fall and Denby whether lease of Teapot Dome is contemplated. Fall announces the lease to Sinclair's company.

The signing of the leases and the Kendrick resolution brought on mutters of protest which foreshadowed the present storm. Within a little more than a year after taking office Fall had obtained control of the naval reserves and bargained away all three. In the growth of this chorus of complaint one element has attracted wide notice. The Denver Post led the attacks on the Teapot Dome lease. After a time these attacks ceased and the publisher has testified that in supporting the claim of the promoter Stack upon the Teapot Dome he received a large payment from Sinclair. But the work of the Lenroot committee quickly riveted public attention.

Certain questions stand out with glaring prominence from this summary of events. Those arising from Fall's money transactions with Doheny and the loan of 25 thousand dollars he received from Sinclair on May 28, 1923, need not be stated. The query whether Secretary Denby had justification for consenting so quickly to the transfer of the reserves, and the subsequent leases, demands urgent attention. Did he make the investigations he should have made before acting? Other phases will not be neglected by the government's counsel. The whole story, told in sequence, is full of unhappy implications.

WANT TO KNOW WHO FOR

J. P. O'Furey of Hartington was in the city Monday meeting voters interested in his campaign for a place as delegate to the national democratic convention in New York City in June. Mr. O'Furey's election is a foregone conclusion and his newspaper fraters know he will make a place for himself in the big meeting. His years of close association with men of affairs in the east will lend him strength not given to many. He is interested in the advancement of the agricultural middle west and will work for a program along that line. He wants to know the wishes of the people of this district and is receiving scores of letters every day as well as meeting as many as he can of these voters. Mr. O'Furey went from here to Humphrey, Columbus and Central City expecting to arrive in Grand Island Thursday for the Nebraska Press Association convention. Norfolk Press.

Well, that may be true, but people tell us that they are not for O'Furey until they know for whom and what he stands, and that letters putting that question have not been satisfactorily answered. After reading his reply, they were still in doubt.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Wayne County, ss.
IN THE COUNTY COURT
In the Matter of the Estate of William H. Merriman, deceased.
TO THE CREDITORS OF SAID ESTATE:

You Are Hereby Notified, That I will sit at the County Court Room in Wayne, in said County, on the 7th day of March, and on the 7th day of June, 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m., each day to receive and examine all claims against said Estate, with a view to their adjustment, and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said Estate is three months from the 7th day of March, A. D. 1924, and the time limited for payment of debts is One Year from said 7th day of March, 1924.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 8th day of February, 1924.
(Seal)
J. M. CHERRY,
County Judge.

Further wants your poultry.—adv.

A CLOUDY ATMOSPHERE
(Niobara Tribune)

While at Wayne during the editorial meet The Tribune editor had a very pleasant chat with one of that city's bright young lawyers. The chat drifted into politics. The writer ventured the opinion, from close contact with Senator LaFollette, that he believed in him, his real Americanism and his sincerity of purpose. "Yes," the lawyer replied, "he is sincere. But I cannot endorse his position upon the supreme court when he holds that it should be curbed in its decisions upon laws enacted by congress—to do this must bring about revolution." The editor agreed that it might do so, but criticism coming from such a source as LaFollette might rectify the dangers into which the laxity of justice is leading, and while it is regrettable that such radical steps are taken against our supreme court, there must be a reason. It must be remembered that the supreme court of this country has had several epochs in its history—one of which brought us into the rebellion. The Dread Scott decision was made possible by a slave-sympathizing court. It resulted in the freedom of the slave. Since then that court has reversed itself due to indignation of the people. It has later deserved criticism because it has dared to overstep the rights of the people by reason of an atmosphere that dictated its course. That it has meant corruption no. But the atmosphere of greed, like that of slavery, has pointed a way to cripple the laws wherein congress has sought to curb greed.

The first great assault has been the attempt to make the Sherman Act a mere name. Does our lawyer friend think that the Sherman Act was fostered by a lot of dullards? Some of the brightest minds and sincere patriots were fathers of that measure. They saw the writing on the wall and attempted to protect the people against a lot of bolshevics of their day. They succeeded until the supreme court of a later period drove in a wedge.

Whether are we drifting? An editorial in the Lincoln State Journal of last Saturday very pointedly directs attention to a present-day infringement upon real Americanism—by Americans.

Warn owners of dangers in carbon monoxide.

WARN OWNERS OF DANGERS IN CARBON MONOXIDE

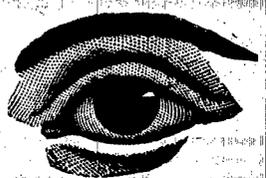
Pittsburg, February 20—By The Associated Press: So many deaths from carbon monoxide, a gas present in the exhaust from automobiles, have occurred throughout the country during the past few months that the Pittsburg station, United States Bureau of Mines, has been prompted to call the attention of the public to its danger.

Seldom a day passes at this season but the death of one or more persons is recorded.

Four rules are given for protection

against deadly effects of poisonous gas, carbon monoxide always present in exhaust from gas driven engines: Never run automobile engine in closed garage; open doors wide. Never crawl under car with engine running, even if car is in open air. Never sit in closed car with engine running, and all windows shut, even if car is in open air; always have window open.

Must seem strange to the old guard of the senate to have to reckon with the insurgents. Senator Brookhart of Iowa, a good republican, was named as the head of a committee to investigate the conduct of Daugherty, has been side tracked for that job by the whitewashers. They might find democrats whom they would prefer to the Iowa senator.



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WAYNE MARKET REPORTS

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

Table with market prices for Corn, Oats, Springs, Roosters, Stags, Hens, Eggs, Butter Fat, Hogs, and Cattle.

It is said that a majority of the
15 republican members of the Ways
and Means committee are afraid to
vote for the Mellon tax bill.

Those who wish to take an active
part in the preliminary contest for
office for the next term, should get
busy. The last day for filing is Sat-
urday, March 8th, and it is none too
soon to let your intentions be known.

Just now dairying is commanding
a rather belated recognition of its
merit as a wealth producing occupa-
tion—and now the question that is
causing worry among those who might
venture is its fear of over-produce-
tion. But that is not likely for ac-
cording to late figures we are im-
porting of dairy products nearly a
half million pounds, so those who en-
ter the game early need have no fear
of a glutted market for the next 50
years, and by that time those who be-
gin now will be rich enough to retire.

President Coolidge. It is claimed, is
greatly worried over the big bills
congress is considering, especially
those for increased pensions. Then
there is the bonus which he classifies
as a pension. We call it a legitimate
debt, and under present plans the
government will get off for more
than 25 cents on the dollar not what
they should pay. We wonder why the
president is not worrying about the
100 million that the Socialists expect
to make from one million investors in
stealing the people's oil, while in
charge of the president. Is that dif-
ferent?

Just like Jonah of old, the safety of
the republican ship of state is en-
dangered by the passenger aboard, and
the demand is for Jonah over the rail.
Just now the attorney general is look-
ed upon as the Jonah to walk the
plank. When Daugherty has been
forced to make the jump, they will
find that many of the criss are in the
same class. The Newberry mess took
nine or ten republicans from the sen-
ate as fast as the voters could get to
them. There will be more to go un-
less reform is apparent. The will of
the people will force resignations, if
the president is afraid to act.

Attorney General Daugherty tells
that he is willing to be investigated
by the senate committee, and seems
to court an investigation of his acts.
He bought Sinclair oil stock before
and after entering the cabinet,
and on some lot as much as 125 per
share, and was trying to get even
perhaps when he sold and bought
Says he never used information that

Advertisement for 333 SELF-REDUCING CORSET, featuring an image of a woman in a corset and descriptive text.

came to him in an official way to
guide his speculations. He was not
asked for an opinion as to the legality
of the leasing, and said the deal was
congenial before he knew of the
lease. Let us hope there may be
for a better officials, not tainted
with oil, assuming that the attorney
general is innocent until proven
guilty.

In Madison county, under the
auspices of the county farm bureau,
a dairy and feeding school will be
held this afternoon at the G. N.
Anderson farm a mile south of Nor-
folk, in 12th street. Dairying in Ne-
braska will be a success, if the peo-
ple will learn and apply it. They
must not expect to secure their big
triumphs the first year or the first
five years, but all of the time we are
learning the best, we can be making
the school pay its way. Some are
afraid that the market will be glutted
if all go to dairying so near at once.
No danger, if we produce quality, for
there are millions of pounds shipped
to America annually from places with
far less natural advantages for dairying
than this part of Nebraska.

MCADOO CANNOT WIN

That is the common verdict of the
National, a magazine of wide circula-
tion with a very careful and conserva-
tive editorial management. Many
believe this, and in fact, there were
many who did not believe that Mc-
Adoo could carry the nomination in
convention before he was accused of
having any thing in common with
those who were trying to grab the
natural resources of the people. Well,
it is known that only a clean man
can hope to secure two-thirds of the
delegates who are to be named for the
next democratic national convention.
The Democrat is still favorable to
Thos. Jefferson Walsh of Montana,
even if he does not want his name
filed as a candidate in the Nebraska
primary. He has done real service
in his investigation, and would we be-
lieve make a real president, if elected.

HIT AND MISS SHOTS.

Saturday, the first day of spring was
a humdinger. Why should the weather
man make such a fuss when the sun
crosses the equator, especially way up
here near the north pole.

The Denby resignation seems to
have been tendered in the spirit of
saving Coolidge's scalp rather than
for any desire to do a benefit to the
country. Daugherty should be moved
to quit for the good of the country.

Denby is to remain until March
10th in official position. Better
watch him or he will leave the navy
to some foe of the people.

The war veterans who were of the
first units in France, members of the
First division, will hold a reunion at
Omaha March 15th. This is to be a
sort of an overflow meeting of those
who cannot go to New York on that
date to attend the reunion of the
real national meet of the First division
forces. They like to see themselves
as others saw them, for one of the
features will be a moving picture of
these soldiers moving and fighting in
France.

The bootlegger is said to take a
great many chances. Not unless he
becomes his own customer.

Getting at the milk in the coconut,
is what Senator Ralston is proposing
to do when he introduces an amend-
ment to the constitution making it
the duty of the government in case of
war to conscript all persons and prop-
erty for the defense of the country.
War is usually brought about by those
who propose to profit from it, while
the patriot goes out and dies for the
speculator's cause. That is the true
remedy.

J. J. Dunn of Omaha admits that
he does not think the repeal of some
socialist law worse, if as bad as the
present tariff law, which sanctions
hundreds of millions of tribute from the public for
the law. It is a vicious principle
which legalizes robbery in this form,
if any other form.

Senator Borah is ready to move to
hasten Daugherty if he fails to come
down. If the attorney general is as
wise as the fox when he saw
Daniel Boone looking along the gun
barrel and pointing it his way, he
too, will say, don't shoot, it'll come
down.

Tennessee Mountain Lewis is re-
ported to put it in this plain English,
and perhaps he is right. There are
no federal soldiers' names will be
submitted to interpretation as repre-
sentation of a legitimate debt.

Senator Reed of Missouri, who
wants to be president, so that mis-
takes will not happen that way again,
expresses the opinion that President
Hoover signed the bill that took
from one department to another of
the names of some old debt holders
under his name and said that they
are all dead.

WAYNE HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The Wayne High school annual de-
clamatory contest will be held in the
high school auditorium Friday even-
ing, February 29. A representative
will be chosen from each of the three
sections of the contest, the oratori-
cal, the dramatic, and the humorous.
The winners will enter the sub-dis-
trict contest of the Northeast Nebras-
ka High School Declamatory Asso-
ciation to be held at Wakefield, March
21. The readers taking second place
in each section will also be named.
The program will begin promptly at
7:30 o'clock. Doors will be closed
during the delivery of selections.
Three judges from out of town are
being secured. The prices of admis-
sion are 25 and 35 cents.

A rally was put on by the "W"
club last Wednesday with Willis
Klekler presiding. The boys' quartet
sang and Ted Milder spoke. The
main speaker was J. H. Kemp. His
topic was "Life", he stressed that we
were back of the team as long as they
played the game "square" and win or
lose we were back of them if they
would give us the best they had. He
showed how the games of basketball
and life were parallel and why the
same rules applied to both.

Miss Nellie Gingles and Miss Mary
I. Gobrich went to Omaha over the
week-end to see the Shakespearean
plays, "Twelfth Night", "Hamlet"
and "The Taming of the Shrew" as
produced by Eff. H. Southern and Julia
Maylowe. They returned Sunday.
Miss Gingles gave an interesting re-
view of the plays before the English
Literature class who at present are
studying Shakespeare's "Macbeth".

The six week examinations were
given Thursday and Friday of last
week, reports will be given out Thurs-
day of this week.

The Juniors have chosen "Mary's
Millions" as their class play to be
given March 28th. The Senior's play
will be given May 2nd, the play has
not been definitely decided upon as
yet.

Mrs. Smith, State Representative of
the Y. M. C. A. spoke to the boys
of Wayne High school Monday after-
noon on the Older and Younger Boy's
Camp Sheldon near Columbus.

The Declamatory Contest will be
held Friday night, February 29th in
the high school assembly room. The
program will begin promptly at 7:30
o'clock. The price of admission will
be 25 and 35 cents.

Melvin Eicher left school Monday
morning. He and his mother, Mrs.
Anna Eicher will make their home
in Columbus.

Mrs. Mae Young and Miss Pearl
Young visited the first grade the latter
part of last week.

Mrs. E. E. Kearns was a caller in
the second grade lately.

Mrs. K. Allan was a visitor in the
kindergarten last week.

The Carnival

A carnival consisting of side shows
in which all of the freaks of nature
will be shown. Historical events
brought down today and an Orpheum
program will be given at the high
school building March 14th.

If a lion can be obtained Mr. Jacob-
son has consented to be the lion-tamer
for he says he tames all of his wild
animals with smiles. Mr. Jacobson
says that he would rather tame lions
than answer silly questions.

The Orpheum program will consist
of pieces of the day, acrobatic stunts
by famous acrobats imported for the
occasion, musical numbers by famous
musicians, dancing by people of re-
nown.

Miss Hanson will have charge of a
bunch of Hawaiians who will play
sacred songs on the ukelele. Miss
Goodrich is attempting to train a
Peruvian parrot to quote Shake-
spear as Southern does, but is having
some trouble as Polly's previous train-
ing is bad. Mr. Brown is working
with some world famous boxers.

In addition to mental treats, food
will be served at various stands. A prize
will be served at various stands. A prize
girl and to the homeliest man in a
beauty contest to be conducted at the
beauty parlor.

Basketball Notes

The high school basketball team
was eliminated in the first game of
the Northeast Nebraska tournament
last week by the fast Norfolk quintet,
in what was considered one of the
fastest games of the entire series.

The Wayne team led Norfolk the
greater part of the first half, and
played them off their feet, showing a
brand of basketball that is seldom
seen or shown by a high school team.
However, they were unable to main-
tain the lead, as they were of a light-
er build and generally smaller, and
as they showed that they had not
kept up their training as they should
have. The final score was 22-12,
which was a closer score than any
other team which went to Norfolk.
Norfolk was able to maintain.

This Friday the team journeyed to
Wayne where they will meet at last
and well organized quintet on a large
scale. The game will be held at the
gymnasium in the high school.
The high school has a large
team in most of their games it can
hardly be called a first-rate team.

Large advertisement for Ford cars with the headline 'Have you ordered your Ford?' and text about delivery and dealer information.

ing the teams which were played, and
also the brand of basketball
which was put up. Of course a team
which refuses to train consistently is
unable to stand up against a team
which is careful, and if we have such
a team they should be condemned, but
the team and the school both hope
that the town is with them in their
last game of the season.

Cosch Brown is planning on organ-
izing a baseball team this spring if

present plans work out, and if there
are enough of other teams in the
immediate vicinity which are to be
organized.

A TIN WEDDING OBSERVED

Sunday being the 10th anniversary
of Henry Hinrichs and Arvena
Volgts, about ten families, mostly re-
latives, gathered at their farm home
northeast of Wayne and helped them
celebrate the event. It was a very

happy party, and the hours were spent
in social chat. The visitors brought
abundant provision, and there was no
lack of good things to eat at the pro-
per hours. Some few presents, suit-
able for the occasion were bestowed
upon the worthy couple. It was a
happy bunch who bid their host and
hostess good night as the day closed,
and wished them many other anni-
versaries of their glad wedding day.

Advertisement for Dr. Rich, Rectal Specialist, featuring a portrait of the doctor and text about piles and a coupon for free information.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

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

Chas. Denesia from Carroll was looking after business at Wayne Tuesday.

Mrs. Kroger of Winside was a Wayne visitor between trains Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Chinn of Wakefield visited between trains with their son C. R. Chinn and wife Wednesday.

Wm. Benson went to Sioux City Tuesday morning and spent the day there, looking after business matters.

Mrs. Robert Pritchard and Mrs. Frank M. James of Carroll were Wayne visitors Tuesday, spending the day here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. James, who have been living at Carroll for several years, have moved to their farm near that place.

A showing of new and popular spring footwear for the ladies and children is now to be seen at the Mrs. Jeffries Style Shop—adv.

Mrs. Harold Bonta, who was here visiting with her mother Mrs. J. E. Dennis returned to her home at Carroll Wednesday morning.

Mrs. O'Neill who spent a couple of days visiting with her sister Mrs. J. E. Dennis, returned to her home at South Sioux City Wednesday.

The Barnard self-serve grocery was closed last Friday, some one taking the stock on a mortgage, as we understand, and closing it out forthwith.

Word comes from Morningside that the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Auker is afflicted with something in nature of a paralysis, affecting the legs.

Five tons of dynamite has been sent to Schuyler to be used in breaking ice jams in the Platte river at that place and save the Union Pacific bridge.

Carl Madsen was at Sioux City Tuesday, and visited the son of Carl Beck, who underwent an appendix operation there last week. The lad is doing well.

George Fortner is at Sioux City today adding to his stock of flour and feed and seeds. Said he was getting low, and that would not do at this season of the year.

Dr. Vail has just received a new complete outfit for testing eyes, and is now better prepared than ever to attend to your eye troubles. The Dr. always wants the best.

Do not miss the Friday and Saturday sale of coats, dresses and spring hats at Mrs. Jeffries this week. The spring showing is now arriving at its best, and you will want to see the latest—adv.

John Irvin of Franklin has invented an overhead cam shaft that is attracting attention, and Henry Ford has asked Irvin to come to Detroit with the idea. Perhaps Henry wants to buy it. Perhaps Irvin can swap it for a "Ford".

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Way went to Sioux City Wednesday morning and spent the day.

D. D. Tobias was a Wayne visitor this mid-week, and went on to Sioux City this morning.

Miss Ada Cash, who has been visiting relatives at Niobrara returned to Wayne this week.

Ray Robinson went to Sioux City this morning to visit Pete Larson, at the St. Joseph hospital.

Mrs. Emma Wilson and daughter Isadore, were Winside visitors between trains Wednesday.

C. C. Petersen of the Wayne Cylinder shop was looking after business at Sioux City Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Parker went to Winside this morning to help her brother and family move.

Mrs. Peter Iversen and Miss Johanna Jensen of Winside were Wayne visitors between trains this morning.

Mrs. Ed Ellis is shopping at Sioux City this week, and visiting at the home of her son, going over this morning.

Nels Nelson and wife have this week moved to the John Bingold house on Main street between 6th and 7th streets.

Leslie Ruebeck and Loren Wright departed Wednesday for Los Angeles, California, where they will spend a short time.

Mrs. Warren Shultheis returned Monday from Elgin where she visited her sister Mrs. Stanley Hoffman over the week-end.

Mrs. R. E. K. Mellor returned home from Elgin Wednesday where she has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Stanley Hoffman.

Mrs. Dean Hanson of Concord, came last evening on account of the serious illness of her grandmother, Mrs. Blanka Buetow.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rennick and sister Mrs. Nettie Clysedale went to Wakefield Wednesday morning and spent the day. Mrs. Clysedale is here visiting from Colorado Spring.

Farmers will be interested in reading of the offering of Hampshires on another page, telling what E. F. Shields will sell Saturday the 8th of March, at the Wayne pavilion.

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Fortner wants your eggs—adv.

John Barnard was called to Atlantic, Iowa, the last of the week, to attend the funeral of a niece, who passed away at that place.

Mr. Ramsey and family, who are moving to Wayne from Pierson, Iowa, will have apartments in the John Barnard home. Mr. R. is a barber, employed at the Mabbott shop.

John Kay is today moving, vacating the residence he built about 18 months ago on 6th and Logan streets to M. W. Simpson, who purchased the place several months ago, to have possession March 1st. It is a very good modern home.

Mrs. J. M. Soden went to a Norfolk hospital Tuesday evening for examination, thinking an operation might be necessary. But the diagnosis indicated that she might escape that ordeal—at least until other treatment had been given a trial.

Mrs. Loreta Harmer from Onawa came the first of the week for a short stay here, and left Tuesday afternoon, accompanied by her son Joe, who will have examination by a specialist at Onawa and remain for a month treatment, if thought necessary.

At the state editorial meeting at Grand Island last week the Herald of this place was awarded a silver cup for the best editorial entered in the contest by the papers of the state. The editorial was published October 4th, under the title, "What of our Civilization."

Wm. Libengood and family left Monday afternoon, starting on their trip to a new home at Alliance, Ohio, where Mr. L. will be employed in a factory. Their first half day took them only to Emerson, where they stopped to visit his sister. They plan to make the trip by auto and may find some bad roads at this season of the year. They have rented a farm house in the outskirts of the city, with 60 acres of what is called land—but it is not their purpose to farm the land, except a garden patch, for they do not feel that they would care to farm in that country after farming here for ten years. The owner of the place said if they wanted to farm it, he would furnish the fertilizer and put fences in order. But they could rent this good, large house and the land a mile from the town for less than they could rent a house in town. That seems to indicate that farming in that part of Ohio is not first choice of many.

247 TEAMS NOW SEEKING HONORS

Lincoln, Nebraska.—Nine playing floors will be used in staging the annual Nebraska high school basketball tournament to be held in Lincoln March 6, 7, and 8.

The entry list to the cage carnival was boosted to 247 teams Wednesday when seven additional entries were received.

Herb Gish of the University of Nebraska athletic department and general manager of the tournament, announced Wednesday that floors selected for the tourney games are coliseum, armory, chapel, Y. M. C. A. Bancroft grade school, Whittier Junior high (2), Lincoln high school (2). The city auditorium will be ready in case of emergency.

Forty-minute intermission periods at noon and 6 p. m., have been included in the schedule. In previous years, the tourney grind has been continuous from 8 a. m. to 11 p. m.

The executive committee in charge of the tournament will be W. J. Braham of North Platte, chairman of the Nebraska high school athletic association; W. G. Brooks of York, secretary of the N. H. S. A. A.; A. M. Nelson of Auburn, member of the high school control board; H. D. Gish, Lincoln, general manager.

Coach W. G. Kline of the University of Nebraska basketball team will have charge of the committee on referees. Campbell Swanson will direct the reception committee while John Selbeck will head the finance committee.

The executive committee will have entire charge of the tournament play. All protests regarding classifications must be filed in writing with the manager of the tournament at the athletic office prior to noon, Thursday, March 6, in order to be considered. All protests regarding a game that has been played must be filed in writing with the manager of the tournament at the university athletic office not later than one hour after the game has been played.

Rules of the tournament provide that if any player is expelled from any game because of unnecessary roughness or fighting, he will not be permitted to participate in any further games without the consent of the board of control.

CEADLE

BAIER—Sunday, February 17, 1924, to Alfred A. Baier and wife, a son.

RITZE—Monday, February 18, 1924, to Carl Ritze and wife, a son.

JUHLEN—Tuesday, February 12, 1924, to George A. Juhlen and wife a daughter.

VAHLKAMP—Saturday, February 9, 1924, to August W. Vahlkamp and wife, a son.

SOCIAL NOTES

The Business and Professional Woman's club held their regular meeting Wednesday in the science building at the Normal. There were thirty-five present. Miss Maude Joseph told about her trip to Alaska four years ago and showed lantern slides of the county and of the city of Juno. She told of the wonderful plants, flowers and vegetables they raise there, said that the mountains would be covered with snow and in the valley it would be warm. She also told of the funny fogs they have there. She used a ship as an illustration; on the upper deck of the ship the sun would be shining and on the lower deck fog would be so dense they couldn't see and would have to stop the ship. For the close of the program they went to Prof. Britell's room and enjoyed a radio concert. They voted to give Mrs. H. A. Preston a present for the valentine dinner she entertained them at. The next meeting will be a program at the Royal Neighbor hall March 12.

The Altrusa club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Art Norton. Mrs. F. E. Brock and Mrs. W. C. Martin gave interesting papers of the City of Washington, as it was when it was new, and as it is now. Mrs. Earl Merchant followed with a description of Memorial day and expressing its meaning to the nation. Mrs. Adams told of the island of Corsica, the birthplace of Napoleon. At the close of the meeting the hostess served delicious refreshments. Mrs. Anthony was guest. The club will entertain their husbands at a card party this evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blair. The next regular meeting will be Monday, March 10, at the home of Mrs. Eric Thompson.

At the H. F. Wilson-home Monday afternoon Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. E. S. Blair entertained the Acme club and the U. D. club members. A playette was presented by Misses Helen Mendenhall, Mabel Britell and Winifred Main, called a "Mechanical Jane". It was very much enjoyed. Mrs. Anthony of Wausa was a guest of the club. The hostess assisted by Mrs. Frank Wilson of Winside served a two-course luncheon. The Acme club will meet next Monday at the home of Mrs. Walter Weber.

Misses Helen and Elsie Thielman entertained about twenty-five people Sunday evening, in honor of their father Frank Thielman, the occasion being his birthday. The evening was spent playing cards and with victrola music. The hostess served very delicious refreshments. At a late hour the guests departed for their homes all reporting a joyous time and voting Helen and Elsie royal entertainers and wishing Mr. Thielman many more happy birthdays.

The members of the Monday club were entertained Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. A. Chace. A selected magazine article given by Miss Elsie Ford Piper was the lesson of the afternoon. Mrs. Hunter and Mrs. F. G. Philleo were guests. The hostess served delicious refreshments. The club will meet next Monday at the home of Mrs. Winifred Main.

The Woman's club will meet March 8th, at the community house. Program is as follows: Mrs. J. G. W. Lewis will have a paper. A demonstration by the boy scouts under the direction of A. F. Gulliver and Mr. Brown. Refreshments will be served. All mothers of the boys are especially invited.

The Rural Home society have an all day meeting today at the home of Mrs. Clarence Corbit. One o'clock dinner was served by the hostess. Had a musical program and a reading. This is their regular monthly meeting.

Mrs. L. A. Fansie was hostess to the members of the Coterie Monday afternoon. Mrs. W. E. Jenkins was leader of the lesson on Current Events. The hostess served popcorn. The club will meet next Monday at the home of Mrs. E. E. Fleetwood.

The 100 club held their regular social meeting Tuesday evening at the Community house. The evening was spent in dancing. Refreshments were served.

The A. Z. Chapter, P. E. O., will have a business meeting for election of officers, Tuesday March 4th at the home of Mrs. V. A. Senter.

The Alpha Woman's club will meet Monday evening at the home of Mrs. B. W. Wright for their regular meeting.

The Minerva club will meet for their regular meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lackey.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church are meeting at the home of Mrs. C. H. Hendrickson this after-

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WEST OF THE STATE BANK ON 2ND STREET

noon. The afternoon is being spent with sewing. A committee of ladies served refreshments during the social hour.

WAYNE NORMAL BEATS WESTERN UNION, 40-17

The Wayne Normal college "Wildcats" defeated Western Union college of LeMars, Iowa, here Saturday afternoon in a basketball game by the score of 40 to 17. The contest was played before a packed gymnasium at which the high school basketball teams contending in the tournament here were guests of the college. It was Wayne's 20th victory of the present year.

The Wildcats led from the start with the half ending 24 to 7. Captain Best of the victors was the scoring star with seven field goals and four free throws. Holtzapfel starred for the losers with four field goals.

Score at halftime: Wayne, 24 to 7. Referee—Carmen of Nebraska.

STOCK SHIPMENT
Sioux City Market

Edwin Ritze, car hogs.
L. C. Gildersleeve, car hogs.
Will O. Meyer, car hogs.
Omaha Market

Wm. Wrobel, car cattle.
Adolph Meyer, car cattle.
Chicago Market

Wm. Harder, car cattle.

THE CANDIDATES

The following have signified their willingness to serve their state or county by filing for the primary election:

Grant S. Mears, republican, for lieutenant governor.
August H. Wittler, republican, for representative.
A. A. Welch, non-partisan, for district judge.
J. M. Cherry, non-partisan, for county judge.
L. W. Ellis, republican, clerk of district court.
C. E. Belford, Carroll, republican, for sheriff.

FREE LECTURE AT NORFOLK

The First church of Christ, Scientist, Norfolk, Nebraska announces a free lecture on Christian Science by George Shaw Cook, C. S. B., of Chicago, in the high school auditorium, fifth street and Pasewalk Avenue, Sunday afternoon, March 9th at 3 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

EGGS FOR HATCHING

From big strain White Rock flock, the kind that produce big eggs and many of them. Priced \$3.00 per 100. John Vennerberg, Wayne, Phone 424-F11—adv. F28-4t-pd.

March Bargains in Wayne Homes

Wayne has shown more growth in the past few years than any of our neighboring towns—not a boom but substantial improvement, and you can now have opportunity to secure a few desirable places here at real bargain prices, because some people change plans.

Here Are Two Specimen Offers:
and there are others:

A residence completely furnished, near college, nice location. Eight rooms, double garage, and no paving. Price with furniture \$5,000.

Special

Brand New House, 6 rooms, a strictly modern home in every respect, not far from Normal at exceptionally low price taken soon.

Also list of other desirable residences.

B. W. Wright

Phone: Office 53 or Res. 330 Wayne, Neb.

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A Home For Sale

For the good reason that we have a larger house than we now need and too much to care for in idleness, the undersigned offer their home place, a 9-room house, in good central location, corner of 7th and Main streets, lot is 150x75, with front east and south, slopes nicely to the two streets. Fine shade trees, and little fruit.

The house is modern except furnace, and is piped for that when desired. It so arranged as to make a good home for family wanting Wayne home, or will pay its way, and the cost of purchase if purchased for renting furnished rooms.

The lot will be divided, if one wants only house and lot 100x75 feet. Will sell for less for lot and house than the house can be built for today. Is well-made house, white pine thruout, new roof, hardwood floors and many desirable features.

For more particulars, apply to owners.

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"HIS FATAL WEAKNESS"

(Editorial by Senator La Follette in La Follette's Magazine.)
As president of the senate, Vice President Coolidge on April 28, 1922 heard presented on the floor of that body practically every important charge which has since been substantiated by the public lands committee regarding irregularities in the naval oil reserve leases. He came into office with these facts in his possession and thoroughly advised of the efforts of Senators Smoot and Lenroot to "put the soft pedal" on the Teapot Dome hearings. He made those senators two of his close advisers. He entertained Mr. Bohney, who gave Mr. Fall a loan of 1 hundred thousand dollars, and who has testified that he expects to make 1 hundred million dollars profit from one of the leases obtained through Mr. Fall, as his personal guest at the White House.

Evidence which is available to the committee and which should be developed, will show that Atty. Gen. Harry M. Daugherty, who was well known to the public in connection with the Morse pardon-scandal and numerous other notorious cases prior to his appointment to the cabinet, is in no position to prosecute the pleaing "grab" or any other fraud against the government.

President Coolidge assigned Mr. Daugherty to appoint an "observer" for the committee hearings. More recently President Coolidge's campaign managers have selected Mr. Daugherty to stand as Coolidge delegate in the approaching presidential primary in Ohio.

Whatever the sincerity of his disposition to punish those guilty of actual crime in this transaction, the fatal weakness in the position of President Coolidge is that in his public policies and in his political associations he is closely allied with the Sinclair, the Standard Oil and railroad magnates and other monopolists in control of the government.

A HELP TO FARMERS

On January 29, the directors of the United State Steel corporation declared an extra dividend on the corporation's common stock. The regular dividends at the rate of 5 and 7 per

cent were paid on the preferred stock. The extra dividend was based on an increase of nearly three millions in net earnings of the corporation for the last quarter of last year as compared with the previous quarter.

With the steel industry so extremely prosperous the way is clear to bestow upon agriculture some of the relief which everybody admits it needs but nobody seems to know how to provide. The government finds itself unable to increase the farmer's income. It will help the farmer just as much to decrease his output and here is an obvious chance to do this.

This highly prosperous United States Steel company is being in effect subsidized at the expense of the infinitely less prosperous farmers. In spite of the fact that on as high an authority as that of Andrew Carnegie this country can produce iron and steel at less cost than any other country, we are now excluding imports by high duties. This permits our steel companies to maintain artificially high prices here. Farmers pay heavy consumers of iron. Their machinery, fences, buildings call for iron. The high freight rates they pay are partly the product of the price of steel rails and the metal in locomotives and cars.

It should be obvious to congress now that one of the simplest of all ways to help the farmer is to relieve him of the burdens of government-inflated iron and steel prices. The United States Steel company was worth \$400,000,000 in 1901. Its tangible assets grew out of profits in the next twenty years to \$1,318,864,513. It has done very well and this extra dividend just now discloses that it is still doing well. Very evidently there is no further need of taking money from hard-pressed farmers to sustain the prosperous steel industry. State Journal.

HENRY FORD ON TAXES

(World Herald)
"There should be nothing political about taxes," says Henry Ford, with his accustomed lack of wisdom and understanding when discussing political matters. For taxes, as every one knows, are political and nothing else. They are the fruit of government alone. The power to levy and collect taxes is the greatest power that gov-

ernment exercises, short of the power to declare war and to conscript men to fight and die in war. And this power is political. Politics rears government, gives it authority, determines its policies.

"It is time," continues Mr. Ford, "we started to think of taxes in terms of cost of living." Strange that Henry Ford has been a citizen so long, a voter for forty years, and never discovered that this very thing was the basis for every democratic campaign against a high protective tariff. Strange, he himself has never been moved to denounce high tariffs for this same reason. Strange that it is only when he comes to consider the surtaxes paid by those who, like himself, are enormously wealthy, that the influence of taxation on the cost of living impresses him.

In 1921 the total of income taxes, surtaxes included, paid on incomes of 1 hundred thousand dollars and upward, was hardly more than 2 hundred million dollars. If that whole sum were plastered upon the cost of living it would be only five per cent of the increased cost of living due to the Fordney-McCumber act. And the income axes go into the public treasury. But the four billions of increased cost due to the tariff go into the treasuries of the protected interests.

The tariff, alongside the surtaxes, is a giant compared to a puny dwarf. Where the surtax may possibly add a nickle to the cost of living the tariff adds a dollar. Why is Henry Ford, our richest man, so concerned about the one, so indifferent to the other?

MOTORISTS TO HELP MAKE ROADS SAFE

Pledges Taken by Twelve Thousand Motorists

Major A. A. Stewart, of New York City, recently formed what is known as the Argus Association, composed of motorists all over the country who are willing to take the pledges of the association as to safe driving. These pledges are:

1. To be always ready for any emergency by keeping my eyes on the road and my thoughts on what I am doing.
 2. To particularly watch out for curves, crossings, and bridges.
 3. To always keep my car under perfect control.
 4. To keep the brakes and steering gear in good working order.
 5. Never to take a turn without care and warning to drivers of other cars.
 7. Never to cut off another car unless I am positive that there is ample space.
 8. Never to stop in a narrow place on the road if by doing so I inconvenience the drivers of other cars.
 9. Never to start out from the curb without making sure that the road is clear.
 10. To consider the safety and comfort of the other car's occupants as well as my own.
 11. Never to try to save a minute or two of time if by so doing I am risking the life of a human being.
 12. To obey all the rules of the road as laid down by law or common sense.
 13. If I do not drive my own car, to require my chauffeur or members of my family to live up to these principles.
 14. To be always careful, vigilant, courteous, and thoughtful—a gentleman of the highway.
- More than 12,000 motorists are stated to have taken this pledge.

PRIMARY ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 8th day of April, 1924, at the usual voting places in each precinct of Wayne County, Nebraska, a primary election will be held for the purposes of expressing a preference, if desired by each political party, of a President and Vice President of the United States.

For the election of one committeeman and one committeewoman as members of the National Committees of the several parties.

Also for the election of four delegates at large and two from this the third congressional district to the National Convention for each of the respective political parties, and for a like number of alternates.

For the nomination by each political party of candidates for the following named offices:

- One United States Senator.
- One Congressman for the Third Congressional District.
- One State Senator for the Eleventh Senatorial District.
- One State Representative for the Forty-fifth Representative District.
- One Governor.
- One Lieutenant Governor.
- One Secretary of State.
- One Auditor of Public Accounts.
- One Commissioner of Public Lands and Buildings.
- One State Treasurer.
- One Attorney General.
- One Railway Commissioner.
- One Sheriff to fill vacancy.
- One Clerk of District Court.
- One County Assessor.
- One County Commissioner for the

Second Commissioner District.

Also for the election by each of the political parties of Delegates to the County Convention by precincts, which County Conventions will be held at the Court House at Wayne on Thursday, April 24th, 1924 at 3:00 o'clock p. m.

Also for the election by each of the political parties of two members of the County Central Committee from each precinct, one man and one woman.

Also the non-political nomination of two candidates for Supreme Judge from this the Third District.

Also the non-political nomination of four candidates from the Ninth Judicial District for Judges of the District Court.

Also the non-political nomination of two candidates for County Judge.

Which primary will be open at eight o'clock in the morning and will continue open until eight o'clock in the evening of the same day.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 13th day of February, A. D. 1924.

(Seal) CHAS. W. REYNOLDS, County Clerk.

NOTES FROM WASHINGTON

Washington, D. C.—All the world loves a brave man. Two of the bravest men in all the world are here in Washington at this moment. One of them is Senator LaFollette, of Wisconsin, and the other is Senator Walsh, of Montana. People who have not had opportunity to study the political game at close range cannot know how great was the degree of courage necessary to sustain LaFollette and Walsh in the efforts to lift the lid of Tea-Pot Dome. Today I am recalling how LaFollette was lambasted by all the newspapers which write the language of Big Business when, in 1922, he gave the country the first tip as to possible corruption in the Tea-Pot. At that time he did not receive much assistance in the senate, and President Coolidge, who was then presiding over the senate as vice-president, took such small interest in the matter that he now says he doesn't even remember when the LaFollette charges were laid before the senate. All the credit for putting the first fire under the Tea-Pot belongs to LaFollette, but the credit for feeding the fire and making it boil corruption out of the Tea-Pot is all due to Senator Walsh. Without LaFollette the 1922 movement to investigate the navy Tea-Pot would not have been made. Without Walsh the fire which was started by LaFollette in 1922 would not have been sufficiently replenished to make the Tea-Pot boil over. Some day the school children of America will read in their history text books a story of the bravest Americans who ever lived, and two of the central characters in that history story will be Senators LaFollette and Walsh.—Edgar Howard.

MANY SENATORS IN RACE

Lincoln, Nebraska, February 26.—Fifteen present state senators are seeking re-election according to returns made yesterday to the secretary of state's office from the different districts. Among those who have filed for renominations are Senators McGowan, Madison county; Wilkins of Dixon; Behrens of Cumings; Meacham of Saline; Illian of Boone; Allen of Dawson and Kroh of Keith, Republicans; Banning of Cass; Gumb of Dodge; Reifernath of Knox; Thielon of Platte; Purcell of Custer, and Fries of Howard, Democrats. Seven members of the lower house also seek renomination.

UNITED STATES COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA NORFOLK DIVISION.

In the Matter of Herbert Jenkins Bankrupt. Case No. 357.

In Bankruptcy.

Voluntary Petition.

On this 23rd day of February, A. D. 1924, on filing and reading the petition of the above named bankrupt for his discharge hereto, it is

ORDERED, that the 1st day of April, A. D. 1924, be and the same is hereby fixed as the date on or before which all creditors of, and all other persons interested in said estate and in the matter of the discharge in bankruptcy of the said bankrupt shall, if they desire to oppose the same, file in my said office in Norfolk, Nebraska, in writing, in opposition to the granting of said discharge, and also, within ten days thereafter, file in my said office specifications of the grounds of said opposition.

WITNESS my hand thereto, at my office in Norfolk, Nebraska, the day and date herein first above written.

H. F. BARNHART, Referee in Bankruptcy.



Improve Palatability of Roughage for Dairy Cows

The farmer who has much low-grade and unpalatable roughage which he must feed may find in molasses a means of greatly improving the ration for his live stock. It has been found when roughage is moistened with diluted molasses animals greedily consume it.

Ordinarily cane molasses contains about 65 per cent sugar, 32 per cent protein, 61 per cent mineral matter and 25.7 per cent water. Being low in protein, it should be used in place of corn or similar feeds. It seems to have practically the same feeding value pound for pound as corn, where it replaces a part of the corn in the ration, in spite of the fact that it contains more water.

This is probably because cane molasses has characteristics lacking in corn. It is even more palatable and more digestible than corn. In addition, it is slightly laxative and is frequently used as an appetizer and conditioner. Like linseed oil meal, it has the power of putting the sleek, glossy coats upon animals, which are a sure indication of good health and vigor.

Cane molasses can be fed to all classes of farm live stock except young calves. With them it causes scouring. Its best use, however, is for animals adapted to eating roughage, especially cattle and horses.

For these animals, the molasses may be diluted in proportion of one part by weight of molasses to three parts of water and then sprinkled over the roughage or silage. Corn fodder should, however, be chopped first. Feeders avoid the chief difficulty in using molasses by feeding it in this manner. When given undiluted, the thick, sticky nature of the molasses causes practical difficulties. No benefit will be obtained from feeding molasses to cattle or horses unless each receives from one pint to one quart, or from one and one-half pounds to three pounds a day. A larger amount can be fed, but usually not more than five or six pounds should be given; otherwise it loses its superiority over corn as a feed.

Dairy Cows Need Water in Sufficient Quantity

The failure to supply cows with plenty of water is responsible for many a poor milk yield. Milk is largely water, regardless of all the pleasanties that have centered about the dairyman's pump. A cow must have water in sufficient quantity to produce milk just as a steam engine must have water with which to make steam. It is shortsighted dairy economy which skimps on one of the least expensive of the many essentials that contribute to the making of milk through processes that center in the bovine anatomy. A western dairyman, whose pump got out of order, was unable to supply drinking water in the stanchion cups in the stable for about a week. Milk production from his herd fell off 7,700 pounds, representing a loss of over \$100. Another dairyman, whose equipment did not include stanchion cups, tried the experiment of giving his cows an extra drink of water while they were in the barn. In five days his cows were making six cans of milk daily instead of five. The extra labor was well spent and showed a handsome profit. High producing cows in particular need a great deal of water. Experiments have shown that for each 100 pounds of milk produced some cows will consume from twice to almost three times this weight of water.

Filling Silo in Winter is Profitable Practice

The best way to get full value out of corn fodder and at the same time utilize to the fullest extent the capacity of a small silo is to refill with cut corn fodder during winter as often as the silo is empty. The dairy department of the Iowa State college has found that, while this kind of silage is not as good feed as real silage it is so much better than common corn fodder that the expense and trouble of filling is paid for many times.

Run the dry cornstalks through the silage cutter, blow it into the silo along with a ton of water for each ton of the cut fodder, and pack it some. A fermentation and softening of blade and stalk occurs, and when the feed comes out it is eaten almost as completely as ordinary silage, otherwise stock will not eat half the dry fodder, and the manure full of long stalks is hard to handle. Be sure to use plenty of water. Remember that the fodder is dry and the stalks lack the juice that goes into the silo when corn is cut green.

To Secure Maximum Milk Production Give Water

To secure the maximum milk production, cows must have plenty of fresh water and salt, according to A. C. Regedale, of the Missouri College of Agriculture. Cows in milk require on to twelve gallons of water daily, while high producing cows will drink even more. When cows are receiving succulent feeds they will naturally drink less water than those on dry feed exclusively.

South African Women Wear Smart Millinery

An interesting word picture of millinery modes in South Africa is given in a bulletin of the Retail Millinery Association of America by Mrs. Amy Adams. Among other things, she tells of the use of ostrich feathers by "smart" women there, some of these plumes running nearly a yard in length. "Milliners in Cape Town and Kimberly make most attractive displays," she writes. "They also take the greatest possible pains to suit the features of their clientele, and build the hats accordingly. No one seems to wear a home-made hat, as there is no attempt to instruct the amateur to make her own chapeaux. The result is that the 'tout ensemble' of an afternoon gathering is surprisingly smart.

"Shapes are identical under the shadow of Table Mountain with those worn in New York, but they seem more lightly wired and of a softer buckram. Just now, in the height of their summer, very light colors are in vogue. These are usually faced with dark silk, or even velvet, which serves to give a little shade in the glaring sunshine.

"The South Africans believe in supporting home industries, so that really magnificent ostrich plumes, at least 24 inches long, adorn the more 'dressy' hats. They circle the crown completely and drop down the right side. Each flue and tip of these plumes must be perfect and the long blades sewed or arranged by a master hand. No apprentice can manage them. With specially designed hats nothing can achieve more flattery than the white plumage which is so popular. 'Horse-hair or very light-weight straw is the material of their foundation."

Scientists Use Colors to Combat Insects

Men of science over Cambridge way in England put their heads together and then take time out to announce to a pestered world that mosquitoes favor navy blue above 16 other colors. Reporting further on the effect of colors, the scientists say that mosquitoes are unanimous in their aversion to yellow, and that they shun light blue almost to a mosquito. One observer says that house flies are indifferent to colors; another is positive that flies avoid pale blue and settle freely on white. A sense of color and a sense of smell are possessed by many kinds of insects, notably bees and butterflies, according to Darwin, Lubbock and other naturalists of the last century.

Just as we were dazzled with the idea of baffling the stings and arrows of outrageous insects by the trickiness of our apparel, or maybe even riding the earth of the busy boll weevil by some smelly lure, along comes the esteemed Engineering Foundation with a dissertation on combating mosquitoes by means of fishes, especially young ones. The most useful species for that service, so the announcement of the Foundation says, are the common sunfish, the mud minnow, and the killifish. Competition and struggle for existence in the mimic world. The minnow plays Goliath to the mosquito's David. Lay on Macquisto—and d—d be Goliath if he cries "Hold; Enough!" A sting may outdo a sting. Watch your fins, Mr. Killifish.

Guarding Our Animals

The vigilance of the United States Department of Agriculture was impressed upon Thomas A. Fife, of Missawaka, Ind., when two deer shipped to him from Canada were recently held up in Detroit by a United States government veterinary inspector for the lack of a certificate from a Canadian official veterinarian. Government regulations covering such shipment require that the animals be accompanied by a certificate stating that the area from which they come is free from contagious diseases and has been so for a period of 60 days immediately preceding the importation. The certificate must be signed by a veterinarian of the Canadian government.

Predicted Power by Radio

Dr. C. P. Steinmetz, whose development of electrical science brought him to a place of eminence in the scientific world, said shortly before his death that those adults of today who lived to a ripe old age would see electric power transmitted by radio over a distance as far as from Chicago to Canton, China. He emphasized the word "power" and said much of the world's work would be done by radio when it was fully developed.

All the Same

Simkins considered himself a humorist. He sent a selection of his original jokes to the editor of a newspaper and confidently awaited a check. His excitement ran high when he received a letter, obviously from the newspaper office.

He opened it with feverish haste. There was no check, however, just a small note, saying:

"Dear Sir—Your jokes received. Some we have seen before; some we have not seen yet."

Might Be Elsewhere

"I knew your daughter was keen on classical music, but that's a popular song she's singing, isn't it?"

"Not in this house," was the gloomy reply.

Travel Inducement

American—I suppose your son thirst after knowledge led him to travel in Europe this winter?

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS		
Wayne, Nebraska, February 19th 1924.		
Board met as per adjournment. All members present.		
Minutes of meeting held February 5th 1924, read and on motion duly approved.		
Comes now George T. Porter, County Assessor, and appoints Clyde Oman, Assessor for the City of Wayne for the year 1924.		
Comes now Anson A. Welch, Judge of the District Court, and by order modifies the Mothers Pension allowance of Irma Brown from \$20.00 to \$10.00 for the reason that one of the children is not now dependent upon said mother. Said allowance of \$10.00 to date from February 26th to April 20th, which is duly approved, and the county clerk is ordered to draw warrants pursuant to said order.		
The resignation of C. W. White, as Assessor for Wilbur precinct, is hereby accepted.		
Report of the Soldiers Relief Commission from December 13th 1922 to February 11th 1924, is examined and on motion duly approved, and which report read as follows:		
Balance on hand December 13th 1922	\$232.61	
Collections by warrant on county fund	600.00	
Total	\$732.61	
Disbursements for aid:	236.00	
Balance on hand February 11th 1924	496.61	
Comes now the Soldiers Relief Commission and makes an estimate of the probable expense for aid for the year 1924 at \$800.00, which is on motion duly approved.		
The following claims are on motion audited and allowed and warrants ordered drawn on the respective funds as herein shown. Warrants to be available March 1st 1924.		
General Fund:		
No.	Name	Amount
285	State Journal Company, supplies for Co. Clerk \$74, Co. Treasurer \$8.90 total	9.64
288	August Whittier, rent for Court House	296.80
290	Remington Printing Co., supplies for Co. Clerk	1.50
297	Anderson Mercantile Company, groceries for D. Funk	26.97
295	F. H. Benahof, registrar of births and deaths for 4th quarter 1923	8.25
297	Chas. W. Reynolds, postage for January	10.60
298	Chas. W. Reynolds, certificates to State Department	1.00
299	University Publishing Co., supplies for Co. Superintendent	5.24
300	Klopp Printing Company, supplies for Clerk District Court	18.00
302	A. H. Carter, registrar of birth and deaths for 4th quarter 1923	7.25
304	E. O. Walle, registrar of births and deaths for 4th quarter 1923	7.25
306	N. H. Hanson, registrar of births and deaths for 4th quarter 1923	5.00
308	Mrs. C. F. Montgomery, registrar of births and deaths for 4th quarter 1923	7.75
312	Nebraska Democrat, printing	96.63
317	K-B Printing Company, supplies for Co. Clerk	110.00
319	K-B Printing Company, supplies for Co. Clerk	2.34
Automobile or Motor Vehicle Fund:		
No.	Name	Amount
311	Frank R. Schulz, dragging roads Commissioner District No. 1—Erlebein	2.25
313	Chas. Thun, dragging roads Commissioner District No. 2—Rethwisch	9.00
Road District Funds:		
No.	Name	Amount
301	Steve Davis, road work Road District No. 35	4.00
279	True Prescott, road work Road District No. 41	5.85
280	Harry Prescott, road work	2.80
281	Dale Prescott, road work	6.00
282	Edward Prescott, road work	6.00
310	Herbert Kittel, road work Road District No. 55	10.80
285	John Reichert, re-decking bridge Road District No. 61	2.50
315	Fred Jochens, grader work Road District No. 64	5.00
Laid Over Claims:		
General Claims:		
133	for \$52.50, 1043 for \$46.65, 1923	
2200	for \$20.00, 2354 for \$20.00, 1924	
273	for \$3.00, 274 for \$6.25, 275 for \$30.00, 276 for \$5.40, 277 for \$7.20, 278 for \$42.60, 283 for \$19.50, 284 for \$33.69, 287 for \$5.25, 289 for \$47.12, 291 for \$14.70, 292 for \$7.20, 294 for \$331.67, 296 for \$28.60, 305 for \$32.81, 307 for \$22.50, 309 for \$22.12, 314 for \$24.92, 316 for \$7.55, 318 for \$6.00, 320 for \$7.00.	
Commissioner District Claims:		
157	for \$54.00, Commissioner District No. 1—Erlebein	
302	for \$13.00, Commissioner District No. 2—Rethwisch	
2633	for \$123.78, Commissioner District No. 3—Miller 1923	
Whereupon Board adjourned to March 4th, 1924.		

CHAS. W. REYNOLDS, Clerk.

DAIRY FACTS

Give Strict Attention to Feeding Dairy Cows

"In order to get economical production, farmers must pay strict attention to the feeding of their dairy cattle during the winter months, for feeding comprises more than one-half the cost of producing milk," says the dairy specialist at the New Jersey State College of Agriculture. "Home-grown feeds are the cheapest feeds the dairyman can get, and roughages, even at the high price of hay, are the cheapest of home-grown feeds. Alfalfa, clover and corn silage are the best milk producers; yet mixed hay and stalks can be fed to advantage if they are present on the farm.

"Those who have a supply of corn ears are fortunate. Corn and cob meal should furnish the basis of the ration. By the purchase of bran or oats and a few high protein concentrates a good milk-making ration can be compounded according to the following recommended proportions: Ten pounds of alfalfa or clover hay, 80 pounds of corn silage with all the bright stalks the cow will clean up daily, together with 600 pounds of corn and cob meal, 300 pounds of bran or oats, 200 pounds of gluten, 100 pounds of cottonseed meal, and 100 pounds of oil meal. The cost of this mixture will vary, depending upon local prices.

"If neither alfalfa nor clover hay is available it will be necessary to double the amount of linseed or cottonseed meal. If no silage or succulent feed is being fed, linseed meal should be substituted for the cottonseed meal. It is advisable also to feed beet pulp at the rate of three pounds per cow if silage is not available. The beet pulp should be fed when in a soaked condition.

"There is a distinction between cottonseed meal and cottonseed feed. Cottonseed feed contains a large proportion of hulls and has a very inferior feeding value, and should not be purchased if cottonseed meal can be bought.

"It is always poor economy to underfeed dairy stock; feed them enough to keep them in a good, thrifty condition. Cows in milk should be fed all the roughage they will eat and, in addition, one pound of grain daily for each three and one-half pounds of milk they give each day."

Uniform Laws Urged to Stop Spread of Disease

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

At the recent World's Dairy congress, held at Washington, D. C., Dr. John R. Mohler, chief of the bureau of animal industry, United States Department of Agriculture, suggested to the delegates that efforts should be made to obtain some uniformity in the laws of the various countries regulating international trade in live stock. Some move of this sort is needed now, said Doctor Mohler, because of the great extent of international trade in live stock, and because of prevalence of destructive animal diseases in many parts of the world.

Certain fundamental features which probably would be desirable for all countries were brought out in the statement made to the delegates. It was suggested that each country engaged in domestic and foreign commerce in live stock and its products should establish a competent veterinary service, and failing to do this should have no right to expect its animals to be received in other countries; provisions should be made to prevent the spread of contagious diseases in the country, the introduction of infection from abroad, or the transmission of diseases to other countries; and there should be an international co-operative system of exchange of information in regard to animal health in the various countries.

All Insanitary Dairy Practices Unprofitable

Below are listed a few practices which are insanitary, injurious and unprofitable for the dairy farmer:

To milk cows that have dirty flanks and udders, so that at every movement of the milker, dirt falls into the milk pail.

To milk with wet hands, so that the milk, saturated with filth, falls into the milk pail.

To use separators and utensils which have not been thoroughly sterilized and aired.

Pouring freshly separated cream into previous skimmings before cooling.

Keeping cream in root cellars, pantries, kitchens, stables, back porches or in any room where bad air exists.—L. K. Crowe, Animal Husbandry Department, Colorado Agricultural College.

Rapidity Is One of Big Essentials in Milking

Tests have shown that rapidity is one of the essentials in milking a cow. Massaging the cow's udder with the hand excites nervous action which in turn stimulates action of the milk glands. The more rapid the massage movements, the greater is the nervous stimulation of gland action, and a greater amount of milk will be yielded. Not only is the quantity of milk increased, but the faster the milk is drawn the richer it is in bacterial

Cruel Punishments of Pupils in Other Days

All the youngsters, whatever others may do, will approve the dismissal of the school teacher who dismissed a six-year-old boy as a punishment, says Girard in the Philadelphia Inquirer.

The "cruel and unusual," so to speak, has almost vanished from the public schools.

Dr. J. George Becht, our Pennsylvania state superintendent, can recall when that was not the case.

The little gray schoolhouse—it rarely could afford to be painted red or any other color—was then heated by a big square stove which burned cord wood.

One mode of punishment was to make a boy stand upon a piece of wood on the floor, which required nice balancing and soon became a torture.

That was less punishment, however, than another often adopted. A boy or girl was made to hold a heavy book with outstretched arm.

Try that and see how heavy even the lightest-weight novel becomes in ten minutes.

One form of school punishment has not changed.

It is a common practice in Philadelphia to "keep in" boys and girls after school hours.

Wearing the "foolscap" or standing in a corner with face to the wall is still occasionally used as a corrective measure.

Doctor Becht can also remember when it was not uncommon for a teacher to compel a boy to bend over and keep his hands on the floor—a form of torture thought out by a real genius for deviltry.

At that time a man would attain a reputation for severity of discipline which would make him famous, or rather infamous, over an entire county.

Method Devised to Detect Renewed Eggs

A new deception practiced on the consumers of eggs is now attracting considerable interest from the United States Department of Agriculture which, by the authority of the food and drugs act, insists that the product of the hen when sold as fresh must be fresh and not merely look the part if it is to enter into interstate commerce. Large quantities of eggs are now preserved by first dipping in hot oil to seal the pores in the shells and are then immediately placed in cold storage. There is no objection to the practice, but recently it has been found that a number of egg concerns have been treating these eggs on removal from storage so as to give them the appearance of having been laid lately.

The treatment to remove the telltale oil gloss consists in "manicuring" the shells with a blast of fine sand or in treating them with a bath in an alkali solution, after which they are dried and rubbed with French chalk or talc.

Chemists of the department have devised a method for detecting eggs which have been treated with oil and then subjected to the restoration process.

Brands Fruits and Nuts

One of the most recent applications of electricity to agriculture is the device which will brand various kinds of fruits and nuts with the grower's trade mark. It operates on current obtained from an ordinary electric lamp socket and is set next to the grading belt in the packing shed. The product to be marked rolls from the belt onto a miniature escalator which carries it over electrically-heated dies. These are kept at such a temperature that they will melt the natural wax in the peel or rind of the fruit and when thus prepared, other dies imprint the desired trade mark. The electrical fruit brander is now being used on oranges, water melons, apples and pecans to prevent substitution of inferior products for advertised brands.

Nothing Serious

A budding doctor gave a youth some excellent crimson lozenges and told him to chew them for the purpose of relieving a cough. In the afternoon he called and administered a gargle. The result startled him.

"My goodness!" he exclaimed, "You are bleeding internally!"

He was so agitated that the patient had to laugh. Upon recovering he explained: "That wasn't blood, doctor; just the crimson lozenge."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

All It Was Worth

A Scotsman who had just been married asked the parson what was the fee.

"Well," was the reply, "there is no fixed fee. Pay what you think it is worth."

Whereupon the bridegroom handed him one shilling. The parson took it, glanced at the bride, and handed back fourpence change.

Fell Into a Trap

"So this fine little baby is a girl?" beamed the rector, as he walked round the baby show.

The proud father assented.

"And this other one—is it of the contrary sex?"

His wife's eyes were upon him, but with no thought of the wrath to come he replied blithely:

"Yes, sir, she is a girl, too."

Made a Difference

"A man is never older than he feels," declared the ancient bean, bravely.

"Now I feel as fresh as a two-year-old."

"Horse or egg?" asked the sweet young thing brightly.

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

By Mary Graham Bonner
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IN THE WOODS

The great trees of the woods were talking. It was dark and cool and still and only the moon shone through from time to time just to see that all was well and to hear a few words of what was going on.

The branches of the trees swayed a little for Mr. Wind was paying visits about and as he hurried along he was saying a how-do-you-do to all his friends and they were answering him.

"Before long the spring will be here. It is a little while off as yet, but before long it will come," said one of the evergreen trees. "It will be beautiful then."

"Buds will appear and blossoms and soft delicate leaves and then lovely strong green leaves will be the result."

"But I am glad we are of the great woods and of the evergreen family."

"Ah yes, that is the best of all."

And then Mr. Moon peeped in and said:

"May I tell you a story?"

The deep woods were all aflutter with excitement. Every one of the big, magnificent trees, and the shorter,



The Lovely Dark Green Trees.

strong, splendid little green trees waved and swayed a little with the joy they were to have in a story told them by Mr. Moon.

"Yes," Mr. Moon continued, "and it is a true story."

"Won't you sit down, Mr. Moon?" they asked. And every tree moved to settle down on their branches.

But Mr. Moon winked his eye.

"I'm too big, I thank you kindly, but I'll just look through while I stay on my sky perch."

"I speak as though I were a bird, don't I? But I'm not. I fancy you all know that."

The great trees laughed in their low, soft voices, and a murmuring air of music was heard throughout the forest. It was the echo of the laughter in the great woods.

"Last Christmas," said Mr. Moon, "I was about in my usual way, looking at this and looking at that, and I particularly noticed the city streets."

"For some time around the Christmas holidays the streets in so many places were lined with Christmas trees for sale."

"They were everywhere. And they had been brought for miles so that the city could have some Christmas trees for decorations."

"Everyone looked so happy and of course I could see how they would admire the lovely dark green trees."

The trees of the great woods bowed politely at the compliment.

"But I found out what made the people even happier than looking at the trees."

"That was being able to have a real whiff of the deep woods."

"They took long, deep breaths of it and they smiled."

"Yes, for just a little, little while the woods had gone to the cities and the people in the cities were happy with a great, great happiness."

"Some had lived near the woods when they were young. Others had never known anything save the cities and pavements and the lights of many stores, and they loved this beautiful fragrance of the woods, which is the loveliest fragrance in the world."

"Once again the trees of the deep woods bowed and Mr. Moon added:

"I know, too. I know the world pretty well, you know."

That made the compliment even finer and the trees bowed and swayed again and then they sang a song:

We rejoice that we
On our family—
Gave joy this year
And also cheer—
When they went to the city;
For they said, 'Tis a pity
For town people to miss
The fragrance of this
Which we bring from afar.'
So we rejoice that we
On our family—
Gave joy this year
And also cheer—

"Ah yes, they gave great cheer and great joy," said Mr. Moon, "and they made the people so happy. And I knew you'd like to hear of their reception in the cities so I told you this story—which is a true story as I said."

"And the trees of the deep woods were happy with a great happiness that their fragrance had been taken to the cities for a time."

Prayed for His Aunt.

A little fellow, in saying his prayers one night, entreated a blessing on his aunt, who was dangerously ill, and gravely concluded with these words: "And, please, God, don't forget her address. She lives at 99 Blank street, on the third floor to the right."

WAVES ARE MADE TO ORDER

Ingenious Machine Devised That Produces Billows and Whitecaps on Placid Lake.

It appears that "all kinds of waves" are now made to order and that one can order any one of a half dozen varieties of waves, produced by an odd-looking bit of machinery devised for the purpose.

Some of the six or seven varieties of waves are: The gentle, rolling billows; the short, choppy kind; the whitecap variety, and big ones resembling the ocean waves. Each of these, it is reported, can be manufactured at will merely by manipulating the four plungers of the machine in different ways. For instance, if you want the long, rolling billows all you have to do is to cause the four plungers to work in unison. They plunge into the water all at once and cause the big swells. If the short, choppy wave is wanted the plungers are worked independently of each other. Two up and two down gives the whitecap sort.

This curious machinery, which makes perfect waves, was invented to convert placid lakes at summer resorts into lakes with real live waves and make bathers think they were enjoying a real Atlantic or Pacific surf—at least while the machinery was working, for as soon as the electric motor is stopped the water resumes its placidity. It appears that these waves can be made all day long for thousands of bathers and at comparatively little expense. It is said that a dollar a day is the cost of operating the electric motor that drives the machine.—Washington Star.

QUEEN PHOTOGRAPHED IN BED

Marie of Jugo-Slavia Has Pictures Taken With Her Infant Son.

British women are deeply interested in the publication in all illustrated newspapers of pictures of the young queen of Jugo-Slavia lying in bed with her infant son, the heir to the throne.

This is the first time that a monarch's consort has been photographed in bed, and it is also the first time that a queen has been photographed with her hair flowing loose over the shoulders, and also the first time a king has been shown sitting at the royal bedside holding a baby in his arms.

Queen Marie, a beautiful young brunette, is seen wearing a nightgown adorned with a costly lace necktie. She is also pictured with a magnificent pearl necklace as she lies in a plain brass bedstead with the infant crown prince pillowed in her left arm.

Another photograph represents the heir's grandmother, the queen of Rumania, fondling and kissing the Balkan prince.

What appeals particularly to society leaders here is that while stage beauties invariably are tastefully marcelled when subjected to the camera, in bed or out, the queen of Jugo-Slavia consented to admit the photographer before her maid had even brushed her hair.—Robert J. Prew, in a London dispatch to the Chicago Herald and Examiner.

Deciphering Charred Documents.

In most detective stories incriminating papers are destroyed by being burned and the baffled detective or other interested person is therefore unable to learn their contents. But a method has now been discovered of reading the writing that was on a document. The charred paper is placed in contact with a fast or medium plate for a week or two in the dark and the plate then developed as usual. There appears to be an emanation that affects the plate except where the charred ink acts as a protective coating. It is curious that films need a much longer contact than plates, and that sometimes the effect is reversed unless the film is previously washed and dried.

Lady Book Agents

Tradition tells us that the sibyl brought to Tarquin nine books of prophecy. These she offered him at a price which he refused to pay. She then burned three books and offered the remaining six for the same price. Again he refused and again she burned three books, offering the remaining three for the original price. Then he accepted.

"It's that way with lady book agents," declared Uncle Pennywise upon hearing this story. "Some has one scheme and some has another, but they always sell the books."

For Just One Hotel.

In furnishing a hotel recently erected, 37 miles of carpet were laid on the floors of the guest rooms and corridors, while 25,000 pounds of horsehair were used to stuff the bed mattresses. To obtain 7,000 pounds of feathers and down for the pillows, 90,000 geese were killed. If this number of living fowls were formed into columns four abreast, the line would be two miles long. Marching in "goose step," at a normal speed, the host would be three hours and forty-one minutes passing a given point.

Where the Surprise Comes In.

The stranger, after studying the fountain bill of fair intently, approached the proprietor and said: "I see that you advertise conspicuously what you call a Cantaloupe Surprise."

"Yes," admitted the druggist, "I do."

"What is the surprise?"

"The surprise comes when you cut the cantaloupe. I myself never know what it is going to be."

SIMPLE SALLIE

By MOLLIE MATHER
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SALLIE'S white lawn dress may have been out of place among all the modish evening gowns at Aunt Gwen's party, but Sallie's rosy, country-bred cheeks rivalled the many rouged cheeks which accompanied these city gowns. The musicians, screened behind conservatory palms, were wonderful; their music tempted Sallie's small white-clad feet to trip the living room floor.

"My dear," said Aunt Vera, "you are not to give an exhibition of dancing, though your original impromptu happy style is admirable. Geraldine here, will take you in hand, and later, introduce you to pleasant partners."

"I will not be able to dance with the partners," laughed Sallie, "because I am untaught. Perhaps Miss Geraldine will inform me about aunt's guests. You see," she explained to the young woman who took her in charge, "my Aunt Vera takes me for a trip every year to get me out of the village rut, she says. We stopped over here at Aunt Gwen's on my way home."

"I am much interested," Miss Geraldine Trainer returned, "in your Aunt Vera's rare pearls. They say that the necklace belonged to royalty before the war. And her diamonds! Of course, Mrs. Wainright is a very rich woman."

"Very," Sallie agreed. "And unfortunately, or fortunately, she has no heirs. So, my humble self is to be named legatee. That's why Aunt Vera takes me away once in awhile, to learn how to spend. In my own home we have been taught mostly how to save."

Sallie glanced up alertly. "Who, she asked, 'is that tall, striking man, looking in our direction? He has been really staring for some time. Does he know you, Miss Trainer?' Geraldine shook her head. "I think," she said slowly, "I may tell you a secret; your Aunt Gwen just confided it to me. The distinguished stranger is a house detective, sent on to keep guard over your Aunt Vera's famous necklace—and other jewels."

Geraldine was carried away on the arms of a dancing partner, and courteously, diffidently, the stranger approached the seat where the girl in her simple white frock waited. The stranger's tone was pleasing. "May I," he asked, "present myself, in a lack of a better means? Mrs. Spaulding, our hostess, and I believe your aunt, told me that I might find you here. Mrs. Wainright is at present engaged. I think—the man drew aside his dress coat slightly to show a shining badge, "you may be aware of my errand here tonight. I'm from the city agency—private detective."

"I understand that you travel with your aunt, Miss Spaulding, and may be able to assure me that the pearl necklace of great value is wisely placed. I am glad that Mrs. Wainright is not wearing the jewel. The brilliance of the diamonds she is wearing is quite—" the officer shook his head, "noticeable enough. We are constantly hunting down the watchful seekers of such plunder."

Little Sallie smoothed her crisp muslin skirts and looked shyly beneath veiling slashes into the sharp eyes so tensely regarding her. It seemed that the dark-eyed gaze grew penetrating, boring glimt-wise into her consciousness. Sallie caught her breath. "Of course," she said, "I'm from a small country town, and cannot know much of the value of jewels. But aunt's pearl necklace is quite safe. No one can possibly deprive her of it."

"I see," the man remarked quietly, "they have a safe here in the house, though Mrs. Spaulding made no mention of the fact to me. I inferred that her visiting sister kept the jewels carefully concealed in her present room, the guest chamber opening from the conservatory. Still, one may not be too careful. I hope my safe theory is correct. I must question Mrs. Wainright."

Still the agent lingered. Suddenly, little Sallie laughed. "I am tempted," she said, "to tell you a secret. In fact, I think it only right you should know—in your line of business. The reason no one may deprive aunt in taking her necklace, or even the gleaming rings you see, is because the real necklace of value, and the diamonds of value are safe in her home city. These that she adorns herself with during her travels are but clever imitations, duplicating the originals. No one but an expert could possibly study out the difference. Yet, one of your watchful thieves, Mr. Officer, would have his paws for the sake of a mere nothing. So, if I were you, I would look after the belongings of other guests, and not worry over Aunt Vera's shining ornaments."

Sallie arose; so did the dark-eyed stranger. "Would you like," she asked, "to go with me to interview aunt and look over the clever imitations?"

"Later, perhaps," the man agreed. He bowed; Sallie went on her way. She found the telephone room beneath the stair. "City Detective Agency?" Sallie asked the number she sought. "No," a voice came back; "we sent no detective out to the Spaulding home. There was no request for one. The man with the fake badge is an impostor. We've been looking for him as the jewel thief. Be right out—try to hold him."

Hold him? Little Sallie knew that her inquisitor would already be gone. "But anyway," she told herself, "though I had to do a little lying—'Simple Sallie' beat his game."

CAT TAUGHT TO SPARE BIRDS

Pet Has Been Instructed as to Right and Wrong by Patient Mistress.

Although cats in New York state are blamed for killing millions of birds annually, there is a cat in Monsey, near Suffern, Rockland county, that, according to her owner, has been taught not to harm birds.

"When we moved into the country," said Mrs. Raymond A. King, to the New York World, "we found living about the grounds phoebes, sparrows, wrens, catbirds, humming birds and bluebirds. What was my horror the very first morning to have our big old mother cat, which is almost human and had been taught to respect our canary's rights, lay a sparrow at my feet?"

"I took Mrs. Pussy in my arms and talked in exactly the same strain I would to a child. I took her out on the porch and introduced her to the phoebes. I showed her nests and made her feel altogether ashamed of herself."

"The effect was that the baby phoebes grew in comfort and all disappeared in perfect condition; not a nest was disturbed, and pussy feels the same moral satisfaction we all feel when our intelligence overcomes our instincts. At least, we ought to give her credit for that."

Mrs. Pussy is the property of little Peggy King. Mrs. King writes under the name of Amy Forbes King.

AUTOMATIC PHONES IN INDIA

Delhi Is Soon to Have Modern System—Despite the Unfavorable Climate.

The government of India has determined, as part of an ambitious program of telephone extension and improvement, to install a modern system of automatic or machine-switching equipment in the city of Delhi, the capital of the great Indian empire.

The climate of India is hard on telephone plants, and all equipment has to be specially prepared to withstand the tropical heat. The Indian government does not produce its own telephone exchange apparatus, but orders it from manufacturers in other countries—a substantial portion being of American design.

At present the Indian government telephone system includes only about 13,000 telephones—fewer than there are in the city of Davenport, Iowa. There are also certain privately owned telephone companies in India, operating about 24,000 telephones, including both the government and the corporation systems, however, the empire of India has only about one telephone to every 19,000 inhabitants, as compared with over 1,800 telephones for every 10,000 people in the United States.

Admiral Wife's Morning Dress

Newed leaves his apartment at seven each morning and, although his young wife arises and prepares breakfast for him, he was annoyed that at that hour she did not get fully dressed for the day, says the New York Sun and Globe. That she was always attractively attired in a negligee and that she had taken time to do her hair was not appreciated by him. But now he has changed his opinion.

The other morning, not feeling well, he postponed arising till ten o'clock. His wife, becomingly dressed in street clothes, served him breakfast in bed and later he departed for his office. Going down the stairs of the walkup apartment-house he encountered three woman neighbors gossiping. All were attired in slovenly wrappers, not one had done her hair and one still wore curlers in her thinning locks. Newed has only compliments now for his better half.

Dead Shot.

The late Enos A. Mills, the nature writer of Long's Peak, Colo., was the life of his picturesque and luxurious Long's Peak Inn.

As he carved a shoulder of venison one evening at the height of the hunting season Mr. Mills said to his guests: "That young millionaire sportsman who left us yesterday is an open-handed chap. You don't catch him sending the stuff he shoots to the game market. No, sir, he sends it all to the hospitals."

"Splendid!" said an old lady. "And does he send them much?"

"He sent them from here," said Mr. Mills, "a guide, two porters and a friend."

Is This a 'Sign' or Something?

A freak corn cob, resembling a human hand, is the property of A. L. McQuary of Neosho, who was in the city the other day. Mr. McQuary purchased the cob from a farmer residing near Quail Spur. The base of the cob has the appearance of a human hand, with the palm slightly cupped, the thumb and fingers are easily distinguished, with the smaller end of the cob forming the wrist.—Springfield Leader.

Why the Mud Guards

"Now, John," directed the game boss, "fix up this river for Senator Spug. He is going to campaign in it. So make a thorough examination to see that everything is ready for heavy going. He especially wants extra large mud guards."

"All right, boss," said the boss.

"Extra large mud guards he shall have. But—"

"Well, well!"

"I thought there was to be no mudding in this campaign."

ESSAY CONTEST OPEN TO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

Prizes to be Awarded by Bar Association

To the Press of the Ninth Judicial District.

At its last annual meeting the Nebraska Bar Association, an organization composed of several hundred lawyers and judges from various parts of the state, amended its constitution by providing for a permanent committee on American Citizenship. The writer has been selected as one of the six members of this committee. I am mindful of the compliment and high honor of the appointment, likewise its responsibility. I have accepted the appointment, fully appreciating the time and labor that will be required, because I feel that this work furnishes a wonderful opportunity for permanent good. It is my opinion that the lack of understanding of fundamental law, the ideals of our government, and of the obligations we owe our country and society is in a large measure responsible for existing evils and the disrespect for law and order which menace us. It will be the purpose and desire of the bar committees to cooperate with all organizations and associations, and with the public generally in carrying on a program of education and enlightenment through the press, upon the platform, in the pulpit, and in the school houses and various institutions of learning, each judicial district and each county in this state is being organized for that purpose.

With the approval of the Association I have appointed the following members of the bars as county chairmen of their respective counties:

Madison, M. D. Tyler, Norfolk.
Cuming, P. M. Middle, West Point.
Stanton, Geo. A. Eberly, Stanton.
Knox, P. H. Peterson, Wausa.
Antelope, Lyle E. Jackson, Neligh.
Pierce, M. H. Leamy, Pierce.
Wayne, Jas. E. Bittan, Wayne.

As a part of the work we are instituting an essay contest in which each high school in the state will be invited to participate. All regularly matriculated students attending high school are qualified contestants. The State Bar Association will award three prizes, gold, silver and bronze for the three best essays in the state, and a beautiful silk flag, completely mounted with eagle fringe, rain cover and russet carrying belt, to the school in which the winner of the first prize is matriculated. The state judges who will pass upon these essays are Judge W. C. Hastings, of Omaha; State Supt. John M. Matzen, of Lincoln; and Hon. M. P. McDonald, of Kearney. In addition to the above each judicial district in the state will award three prizes, gold, silver and bronze for the three best essays in such district. In a number of counties, through public subscription, similar prizes will be awarded for the best essays in the county. The Extension Bureau of the State Superintendent's office are sending appropriate literature to each county superintendent and each superintendent of schools in the state. Each county chairman will have a list of text books and authorities recommended for study. The state committee is having a series of nine or more essays prepared by recognized authority which will be printed and placed in each high school of the state in a very short time.

Rules for Essay Contest

I. Subject
What are the Distinguishing Features of our National Government as Provided by its Constitution.

II. Contestants
Every regularly matriculated high school student is qualified.

III. Length of Essay
Not to exceed two thousand words.

IV. Composition
To be written on one side of paper only, either in long hand or type-written and the essay shall not disclose the name of the student or school and shall be designated by number only.

V. Date
Essays to be completed and in the hands of Ross J. Shortt, Norfolk, Nebraska, Secretary of the association of the Ninth District, by May 1, 1924, to be delivered by him to the judges who may be selected for this district.

VI. Number Submitted
Each high school shall submit not to exceed three essays considered by the high school superintendent and the teacher or teachers of civics to be the best production of that school and the superintendent shall certify to each student contestant by number only.

VII. Winning Essay
The winning essay in each judicial district will be sent to Anan Raymond, Secretary of State Bar Association, Omaha, not later than May 21, 1924, to be delivered by him to the state judges.

VIII. Number Submitted
The different bar associations in all the states are taking up this citizenship work and co-operating with the American Bar Association which inaugurated the movement. The work is receiving the hearty and splendid support of the American Legion and

many other organizations. These essay contests are a small part of a comprehensive program which is being formulated. In this work we earnestly ask, and feel we have a right to expect, the active assistance of lawyers and the press, and the cooperation and active support of all organizations and all people generally. This country is not a finished product and many and most grave problems are apparent. It may be truthfully asserted that government has not always been what it should be. Too often men who are not straight and clean have been promoted to public life and trust has been shamefully betrayed. True to history greed and graft and corruption crept into the great war and has continued in its aftermath until a people has become righteously incensed. But these things furnished no reason for us to lose faith in government itself, or in the fundamentals and ideals of this Republic, or in the Ten Commandments which were not only the foundation of the old Mosaic law, but are the basis of all law and order today. An intelligent and enlightened understanding of constitutional government and of the problems which beset us, with a full realization and acceptance of the obligations of citizenship will determine a constructive and sane and safe course in building the future that is to be. The boys and girls who are students in the various institutions of learning will be the men and women of tomorrow. Hence this work in the schools as a part of our program.

FRED S. BERRY.

THE GARDEN OF ROSES

Among the graduates of the Wayne Normal school in its earliest days were John R. Baker and the brilliant young woman who afterwards became his wife. We do not know her maiden name. Mr. Baker became superintendent of schools for Kearney county. While there, Mrs. Baker did an aggressive Christian work among the high school girls of Minden. One of those girls was led to take preparation for missionary work and went to Guatemala City, Central America.

Miss Houser became an intimate friend of a fellow student in the training school whose mother, a woman of some means, desired her daughter to give the Gospel to the poor. So these two young women established an orphanage and day school for the needy children in the Republic of Guatemala some ten years ago in connection with the Central American Mission, a child of the late Dr. C. C. Scofield.

Too close to our hand, we Americans are quite uninformed of real conditions existing in Central America except to know that political brawls, earthquakes and volcanic eruptions are the rule. But to one who takes the trouble to study the Central American at heart, he finds a tender, passionate fellow man, the result of the most unfortunate circumstances, who, nevertheless, can be won to higher things by a real sympathetic love and sacrifice.

The cause of the frequent revolutions is the lack of confidence in each other. The lack of confidence comes from the all too frequent selfish exploits of political position and power. Straight, honest men can scarcely be found because the basic principles upon which sterling character is built have never been taught these people. Many express a great desire for improvement but the frequent failures are pitiable indeed.

The first child received into the orphanage opened by Misses Zimmerman and Houser was the little daughter of a man who held an enviable reputation as a druggist and town doctor. On the death of his Christian wife, this man went to the depths of drink and vice and this hitherto well-cared-for child became a street walt, the object of charity of any so inclined individual. The missionaries prayed for her rescue for one year before the father was willing to bring her and give her into their care. She is now a beautiful young girl teaching in the kindergarten. Each of the thirty or more children who have come into the entire care of the institution has a like thrilling story.

The Garden of Roses has grown rapidly during these ten years and many friends have come to its help in prayerful sympathy, financial sustain and personal aid. This year it is housing forth-three children also, giving them the needed physical and educational care, and the beautiful Story of Life and Power, it was our privilege to hear at mother's knee, teaching them to find in Him the strength for every day's temptations and His guidance for the future life. Aside from those who live in the institution there is a large attendance in the day school department from the homes of the city.

Miss A. Fern Houser, one of the directing members of the Garden of Roses is now a guest at the home of Mrs. E. B. Young of this city. She will present some phases of the work at the usual gathering of young people in Mrs. Young's home on Friday evening and to any other friends who may wish to attend.

WITH THE WAYNE CHURCHES

Methodist Episcopal Church

Rev. John Grant Shick, pastor

Sunday school at 10:00 a. m., Conrad Jacobson, Supt.

Epworth League at 6:30 p. m., led by the Pastor.

Public worship at 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.

Mid-week meeting on Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock.

The pastor will preach Sunday morning on the theme "A Game that Defeats Itself," and at night on "Finding and Filling your Place." The evening sermon will be first of a series of two addressed principally to young people. A special invitation given to young people to hear these sermons—a cordial welcome to all.

The interest in our mid-week meeting and in the study of the World Service Book is increasing. It is not too late to join in the study yet, if you desire to do so.

The monthly meeting of the official board will be held on next Monday night, March 3rd., instead of Tuesday night on account of the expected absence of the pastor Tuesday night. The meeting will be held at the church at 8:00 o'clock.

That was a good union meeting last Sunday night. The addresses by Mr. Davis and Mr. Smith were timely and effective. The pictures of Camp Sheldon were a revelation to most of us. Nebraska is fortunate in having such a fine place for boys and girls to go for healthful, helpful purposeful vacations and inspirational periods.

The writer of these notes knew Mr. Sheldon, the donor of the grounds, and was acquainted with his interest in the best things of life. Talking with him one day when the Congregational-Presbyterian Federated plant was in process of erection in Columbus and when building costs had gone out of sight on account of mounting prices he said to me: "I don't know how much it is going to cost us to complete the building; but I am going to see it thru." A fine spirit.

Baptist Church

Francis K. Allen, Minister

Sunday school at 10:00 a. m.

Morning Worship and Sermon at 11 o'clock. Theme: "The Forgiveness of Sins."

Young People's meeting at 6:30 p. m., Miss Sadie Harvey, leader.

7:30 p. m. second number in the institute of Social Christianity, "Honesty as a Social Problem."

Phases of the subject will be discussed as follows: "Honesty and Profits" by a Wayne merchant. "Honesty and Success" by a schoolman. "Honesty in Politics" by a Lawyer.

It is said that the amount of property stolen annually in this country by robbery from the inside by trusted employees is now estimated at \$100,000,000. The amount of cash, merchandise and property, stolen annually through burglary and larceny from the outside is estimated at least \$250,000,000. It is estimated that some act of fraud or theft is being committed every nine minutes of day and night this year. Is honesty an important social problem? We think it is. Hear these men discuss this subject next Sunday evening.

English Lutheran Church

(Rev. J. H. Patteroff, Pastor)

10 a. m. Sunday school.

Public worship with sermon at 11 a. m. The subject of the sermon is "The Seal of Truth."

Mrs. Charles Helkes will entertain the Ladies Aid next Thursday afternoon. Every member should make an effort to be present.

Catechetical class meets Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The lesson will be the one assigned for last week.

Miss Thida E. Nelson of Washington, D. C., a worker in our Missionary Society will be here to speak in the church Friday evening March 7th at 7:30. This will be a rare opportunity for those interested in missions to hear a speaker in close touch with all our foreign missionary activity.

There should be a large attendance of the women of the church. A special invitation is given to the young ladies of the church.

First Presbyterian Church

Rev. Fenton C. Jones, pastor

Morning service at ten thirty.

In the absence of the pastor the services will be in charge of the elders and trustees of the church.

Special music.

Every member of the church and congregation is especially urged to be present.

Matters of vital interest and importance to every individual and to the church will be presented.

The annual budget will be submitted and explained in detail. Please come and take an active part in YOUR BUSINESS.

Sunday school at 11:30.

Christian Endeavor at 6:30.

Evangelical Lutheran Church

(Rev. H. A. Teckhaus, Pastor)

Sunday School 10 a. m.

GIFT TAX PROVISION IS SLATED TO WIN

Washington, February 26.—The house took up the proposal to insert a gift tax provision in the revenue bill today with the Democrats and the Republicans insurgents confident of repeating their success of yesterday when they brought about increase in the estate or inheritance taxes.

Chairman Green of the ways and means committee, who introduced the gift tax proposal yesterday, announced later he would offer an amendment to make the rate the same as carried for the estate tax and Representative Garner, Democrat, tax, leader of the Democratic tax fight, said he would support the new proposal.

Mr. Green's first gift tax amendment provided for a 1 per cent tax on amounts of all gifts in excess of \$10,000 annually with a graduated scale up to 10 per cent on amounts of gifts in excess of \$46,000 annually, while the estate tax rates adopted yesterday provide for a 1 per cent tax on amounts not in excess of \$50,000 with a graduated scale up to 40 per cent on amounts in excess of \$10,000,000.

NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL

The State of Nebraska, Wayne County, ss.

At a County Court, held at the County Court Room, in and for said County of Wayne, on the 26th day of February, 1924.

Present, J. M. Cherry, County Judge.

In the matter of the estate of B. W. Davis, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition on the 26th day of February, 1924, and purporting to be the last Will and Testament of said deceased, may be proved, approved, probated, allowed and recorded as the last Will and Testament of said B. W. Davis, deceased, and that the execution of said instrument may be committed and that the administration of said estate may be granted to Anna L. Davis as executrix.

ORDERED, That March 14th, A. D. 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m., is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a County Court to be held in and for said County, and show cause why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted; and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Nebraska Democrat, a weekly newspaper printed in said County, three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

(Seal) J. M. CHERRY,

County Judge.

UNITED STATES COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA—NORFOLK DIVISION.

In the Matter of George L. Holkamp, Bankrupt—Case No. 333.

In Bankruptcy.

Voluntary Petition.

On this 22nd day of February, A. D. 1924, on filing and reading the petition of the above named bankrupt for his discharge herein, it is

ORDERED, that the 1st day of April, A. D. 1924, be and the same is hereby fixed as the date on or before which all creditors of, and all other persons interested in said estate and in the matter of the discharge in bankruptcy of the said bankrupt shall, if they desire to oppose the same, file in my said office in Norfolk, Nebraska, in said district, their appearance, in writing, in opposition to the granting of said discharge, and also, within ten days thereafter, file in my said office specifications of the grounds of said opposition.

WITNESS my hand thereto, at my office in Norfolk, Nebraska, this day and date herein first above written.

H. F. BARNHART,

Referee in Bankruptcy.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Wayne County, ss.

IN THE COUNTY COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of William H. Merriman, deceased.

TO THE CREDITORS OF SAID ESTATE:

You Are Hereby Notified, That I will sit at the County Court Room in Wayne, in said County, on the 7th day of March, and on the 7th day of June, 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m., each day to receive and examine all claims against said Estate, with a view to their adjustment, and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said Estate is three months from the 7th day of March, A. D. 1924, and the time limited for payment of debts is One Year from said 7th day of March, 1924.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 8th day of February, 1924.

(Seal) J. M. CHERRY,

County Judge.

LOOKING FOR SINGING BIRDS

Customers Are Zealously Searching Among the Canaries in the Salesrooms.

Canary-bird salesrooms at this season are filled with whispering women straining their ears to detect a singer, pausing now and then to glare at some other customer who is looking for the same bird. Confronted with the hundreds of small cages standing around the wall and with the air filled with a chaos of song, it's no small job to pick out the birds actually singing, says the New York Sun and Globe. The large sign: "No Birds Exchanged" makes the customer all the more tense.

Then, when she's found the singer and the color of the plumage suits, some one else is likely to "listen in" on the same bird. Harried between the doubt if has just the right voice and the fear the other person will buy the bird, she casts dark looks at the intruder. Then, too, there's the attendant who constantly moves among the cages and, detecting a good singer, takes it out of the \$3.58 row and puts it in the \$10 "selected" class.

Desperate after hours of listening and indecision, the customer points to a cage and takes the prisoner home, trusting to luck after all that he's a singer.

WRZOS IS POLISH FOR ROSES

But Capital Newspaper Man Thought It Was Flower Peculiar to Poland.

There is at least one newspaper man in Washington who will not forget again soon that a rose is just as sweet under any other name; but he will have to live down the circumstances attending his tardy recognition of that fact.

When General Haller, the Polish military hero, visited the White House he announced he was going to place a wreath at the base of the statue of Kosciuszko, the Polish patriot, whose statue stands at one of the corners of Lafayette square. Asked what kind of wreath, General Haller replied it would be a wreath of Wrzos. Whereupon the newspaper man, indulging in language somewhat too flowery, wrote that the Wrzos was peculiar to the soil of Poland as the heather is to that of Scotland.

When the wreath appeared it was of pink rosebuds, peculiar to the soil of hothouses around the national capital. Wrzos is Polish for the rose.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

"Skyrocketing" the Price of Chairs.

Everyone knows how exorbitant the prices of genuine antique furniture frequently are. The purchasers are generally rich and don't often dispute the price, and the supply is rarely equal to the demand. In a recent court case, says London Opinion, a witness who was a furniture dealer testified as follows:

"In October, 1920, I went to Sudbury hall, Lord Vernon's place in Derbyshire, to bring to town ten Chipendale chairs and two settees that we had bought. In a few days we sold them to Messrs. Dighton."

"What did you pay for them?" asked the examining lawyer.

"About six hundred pounds."

"How long was it before you sold them to Messrs. Dighton?"

"About six weeks."

"For how much?"

"One thousand four hundred pounds."

"And then they were sold to Mr. Shrager for three thousand pounds. What do you suppose Lord Vernon would think of that—a profit of two thousand four hundred pounds the fenders made out of his chairs in a few weeks?"

What indeed!

Strength of Eggs.

Wonderful provision has been made by nature for the protection of eggs against breakage by building them on the principle of the arch. The fact that no one can break a hen's egg by squeezing it between his hands so long as he applies the pressure in the direction of the long axis of the egg has led to certain experiments with a special apparatus. The eggs were placed point upward on a scale, and pressure was applied by means of a lever and jack. Brown eggs proved stronger than white ones. They broke under a pressure that averaged 155 pounds. White eggs broke under an average pressure of 112.5 pounds. The shells were found to be from .018 to .014 of an inch thick. Since the average diameter of the eggs used was 1 1/2 inches, some idea can be gained of the strength that the egg owes to its structural form.

Strange Companions.

A correspondent at Sydney, N. S. W., sends the following strange story: More than three years ago a tortoise crawled into the grounds of Harango Chase, Morpeth, New South Wales, the residence of Capt. D. J. Marshall. At the same time a bat appeared. The tortoise and the bat were friends, and their association caused much amusement. After wandering about the grounds for three months, the tortoise left, followed by the bat.

Neither the tortoise nor the bat was seen again for three years, but recently Captain Marshall was astonished by the reappearance in his grounds of the tortoise and the bat. During their absence they had made a new friend—a magpie, and the queer trio now live in amity.

Wash Milk Cans Clean.

The cleansing of milk vessels is best done by first rinsing them in cold or lukewarm water to remove the milk after which they should be scrubbed with a brush inside and out. Use hot water and washing powder and then rinse in clean, hot water.

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DAIRY POINTS

Speedy Justice Recently Meted Out to Scrub Sire

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

In a special "court" convened in Howard county, Md., the last of October, A. S. Bull, known familiarly as "Scrub," was found guilty of robbing hard-working farmers and their families and was sentenced to be de-bucced immediately. It was brought out by County Agricultural Agent M. H. Fairbank, who acted as prosecuting attorney, that the accused had been depriving the people of this farming community of many luxuries and even some of the necessities, taking the butter from their bread and cream from the milk.

According to a representative of the United States Department of Agriculture, "Scrub" was well represented by counsel appointed by the "court," but no arguments could prevail against the overwhelming evidence presented by the prosecution and the damaging testimony of a large number of farmer witnesses who had been robbed and had seen their neighbors robbed in the same manner by this old offender.

The jury was unanimous for conviction, and J. R. Dawson, of the dairy division, United States Department of Agriculture, delivered the funeral oration. Scrubbul meat is not of the best, but it was well cooked, and a hungry crowd enjoyed it, in a measure, because they had a sense of doing a good thing for the community. The trial was followed by a sale of pure bred bulls.

One of the unusual features of the trial was a brass band which provided appropriate music during the day. Interest in the "trial" was shown by a large attendance from adjoining counties.

Dairy Cows Improved by Advanced Registry Test

"No one thing has done so much to increase the productivity of pure bred dairy cattle in New Jersey as advanced registry testing," says W. R. Robbers, dairy expert at the agricultural experiment station, New Brunswick.

"The average production of all cows has been given by the United States census as 4,000 pounds of milk a year. Pure bred herds under the advanced registry tests soon develop cows which produce twice that amount of milk without additional feed cost.

"Care in the management of cows increases their productive capacity. It is the care incidental to advanced registry testing which often results in the cow doing much better during her second testing period than her first.

"By means of these tests and the records kept the hopelessly unproductive cows are detected so that the dairyman can eliminate them from the herd.

"It has long been recognized that the bull is the most important factor in improving the herd. Through advanced registry it is possible for the dairyman to observe whether or not the daughters of the bull are better than their dams. In this way superior bulls are discovered and are chosen to raise the standard of the herd.

"The advisory experts maintained by the department of dairy husbandry at the State College of Agriculture, New Brunswick, are always glad to answer questions on advanced registry or any other phase of dairying."

Feeding Test Made With Corn Silage and Fodder

The dairy cow has long found favor because she is able to convert large quantities of bulky roughage into a concentrated and highly nutritious product. There are, however, certain roughages on which a cow produces much better. As the business of dairying is to produce milk profitably rather than merely to convert fodder into milk, a comparison of the common farm roughages is valuable.

A careful feeding test was made at the Iowa experiment station with corn silage and fodder, alfalfa and timothy hay, and a combination of corn fodder and timothy hay.

The use of corn fodder in place of corn silage reduced the milk production 8 per cent, and the fat production 6 per cent. When silage is worth \$4.50 a ton, an acre of corn yielding eight tons, if converted into silage, is worth \$36, while if converted into fodder the value is reduced to \$16.21.

When alfalfa hay was replaced by timothy in a good dairy ration, milk and butterfat production was reduced 7 per cent. When both alfalfa hay and silage were replaced at the same time by fodder and timothy hay, the milk yield dropped 18 per cent and fat 14 per cent.

If possible get the corn crop in the silo. Timothy hay should be sold and clover or alfalfa bought to take its place.

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