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PLANS ALL LAID FOR BIG DAY AT WAYNE JULY FOURTH

The Legion boys and those who are so loyally co-operating with them in making the coming celebration the big event of the year in this corner of Nebraska are getting less and less sleep and devoting more and more time to having all ready for the coming celebration. It is planned that from the first gun at sunrise until the last rocket at night dies away, there will be no quiet or dull moments.

The boxing and ball game will be at the fair grounds.

The sports and free acts will be on streets.

The big dance on a paved street near business center.

Wiring for special electric lights is being planned and put up, and when Uncle Sam's birthday morning arrives Wayne Legion lads will be on the job. Here is the program:

9:00 a. m.—Band Concert by Des-Dunes band.

10:00 a. m.—Big free act.

10:30 a. m.—Juvenile parade.

11:15 a. m.—Oration by Hon. Adam McMullen.

12:00 m.—Dinner.

1:30 p. m.—24 Round of fast boxing.

3:00 p. m.—Ball game between Bloomfield and Winside, purse \$250.

3:00 p. m. to 4:30 p. m.—Free act and band concert, down town.

4:30 p. m.—Athletic events, for boys under 15 years of age—Foot race, sack race, and potato race, purses \$3, \$2, and \$1.

Girls foot race, under 15 years of age, purses \$3, \$2, and \$1.

5:30 p. m.—Free act.

6:00 p. m.—Supper.

7:30 p. m.—Free act.

8:30 p. m. Fire works.

Ten Round Bout

Clark Conners, 120 pounds, Sioux City, Iowa.

Young Dixon, 118 pounds, Kansas City, Missouri.

Eight Round Bout

"Kid" Ray, 136 pounds, Wayne.

Willie Dixon, 140 pounds, Kansas City, Missouri.

Six Round Bout

Earl Wade, 157 pounds, Winside.

Jack McGill, 155 pounds, Wisner.

HERBERT BARGE AND RAEMAKERS PABOLED

Lincoln, Nebraska, June 24.—Herbert H. Barge and Math J. Raemakers, bankers who pleaded guilty to embezzlement and have been serving terms in the penitentiary, are both paroled by the state pardon board and will return to their families and to jobs which are awaiting them outside the prison. Announcement of the board's decision in their case was made Saturday.

Fritz L. Anderson, defuncting ex-treasurer of Nance county, must serve a longer time, the board decrees. He also pleaded guilty to the charge of embezzlement, which in his case totalled about \$30,000. The shortage was made good in its entirety, with interest, by himself, his father, and his brother.

Anderson has been in the penitentiary about one year, his sentence being from one to five. Raemakers was given a term of the same duration and has served a little over two years. Barge draw a sentence of one to ten years, of which he has spent three at the prison. Raemakers was the managing officer of a bank at Raville, while Barge ran one at Hoskins.

TOURING EUROPE

Last Friday Mrs. J. G. Mines and daughter Miss Elizabeth left for New York, from which place they are to sail this week to visit many places in Europe. Among the many places noted they are to visit we give some of the better known places which will give one an idea of the extent of their trip, and the lands they will see. Paris, Genoa, and Naples, Rome and Venice in Italy, Switzerland, Belgium, Holland, England, and no doubt some parts of Germany. It is to be hoped that the ladies have a pleasant journey and reach home as their schedule calls for about the middle of August. They will travel with the Peck party, and according to the report there will be two dozen in the party much of the way, tho about one-fourth of that number do not follow the same route all of the way as do the balance of the party.

FOR SALE—TWO TRUCKS

One a Ton-Reg, the other a Nash Quad. Both in good running order, and priced to sell. Come and see them, or enquire on Phone 68.—The Wayne Monument Works—adv.

ELLYSON—HARRIS

At Torrington, Wyoming, according to an announcement sent by Mrs. J. W. Ellyson of Newcastle, mother of the bride, Dr. Alfred R. Harris and Miss Arel Thankful Ellyson were united in marriage, Monday, June 16, 1924. Miss Ellyson has many friends at Wayne where she attended the Normal and graduated with the class of '22, making her home here during that time with Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Lewis, her sister.

Following the marriage the newlyweds went to Mitchell, in this state, where the groom has been practicing dentistry since his graduation from the state university. Dr. Harris served in the late war in aviation, with rank of 1st Lieutenant, and since his discharge he has successfully completed a course in dentistry and has a commission to serve in his professional capacity in the navy with a rank corresponding to the one he held in the army, but has not yet received orders as to where and when he shall report for duty.

The bride taught in the city schools at Mitchell last year, and had been successful in school work before going to Mitchell.

They will be at home where the doctor may be stationed, and it is thought that will be at the Great Lakes training station, and it is that they will visit her home and Wayne before commencing life at whatever station he may be ordered to.

THE WEATHER MAN CUTS DIDOS DAY OR NIGHT

A heavy rain visited this part of Nebraska Monday night, and would have been counted worth a million at some season less favored with moisture. Now it is considered by some a liability rather than an asset. At Wayne the weather gauge registered 1.7 inches. Norfolk reported more than two inches. Gulches and lowlands flooded is the newspaper report. Roads were damaged, especially those under construction. Cornfields were badly washed where they had been recently plowed. Some had grown enough grass to prevent washing, and this will give it another chance to keep on growing for it will be too wet to plow.

Farmers from the Plum creek district treked into Wayne Monday afternoon and told how it had been out there. One said it was by far the most rain they had had at any one time this season—while another chimed in with the statement that the Plum creek was out of banks and over the bottoms from hill to hill, and that fences roads and small bridges had been made to suffer. One said that it had washed the grass and weeds from the corn, and left it clean and free from need of plowing soon, but we judge that a part of that was just simply sarcasm.

Thus far, June is breaking many rain records. At Omaha Monday night or Sunday evening a terrific windstorm accompanied by much rain flooded the city, doing much damage by both water and wind. Nothing like the Easter outbreak of several years ago, but enough to make those who were there at the time remember and tremble as well as try to find safe places. Four race horses, for a local track were killed when their stable collapsed. The report of the loss of a dairy herd from same cause is not confirmed.

WEATHER CONTINUES MOIST

Last week we gave the rain-fall of June up to the 17th, which totaled 4.84 inches, and hoped that there might be a decrease, but the week has not shown much improvement.

On the 20th there was a fall of .30; on the 24th, 1.30; and this morning of the 26th .75 was added, making the total 2.35 inches since the 17th, a total for the month to date 7.19.

The rain this morning is quite general over this part of the state; was heavy at Norfolk and all along the line—and also at Bloomfield—and all the way down, according to the reports of the train men. At Norfolk several reports during the week have told of heavy rains there—real floods in fact, until their total must be near the 10 inch mark for the month of June.

The symptoms are for more rain, judging by the wind and the way the smoke comes down.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SHOWING

of a splendid new line of dresses for the summer wear, the lighter styles in all the popular goods and shades—including the white dresses for the 4th wear, not an expensive garment.

DEATH OF V. L. DAYTON BRIEF STORY OF LIFE HISTORY

Verner Lunery Dayton was born near Princeton, Illinois, October 5, 1870, in early boyhood he moved to Iowa making his home on a farm near Harlan in Shelby county. Here he received his common school education completing a course at the Highland Park college at Des Moines, Iowa. In 1890 he and his parents and family moved to Lincoln, Nebraska, where he engaged in the merchantile business for a number of years. Finding indoor work too confining for his health he disposed of his holdings and located on a farm near Panama, Iowa. On June 27, 1906, he was united in marriage to Zuella Althea Trester of Lincoln. After six years residence in Iowa they bought a farm near Wayne, moving there in 1912.

Five years ago he bought their present home north of Carroll, where he continued his ever-increasing and interesting pursuit, the breeding and raising of purebred stock. Mr. Dayton was a student of agriculture in all its departments and gave himself to his task in a scientific way. He gave much time and effort to better the interest of what he regarded as a definite pursuit.

While he never united with the church his support was generous and his attendance frequent. To him God was a reality and to man he was a benefactor. He expressed on many occasions his faith in God and immortality. During his recent and severe illness he said he was perfectly resigned to the will of God.

He leaves to mourn his departure his wife, Mrs. Zuella Althea Dayton, and Lawrence Shalton, an only child. Mrs. S. W. Dayton, his widowed mother and Miss Mabel Dayton, an only sister. The two latter reside in Wayne.

After six months with every council and effort to recover his health all failed. He departed this life at the family residence north of Carroll Sunday, June 22, 1924, aged 53 years, 8 months and 17 days. The funeral was held in the family residence, Tuesday, June 24, 1924 at 11:45 conducted by Rev. W. W. Hull, pastor of the M. E. church of Carroll and assisted by Rev. Fenton C. Jones, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Wayne. The body was taken to Harlan, Iowa, Tuesday afternoon where interment took place.

The large number in attendance at his funeral in spite of bad roads and threatening weather was but a testimonial of the high esteem in which he was held in this county where he had made his home for the past twelve years. In business and every relation of life he was recognized as an able, honest man. He had decided opinions as to right and wrong, and followed his convictions; often with regret that he could not make it seem right to himself to follow the wish of some friend or associate—but his conviction of right or wrong ruled, and made firm friends of those with whom he could not agree—as they learned that he was simply following one of his rules of life.

He will be missed in his home and by the community, for he was a tireless worker for the advancement of those community interests that to him appeared right. A good citizen has gone.

No formal card of thanks has been given us for publication, but we want those who tried to give of aid and comfort to the Dayton family in their hours of sorrow, when they knew it was simply theirs to wait for the end to come, to know that the bereaved mother expressed, with deep emotion, their gratitude and how utterly she lacked language to express their appreciation of all that had been done and offered. It moved her deeply.

OVER THE BOUNDING BILLOWS

E. B. Young and wife received a letter yesterday from their son Ensign, who is with the Gypsy Smith party of evangelists enroute to England. Ensign writes of the splendors of the ship, which is one of the "Star Line", and a palace afloat. Four times round the main deck makes a stroll of a mile, and he had made five laps that morning, working up an appetite, no doubt. The party were fortunate on this voyage, one of the head officers of the ship company, a personal friend of Mr. Smith, being on the boat he gave orders that the party be given better apartment than they had ordered when taking passage. Every convenience of a modern hotel were at hand the letter states. The Democrat hopes to have some of the impressions of England and the English as they seem to Ensign, from time to time.

CLYDE OMAN AND E. E. LACKEY WIN TOURNAMENT

In the handicap golf event held over the first prize, a brass putte and E. E. Lackey, second prize, an Evershard pencil. Clyde took 101 strokes for the 18 holes and had a 40 stroke handicap giving him a net 61. Lackey made the round in 99 strokes which with a 32 stroke handicap gave him a net 67. The low gross score was an 84 by Frank Morgan.

Next Saturday Sunday and Monday a similar event will be held with three prizes, 3, 2, and 1 golf balls.

Please check up your handicap each Sunday for they will be changed from time to time to suit the scores turned in by the players.

The golf course is probably in the best shape it has ever been just now. Get out and enjoy it these long evenings.

THE KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL AT DENVER

A largely attended and enthusiastic hearing is reported by the delegates from Wayne to the Kiwanis International convention at Denver last week. Some sixteen special trains as well as automobiles and regular trains brought the crowd. Delegates and visitors were present from all over the United States and Canada. Many delegations brought their own bands, glee clubs and quartettes so that there was plenty of music all the time in the auditorium where the convention was held, as well as in the hotels and registration headquarters. This, however, did not prevent the transaction of the business in hand for the sessions lasted from early morning to late at night.

Victor Johnson of Rockford, Illinois, was elected president for the ensuing year and St. Paul was selected as the meeting place. This makes a very convenient meeting place being quite centrally located for both the United States and Canada. Seattle was a close competitor but was considered too far removed from the center of the territory served.

THE MONTHLY CROP REPORT

A big full page typewritten from Lincoln tells in detail the crop condition as shown by the reports they get at head quarters from many sources. It is not an encouraging condition that is told of, but we can give a summary that will give an idea of conditions:

Wheat, both winter and spring have deteriorated since the May report. The spring wheat is 20 percent decrease in acreage. Winter wheat dropped 14 points during May in condition and is now rates at three-fourths of full crop. The hessian fly has been one cause of decline, and the weather has not been the most favorable for small grains and grasses.

Corn is late, but the soil is as a rule in better lith, and not so foul as a year ago, and with encouraging weather might come to normal—but that weather has not prevailed, and every day leaves one less in which to rally.

Fruits are but about 50 percent of a crop on an average.

Farm labor is rated closer to 100 per cent with the demand but 91 per cent.

THE KIWANIS PICNIC

Monday afternoon the Wayne Kiwanis members and their families met for a jolly time at the city park in annual picnic. About 150 families were represented by big delegations, and all out for the best time possible, and there seemed no limit to the possibilities in that direction. The program was none—but they had great picnic supper, great sports and no end of sports in which old and young participated, and it is hard to state which class made the most use of the swings, the merry-go-rounds, slides and other park play aids. It was a free for all.

WIND IN SOUTH DAKOTA

Wm. Gildersleeve, who owns a farm near Mitchell, South Dakota, went to that place the last of the week to view the track of the wind. It destroyed the barn on his farm, and many other barns were demolished; but it seems that few of any houses were blown down or wrecked. Another visitor from that state tells us that one storm destroyed some forty or fifty barns, but no houses. Most barns are empty at this season of the year, and fall more easily than if full. Naturally the houses are heavier and better built and appear to have had resistance enough to stand up in that kind of a breeze.

A CHECK ARTIST VISITS WAYNE

A stranger was talking of moving to Wayne last week, and looked over the two vacant houses and decided which one suited him, and agreed to take it, his family and goods to be here this week. He did not pay the rent, but he bought groceries to be sent to the house at a certain time or when called for. His grocery bill at different places amounted to about five dollars, and he tendered a \$12.00 check given in payment for carpenter work with the name of some Miller at the bottom, which he endorsed, and took the change. The grocers have their goods yet and the house is for rent. One merchant became suspicious and learned that Miller with given initials had no account at that bank—and a hurried search found the fellow, who gave the money back he had taken.

The artist went to get the wife and goods, and is going yet, perhaps.

FIND MANY UNPAID COUNTY WARRANTS

Hartington, Nebraska, June 21.—In auditing the books of the county clerk of Cedar county, it was found that Harry K. Durrie, who recently resigned as clerk, owed the county 25 cents on fees amounting to \$5,200, collected during a period of a year and a half.

The auditors found over 100 unpaid warrants totaling \$1,500, the majority being issued between 1900 and 1916. In their report to the county board they recommended that quarterly reports from the officers to the treasurer be made promptly, that the board check the paid warrants with their stubs, that the unpaid warrants be examined by the board at frequent intervals in order to facilitate their delivery and payment and to avoid accumulation, that claimants file their addresses, and that all unpaid warrants whose owners cannot be found be canceled.

SHIPPERS IN CONFERENCE

A conference of shippers and representatives of Nebraska railroads was held Tuesday at the state capitol in an effort to reach an agreement on classification of shipments. The state railway commission took no part in the conference, but U. G. Powell, its rate expert, was present to offer suggestions and advice if desired. The conference was a continuation of the one held several weeks ago, when no agreement was reached, because both sides were waiting for a ruling from the Interstate commission on rates affecting the jobbing centers.

The railroads have asked to be allowed to substitute what is known as the classification No. 58 for Nebraska classification No. 1, which covers shipments from non-jobbing points. A number who ship under this classification have filed objections, and it is these, among others that were gone over at the conference Tuesday. Where no agreement is possible the matters was referred to the state railway commission.

The creamery men of the state have filed objections to less than carload classification. There are also objections to the classification on returned empty bags and with reference to culverts and road machinery. In general and naturally, the shippers where the Nebraska classification carries the lower rate, want that retained.

CALF CLUB BOYS HAVE OUTING

Wednesday morning four young men from Wayne left for Crystal lake, for a three day outing with members of the calf clubs from other places. They were Everett Heikes, Marlon Auker, Oliver Shields and Wm. Von Seggern. Marcus Kruger, Jr. was their sponsor.

The boys expect to do some stock judging among the farms of that vicinity, in competition with lads from other places, as we understand it—visit the city stockyards and packing houses, and live in the open by the lake. It should be an enjoyable trip and a valuable experience for the lads.

STOCK SHIPMENT—15 CARS

Sloux City Market
E. J. Auker, two cars hogs.
Carlson and Berry, three cars cattle
Arthur Likes, car hogs.
Adolph Bajer, car hogs.
Fred S. Martin, car hogs.
Henry Schroeder, car hogs.
Frank Woehler, car hogs.
S. Swanson, car hogs.
L. M. Owen, car hogs.
L. C. Gildersleeve, car hogs.

Omaha Market
Adam Reeg, two cars cattle.

ISSING OF MICHAEL O'CONNELL A PIONEER

Mike O'Connell, one of the early settlers of Wayne died at an Omaha hospital June 21st, 1924, where he had gone a few weeks before in hope of relief from a cancerous condition which had been sapping his vitality for a number of months. He did not realize the seriousness of his condition in time to secure relief. Deceased was born in New York, October 3, 1860, and had attained the age of 63 years, 8 months and 18 days when he died. He was united in marriage June 12, 1884, at Wayne to Miss Effie Moore, who survives him, with nine of the ten children born to this union, five sons and five daughters.

Grover of Fairburn, South Dakota; Oliver of Sioux City; Arthur, Teddy and Manford of this place are the sons, Mrs. Ralph Goudy, Vallejo, California, Mrs. Bert Shellington of Wakefield, Jessie and Jean of Wayne. The oldest daughter, Mrs. Ralph Taylor died four years ago the 6th of this month.

Funeral services are to be held Friday afternoon from the undertaking parlors, Rev. Allen preaching the sermon, and burial will be in Greenwood cemetery.

An industrious man, Mr. O'Connell was employed for the past several years at the Fisher lumber yard, where he was faithfully on the job, caring for the interest of his employer early and late. Before that he followed carpenter contracting for a number of years. He was spoken of among his acquaintances as a splendid, generous-hearted man.

DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION

This great gathering at New York is attracting and holding the attention of the world. Nominating speeches have been made, and the report of the platform committee is next in order. That is the big task.

According to the dailies just at hand there are serious differences of opinion as to the League, prohibition and the Klan. Whether or not these questions or a part of them will be presented in majority and minority reports on the floor of the convention hall, remains to be seen. We would like to see a platform which cannot be given a double meaning, but not necessarily so emphatic as to call any faction bad names.

The speech of Chairman Walsh was excellent, and convincing one as to the need of a change of administration. The Sloux City Journal, which is the latest daily received here today, says that negotiations are in progress to effect a combination between McAdoe and anti-McAdoe forces favoring Senator Thomas A. Walsh as a "dark horse." Could they do better?

A COMMENT

A neighbor walking with the editor as he went home the other evening, took side glance at the condition of parking about the Community house, and said he had noticed that the club owners of the property were putting on a contest for a prettier and better kept Wayne, and wondered if the ladies were going to enter the contest. If so, were they waiting until after the first survey to enter for the greatest improvement? And we ask them for him in the paper, for he has a fine yard well kept.

BABE IS DROWNED IN PAIL OF WATER

Homer, Nebraska, June 21.—The 9-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schwab, living between here and Emerson, drowned in a pail of water. Mrs. Schwab left the house for a few minutes leaving the pail of water on the porch, closed the door and warned the older children not to open it until she returned. While the children were playing in the kitchen, one of them evidently opened the door and the baby crawling out on the porch fell into the pail. His four-year-old brother pulled him out of the pail and notified his mother.

GIRL SCOUTS PICNIC

Last evening about two dozen members of Troup 1 of the Girl Scouts went to the Ben McEachen farm for a picnic supper. The young ladies were chaperoned by Mrs. Leon Berry, Mrs. Perry Theobald, Mrs. Rollie Loy and Misses Mines and Marshall. It is needless to say that they had a really happy time.

Mrs. Fred Miller and son George of Winside were Wayne visitors between trains Tuesday.

Wise People Change Their Minds; Fools Never Do.

The Baptist Ladies have changed their minds again, and WILL serve meals in the church basement July 4th

Delicious cafeteria lunches will be served at noon and evening, beginning at 11 a. m. and at 5 p. m. Hot coffee and iced tea are included in the menu. There will be a rest room available for mothers and tired children.

THE PUBLIC IS CORDIALLY INVITED.

See the big assortment of trimmed hats and shapes Saturday, selling at \$1.00 each.—McLean & McCreary.—adv.

Mrs. C. Williamson from Sioux City passed thru Wayne Saturday evening, on her way to visit relatives at Hemingsford for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Brice, of Omaha, who spent a few days visiting with Mr. and Mrs. O. I. Davison, left Saturday for Bassett, to visit relatives.

Mrs. Joseph Smith of Hubbard who spent the week end visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weber, returned to her home Monday morning.

Miss Edith Chilquist, who was employed at the Mabbott beauty parlor left Saturday for her home at Fremont and from there she will go to Wahoo.

Mrs. Lowe Trestler of Lincoln, who was visiting at the home of her mother Mrs. Dayton and at the V. L. Dayton home at Carroll returned to her home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Overecker, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Overecker and Mr. and Mrs. Dee Moore of Norfolk spent Sunday visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Vall.

J. W. Krueger came down from South Dakota, where he has been looking after business matters, to see about the roof that the wind removed from his ice plant building.

Mrs. Julia Grewe and son Irvin and Mrs. Lena Saks, who spent two weeks visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Saks departed Saturday for their home at Chicago.

Don Porter, son of C. Porter, and wife, returned Saturday evening from Sioux City where the lad underwent an operation for removal of pus from mastoid. He is getting along nicely.

Miss Isabella Werthman, who spent a short time visiting at the home of her aunt Mrs. Cliff Fox, left Monday for her home at Crofton. Mrs. Fox accompanied her as far as Wakefield.

Mrs. Katherine Wieland departed Monday afternoon for Chicago, to visit her daughter Sophia Wieland, who will graduate as a nurse. She was accompanied as far as Sioux City by her son Oscar.

MR. BORROWER—I have the best real estate loan for you. The actual cost of interest will be less than 5% per annum on the co-operative plan. JOHN H. ROPER, Dodge, Nebraska.

Chas. Biggins from Gregory, South Dakota, stopped here to pay a visit to his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Griffith. The young man had been accompanying a shipment of stock to Omaha market, and took a day off for the visit.

Mrs. Anna Ulrich and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. John Ulrich from Carroll were here Saturday evening, expecting to meet Henry Ulrich and children from Sioux City, who planned a bit of vacation visit with relatives in this county.

Mrs. G. P. Hitchcock and daughter Lila, Frank Hitchcock and Mrs. J. W. Krueger and daughter Ardith, and Helen Krueger went to Sioux City Monday morning to attend the funeral of H. D. Wilbur, son-in-law to Mrs. Hitchcock. Mrs. Krueger joined them there Tuesday.

Archie Mears, wife and son John came over from Sioux City Friday evening and spent a few days here visiting his parents, Grant S. Mears and wife. Mr. Mears is with the Wait & Lake commission house, and combined business with pleasure, and asked a few consignments.

Henry Wlemers went to Sioux City Tuesday morning on a business mission. Mr. Weimer who has been employed as mechanic at the Central garage for the past three years, resigned on account of his health and will travel for the Powers' Auto Supply Co.

Miss Mildred Page, formerly of this place, who taught at Cleveland, Ohio, the past school year, is employed part of the vacation time as supervisor of playgrounds. She is employed to teach the next school year in the same city. She was a visitor at the republican national convention, and has spent one week-end this spring visiting Niagara, one of the inspiring sights to be seen in America.

Sioux City has just awakened to the fact that they have an elephant to feed, and they have been feeding it black diamonds. It is an old building used as a detention hospital by the city. Last year they used 161 tons of coal, and we do not know that any of the inmates suffered from heat. It took 18 tons of coal for each patient cared for there last year. Small wonder that taxes are high.

Herman Rehder and family, his brother Fred, and a sister, Mrs. H. Clausen, all from Alliance, spent Sunday here, guests at the homes of J. H. Rehder a brother, and Geo. Redding, a nephew. Monday, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rehder, they went to visit other relatives at Weighon, Mrs. Chas. Hoffer, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rehder. Fred Rehder was a resident of Wayne about 15 years ago.

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Miss Stella Arnold went to Randolph Saturday evening to visit with home folks.

The last big sale of the season.—Hats at 1/2 price.—McLean & McCreary.—adv.

Mrs. Moran came out from Omaha Monday evening to visit Wayne relatives and friends.

Miss Lillie Scott went to Sioux City Saturday and spent a few days visiting with her mother, who is at the hospital.

W. M. Williams from Carroll was here Monday morning on his way to visit at the home of a daughter at Norfolk.

FOR SALE—Leather Davenport, Victrola, electric washer, leather rockers. Mrs. F. L. Neely, phone 129.—adv.

Mrs. Freda Luders, and two children left Monday morning for Grand Island, where she will visit for a week with her daughter.

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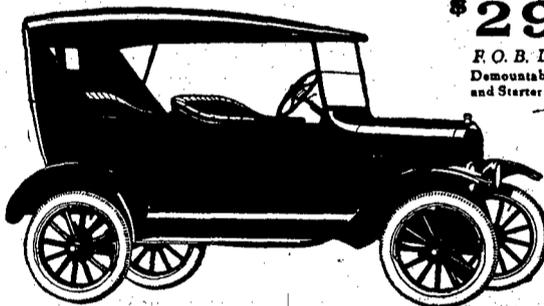
Mrs. H. Henney and Mrs. W. H. Gildersleeve went to Carroll Tuesday morning to attend the funeral of V. L. Dayton.

Miss Laura Stratman, who spent a few days visiting with friends here, departed Tuesday morning for her home at Wynot.

Mrs. D. D. Tobias, who spent two weeks visiting at the home of her father Gus Will and family returned to her home at Sioux City Saturday.

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

Miss Lois Moor from Inman, who was visiting at the home of a sister at Sioux City, stopped at Wayne Saturday for a week-end visit with Miss Lila Gardner, her teacher.



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NEWS AND COMMENTS

Ten men were indicted by the federal grand jury for having a part in the \$3,000,000 mail robbery near Chicago, and four of the ten are under arrest, while the other four are still at large.

Harvest has commenced in the south and is coming north. This week southern Kansas begins, next week it will creep into the northern part of the state, and then come to the southern part of this state. The U. S. employment service from its headquarters at 2014 Main Street, Kansas City is directing all men who apply there when and where to go, in its effort to supply labor where needed and avoid congestion where it is not needed or when it is not needed. If any from this vicinity wish to drop south and come north with the harvest, they might be aided in finding where most needed by writing to above address.

At Lincoln they opened a municipal bathing pool last Thursday, and a local paper says that no less than twenty-five people took a bath the first morning. Hope that none of



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them caught cold.

Just now we read of a clash between mine workers and guards at Morgantown, West Virginia. One man was dangerously wounded. If this strike is great enough, the price of coal may be advanced.

According to the reports of the state papers, Nebraska is not only building and paying for magnificent state capitol building, but is cutting the state operating expenses about \$6,000,000 or a half million per month, which is not a bad showing for the governor and his fellow workers. There is a surplus instead of the old-time deficit in the general fund.

Bladen is to have a new school house in the near future.

The fire cracker has made itself felt, knocking an eye out for Lee Overturf at Hastings, who was trying out a bunch of the Chinese invention. He will have plenty of company, we fear, before ten days have passed.

Four cars that were borrowed last week from a lake near Fremont, have been recovered, says a news item from that place. One of the cars, found in Omaha had been stripped of tires and parts.

The dates for the Nebraska state fair are announced—August 31 to September 5th.

One thing that seems to have made provoked some of the fellows engaged in getting liquors released from bond for a cash consideration was that they loosened up on the cash and failed to get the wet goods. One man claims to have paid \$8,000 for some release, and failed to get the goods.

Death rate for the past year is said to have been lower than any in recent years. In spite of that fact some life insurance rates are going higher.

WAYNE CASE TO SUPREME COURT

Lincoln, Nebraska, June 21—Three children of George Buskirk, formerly a wealthy resident of Wayne, have appealed to the supreme court, from the verdict of a jury that declared his last will to be null and void. It was challenged by six other children on the ground that the ravages of disease and the processes of old age had deprived him of mental competency, and that two other children favored had used undue influence to secure the execution to the will.

Two of the sons, Earl and Ray Buskirk, complained of the unjust and harsh provisions of one clause which read: "No provision is made herein for Earl Buskirk or Ray Buskirk, realizing the unfortunate fact that they have been neither good sons nor good citizens, and also believing that the acquirement of any property x x x would not be of any benefit to them individually nor to the locality or state in which they reside."

The estate is estimated to be worth \$30,000. After giving George Buskirk Jr. and a daughter, Jennie Döpf, the remainder due for land sold them, the residue was divided into four parts, one each going to the children of Henry, Gertrude Somers, Lida Hartshorn and Selma Newbligg. The contestants were Henry, Earl, Ray and Walter Buskirk, Lida Henderson and Selma Newbligg.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express the gratitude we feel toward the many neighbors and friends who gave kindly aid and sympathy to us in our time of sorrow, during the sickness, death and burial of wife and mother, and for the floral tributes.

Alexander Scott,
Geo. Scott,
Mrs. Henry Warner,
Mrs. John Sherbahn,
Mrs. Warren Emery.

FARM LEASE SUGGESTIONS

Two recent circulars put out by the Agricultural College at Lincoln deal with the problems that confront the owner and tenant who are seeking for a lease form that meets modern farm conditions. The Share-Cash lease, known as Extension Circular 803, carries many helpful suggestions for owner and tenant where cash is paid for a part of the land and grain rent is paid on the remainder of the farm. The Stock-Share lease or Extension Circular 804, is for owners who wish to maintain the farm at a high state of productivity as well as for the young man who wishes to start out on a good farm properly equipped with live stock and buildings. These circulars can be obtained from the offices of the County Extension Agent or from the Agricultural College, Lincoln.

Last spring, most too late for general use, the Democrat printed a farm lease of the share and cash nature for A. B. Clark which some believed contained many good features—and some that it was not a fair lease; but be that as it may, there was demand for several hundred of them from land owners and renters and agents who look after land leases for absent owners. Mr. Clark was to considerable expense in time and money to get a lease which would protect the land owner and still not work any hardship on a tenant who was inclined to be fair.

Mr. Clark said that he wanted to test the lease out for a season and if any serious disagreements came up between tenant and owner, let the court decide which was right; to be submitted in advance a number of questions about which he was not sure as to their legality, to very competent authority and made the lease conform to what was in their opinion the proper of legal contention.

We have a few copies of the lease yet, and can supply any who might wish to use them. Tho it is possible that an improved form may be gotten out the coming winter.

IOWA BANK WANTS GUARANTY FUND CASH

Lincoln, Nebraska, June 21—The receiver of the Carroll Trust & Savings bank, of Carroll, Iowa, has appealed to the supreme court from the denial of a claim of \$25,083 against the receiver of the American State bank of Omaha. The Iowa receiver claimed this was due as a balance on a checking account

his bank carried with the American, but it was denied as a claim against the guaranty fund or as an indebtedness at all. The Nebraska receiver claimed this was an effort to get money that had been used by the president of the Carroll bank, and cited the fact that the Iowa receiver

had filed a claim with the trustee in bankruptcy for John Roeltsema, the president, claiming he had misappropriated this specific sum.

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Ten Rounds
Kansas City, Missouri

"Kid" Ray

135 Pounds
Eight Rounds
Wayne, Nebraska

Jack McGill

155 Pounds
Six Rounds
Wisner, Nebraska

Clark Conners

122 Pounds
Ten Rounds
Sioux City, Iowa

Willard Dixon

140 Pounds
Eight Rounds
Kansas City, Missouri

Earl Wade

155 Pounds
Six Rounds
Windsor, Nebraska

Young Dixon vs. Clark Conners; Ten Rounds to Decision.

"Kid" Ray vs. Willard Dixon; Eight Rounds to Decision.

Jack McGill vs. Earl Wade; Six Rounds to Decision.

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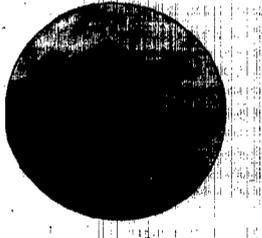
WAYNE MARKET REPORTS
Following are the market prices quoted us up to the time of going to press Thursday:

Corn	40
Oats	42
Springs	25
Roosters	.6
Stags	.10
Hens	13c and 16c
Eggs	.18
Butter Fat	.32
Hogs	\$6.25 to \$6.50
Cattle	\$8.00 to \$9.50

Out in the western part of this state is a man known by the name of Taylor, who is considered radical, and he is that in many respects—but he is not a pussy-foot. He was made a delegate from this state to the late "Farmer-Labor party" national convention at St. Paul, and elsewhere we tell you what the daily press said of him and the way he read the riot-act to the delegates who had gathered there under the false impression that it was to be representatives of farmers and laborers. But you had best look up the story and know Taylor's opinion of the aggregation.

Some fellows with foolish ambitions, as it seems to the writer, die in an attempt to do that which has baffled others—and that which is of little if any benefit to mankind if accomplished. Two men have just lost their lives in an attempt to reach the summit of Mt. Everest, the highest mountain peak known in the world. It is more than five miles up—29,000 feet above sea level. What good save a bit of glory? So, too, with these repeated attempts to reach the north pole, or the south pole. It is known that conditions exist there which make impracticant any use of the vast frozen territory. Why risk life to invade?

Yes, the greatest National Democratic convention of all time is now going forward in little old New York. If one may believe all that is being told of the passing events. Three phases of economies are represented: the most people appear to see but two. The ultra conservative and the extreme radical. They are fighting each other in a manner to attract attention. But midway between these opposing interests may be found the great middle class—those who want the greatest good to the greatest number. The conservatives have captured the republican crew, and are bidding for the democratic support. Not so openly as they did at the Cleveland convention, but hoping to be as effective—then they will feel indifferent as to which party label wins—for they would own them both. So in the convention now in session at New York the struggle apparently between the extreme radical and the very conservative, because they are making the most noise, should be controlled by those of the great middle class, and it can be if they but organize for that purpose. We need a government honest, efficient and in the interest of the masses, and the label is what it may. That the middle class will win.



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out at New York is the hope of millions, and it will be the best guarantee of victory the democrats can have.

TAYLOR OF NEBRASKA
KA DEPIES THEM
(Special Dispatch from the St. Paul Third Party Convention to the Chicago Tribune.)
Fireworks started when Mr. Taylor of Nebraska put in a minority report favoring La Follette if he should become a candidate. The name of "Fighting Bob" was boomed and a vituperative debate culminated when Mr. Taylor peeled off his coat, vest, and collar, and mounting the platform, tore into the communists.
"This isn't a convention composed of farmers and laborers," he cried, while shouts arose of "Throw him out!"
"I can't go back to Nebraska and say this is a Farmer-Labor party. In our delegation, with twenty-five present, I said 'Get up, all farmers, and only four or five got up. Nebraska here has one farmer to five labor delegates."
"I shall not mince words. Look over the delegates. The controlling element must have raked and scraped and combed every quarter of the United States, and communists are from New York and Texas; from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Yet I'm sure the communist party is a mere drop in the ocean in America. In this convention they have an organization within our organization. What chance has a mere handful of farmers?"
"Where's the issue? The farmers and laborers will never agree to the principles so prominently shown in this convention. La Follette knew what he was talking about."
"You can't build a Farmer-Labor party out of the elements predominant here. The farmer and the laborer believes our form of government is the best devised by man. They want to purge the temple."
"But they don't want to burp the temple down. They believe in our form of government, but want a change in administration."
"This other controlling group, however, wants to change our form of government. Why don't you say you are for a soviet government, if that's what you want? If you are for communism, say so specifically and directly. But you can't go out and call this a Farmer-Labor party."
The convention roared down Taylor's minority report for La Follette, and the Nebraskan, folding his coat over his arm, soon after passed quietly from the hall, followed by farmers here and there, two score in all.

THE DEMOCRATIC KEYNOTE
Senator Pat Harrison's speech sounded the unmistakable keynote for the democratic convention and the campaign that is to follow. And the succession of spontaneous demonstrations it excited revealed the fervor, not only patriotic but religious in its intensity, of the democratic spirit of 1924.
When the soldiers march singing into battle their hearts are lit. The convention, whatever its divisions as to issues and candidates, joined in singing the songs that attest the fundamental unity of democracy, "The Star Spangled Banner" and "America," with the beloved American song, "Anna Case, as leader. "Over There," "It's a Long, Long Trail" and "Keep the Home Fires Burning." "Dixie," "Maryland, My Maryland," "My Old Kentucky Home" and "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" the good old songs that are the inspiration of Americanism in peace and war. The souls of the fathers, the gallant spirits of the heroic dead, are in them all.
"It would seem now" concluded the chairman, "We can hear the soft voice of sweet reasonableness coming to us from Monticello; the voice of Old Hickory coming across the Blue Ridge from the Hermitage, and from that historic crypt at St. Albans we hear the mighty voice of Woodrow Wilson, wistfully calling to us: 'To you, from falling hands, we throw the torch. Hold it high. Carry on, carry on; keep the faith, keep the faith.'"
And the convention, in plentious jubilation, paraded cheering and singing, with banners aloft, in testimony that the torch will be held high and the faith be kept. Protestant and Catholic and Jew, men and women representative of all the races of our common ancestry, rich and poor, employers and employed, united in their devotion to the tenets and ideals that are embodied in the names of Jefferson and Jackson and Wilson.—World Herald.

CRADLE
MEARS—Tuesday, June 24, 1924, at Omaha, to Harold Mears and wife, twin daughters.
MISS REID LEAVES
Miss Agnes Reid, critic teacher in the training school kindergarten the past year left last Friday for Bowling Green, Ohio, where she has accepted a position.
Miss Ella Hill, '16, of Omaha will have charge of the kindergarten for the remainder of the summer term.

SOCIAL NOTES

The Bible Study Circle met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. A. E. Laase. Miss Charlotte Ziegler was leader of the lesson. Several letters were read. Miss Alga Christensen is expected here for a visit soon. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Ziegler. The Bible class is having a splendid attendance this summer there were 51 present at the last meeting. The class is taking a short course in John's Gospel, and Friday they will have the fifth chapter.

The P. E. O. met Friday evening at the home of Mrs. A. A. Welch, Mrs. Harry Fisher was assisting hostess. Mrs. Harry Craven gave a splendid report of the state convention which was held at St. Paul. Mrs. A. A. Welch also gave a part of the report. The remainder of the evening was spent socially. Mrs. Paul Harrington was a guest. At the close of the evening the hostesses served delicious refreshments. This closed the meetings for the year.

Last week was a sort of an anniversary week for Carl Madsen, is mother and his sister, they all having birthdays during the week, and it also being the anniversary week of Carl's departure for France and of his return a year later—the lad came near not coming back alive. A big dinner at the Madsen home was served one day in commemoration of the events.

The W. C. T. U. will not have a meeting in this month of June, but at some July date to be announced later, they will indulge in a great picnic, to which all should plan for attendance. We suggest that they wait until rain is really needed, for some claim it is the many picnics now planned that is causing so much rain. But we forget for the moment that the W. C. T. U. is a dry organization.

Mrs. D. E. Brainard and daughter Miss Dorothy, entertained twenty ladies at her home Friday afternoon in honor of Miss Frances Smith of Chadron. The afternoon was pleasantly passed playing bridge. At the close of the afternoon the hostesses served a two-course luncheon.

The Business and Professional Women held a picnic at the park last evening at which many of the members enjoyed a most happy time. It was a picnic supper, and that implies an excellent menu and an abundance of all that you like best in cats.

The ladies aid of the M. E. church have a picnic meeting scheduled for this afternoon at the Eli Laughlin home, about five miles southeast, and the day started in with nearly an inch of rainfall.

Mesdames J. J. Ahern, Mrs. Cunningham and Mrs. Harry Fisher entertained a party of their lady friends at bridge Wednesday afternoon at the Ahern home.

A party of little or young folks were entertained Saturday at the Rollie W. Ley home, and a happy time enjoyed.

Mrs. Fenton C. Jones and her Sunday school class will have a picnic supper at the Bressler park Friday evening.

The Royal Neighbors will hold their regular meeting Tuesday evening July 1st.

The Rebekahs will meet for their regular meeting Friday evening.

WITH THE WAYNE CHURCHES

Methodist Episcopal Church
Rev. John Grant Shick, pastor
Sunday school at 10 a. m., Conrad Jacobson, superintendent.

Epworth League at 7 p. m., Miss Ruth Adams, leader.
Public worship at 11 a. m.

Mid-week meeting on Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.
At the service Sunday morning opportunity will be given for parents to have their infants and small children baptized; and baptism will also be administered to adults. Reception of members from the preparatory class will also take place. Opportunity will also be given for persons to unite with the Church on Confession of Faith. Following these services the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed. A cordial invitation to all to worship with us.

Two meetings have been held recently with a class of preparatory members preliminary to receiving them in to full membership. It is hoped that every member of the class can be present to be received next Sunday morning. The members of this class, with their relatives who may accompany them, will be invited to take communion together. This should be a beautiful service. Parents and other members of the homes from which these candidates come are

specially invited to be with us at the service.

At least four little folks were not able to be present to be baptized on Children's Day so we are announcing baptism for children next Sunday. Any parents have children whom they wish to be baptized are invited to be present with them.

Baptist Church
Francis K. Allen, Minister
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Public worship at 11 a. m. Sermon: "Our Nation for Christ."
Young People's Rally, roll call and re-organization at 7 p. m.

Union meeting in the Lutheran church at 8 p. m.

The Women's Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. C. E. Sprague Thursday afternoon.

Sunday morning the young men organized and elected the following officers: President, Harry Chichester; vice president, Allan Stamm; second vice president, Calvin Kopp; secretary, Glenn Chichester; treasurer, Elmer Baker. It will be known as the Y. M. C. class of the Sunday school.

Edna Myers Webb, a former Wayne girl and member of this church, now of First church, Lincoln, will go as a missionary to West China this fall.

Evangelical Lutheran Church.
Rev. H. A. Teckhaus, Pastor
Sunday school 10:00 a. m.
Rev. John Schrader of Yutan Nebraska, will address the Sunday school. A special offering for missions will be taken.
Regular morning service 11 a. m. The Rev. F. C. Schultdt of Fontanelle, Nebraska, will deliver the sermon.

Right after the service dinner will be served in the basement by the ladies of the church.
The afternoon service will commence at 2:30 p. m. Rev. John Schrader and Rev. F. C. Schultdt will preach to us in German and English.

Special offerings in both services for Missions will be taken.
Everybody is heartily invited to attend our Mission-Festival.
The Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Albert Mau Wednesday, July the 2nd.

First Presbyterian Church
Rev. Fenton C. Jones, pastor
10:30 Morning worship. Sermon subject "Wonder, Love and Praise."
11:30 Sunday school.
7:30 service at the English Lutheran church.

English Lutheran Church
(Rev. J. H. Fetterolf, Pastor)
10 a. m. Sunday school.
11 a. m. public worship with sermon. This will be the last service conducted by the pastor before he leaves for his new field.

TRAINING SCHOOL TO BE REMODELED

Expense of \$3,000 to \$5,000 Will Come from General Maintenance Repair Fund

(From the Goldenrod)
The training school is to be remodelled this summer during the month of August and repairs amounting to between \$3,000 to \$5,000 will be made. The old stairway is to be replaced with one of steel and concrete, and the entrance of the building is to be changed from the south to the west. Rooms in the basement and the two upper floors are to be remodeled. There will be more classrooms and better arrangement of them, and supervisors will have private offices. President U. S. Conn and Professor J. J. Hunteter were in Sioux City last Tuesday to go over the plans and order the steel necessary. Mr. Hunteter will be in charge of the remodeling and will start as soon as the summer term is finished. Repair money from the general maintenance fund of the school will be used for the improvement. The plan involves a considerable saving in floor space and will result in the elimination of the period of confusion resulting from the passage of a class down the old wooden stairway.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Wayne, Nebraska, June 24, 1924.
The regular meeting of the City Council was held in the council rooms in the City Hall of Wayne, Nebraska with the following members present to-wit: Councilmen, Lamberson, Bichel, Strahan, Gildersleeve, Miller and Owen. Mayor Wm. Orr. Present W. S. Bressler, Clerk.

The meeting was called to order by the mayor, and the minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.
The following bills were examined, read and on motion approved and warrants ordered drawn to-wit: McGraw Company, P. H. supplies \$89.13
Western Fuel Co., 1 car of slack 75.08
Central Coal & Coke Co., 1 car Slack 71.15
Jones, Book & Music Store, office supplies 2.50

by Miller that the dealers, in fire crackers, etc. be requested not to sell Fire crackers etc. until July 3, 1924. Motion carried.
Motion to adjourn. Motion carried.
ATTEST:
W. S. BRESSLER, WM. ORR,
City Clerk. Mayor.
Fortner wants your poultry, cream and eggs—adv.

Car Load
Flour and Feed
Just Received
At Fortner's—and it is his advice to his patrons to buy soon—very soon, for prices are advancing. In fact, feed has made a raise of about \$4.00 per ton.
The flour is high quality as all know who have used
Cinderella, Jersey Cream, White Lilly
Fortner's Feed Mill

H. B. Craven, P. H. supplies	8.50
H. M. Sears, June salary	135.00
Ray Norton, June salary	100.00
John Sylvanus, June salary	100.00
Harvey Meyers, June salary	100.00
Grant Simmerman, 18 days labor	54.00
R. E. Miller, June salary	200.00
E. E. Hale, June salary	100.80
W. S. Bressler, clerk, freight money advance	535.00
W. S. Bressler, clerk, July payment on Engine	555.85
Bert Graham, unloading two cars of slack	50.80
Merchant & Strahan, oil & gas	80.12
Friend Bros. Co., roof on City Hall	492.00
H. B. Craven, City hall supplies	59.10
Perkins Bros. Co., office supplies	13.37
Jones Book & Music Store, office supplies	3.85
Nebraska Democrat, printing	20.29
Orr & Orr Co., City Hall supplies	1.00
Fred Korff, June salary	85.00
H. W. Bonawitz, June salary	100.00
A. A. Chance, mason work on City Hall	15.00
Hans Sundahl, June salary	100.00
W. A. Stewart, June salary	140.00
Dick Carpenter, street labor	86.80
W. S. Bressler, clerk, money Adv. freight on paint	4.21
J. H. Fitch, park labor, police duty	110.00
Evert Smith, park labor	80.20
W. S. Bressler, clerk, money Adv. on Park labor	12.40
American LaFrance Engine Co. Fire Equipment & supplies	20.00
W. S. Bressler, clerk, money Adv. cleaning fire trucks	4.00

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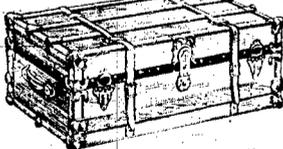
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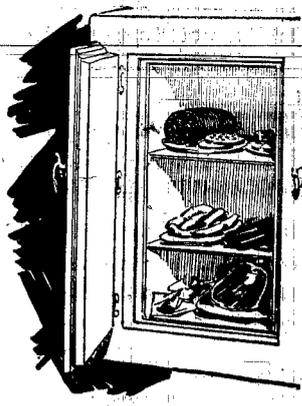
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Dr. A. D. Lewis is at Sioux City on business today.
Buy your summer hat Saturday, at 1/2 price.—McLean & McCreary.—adv.
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Charles and Miss Clara Ireland went to Sioux City this morning and spent the day.
Judging of lawns is soon to begin, the committee having a meeting last evening to organize for the work.
Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Rockwell, who spent several days visiting with relatives at Omaha returned home Wednesday.
Miss Gladys Buchanan of Randolph passed through Wayne Wednesday on her way to Grand Island where she will visit.

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PHONE FOUR-SIX-THREE

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Wayne, Nebraska

Misses Winifred and Irene Collins were Wayne visitors Tuesday.
STRAYED—1 roan horse, wt. about 1350, finder please call 376.—adv. pd.
The Bloomfield bankers had a big picnic the first of the week at Bazile valley.
Mrs. L. M. LaCroix was over from Winside Wednesday, shopping being the avowed mission.
Joe Ringland left this morning for Omaha where he will work in the United States National.
Miss Margaret Lowther of Randolph passed through Wayne this morning on her way to Omaha where she will visit with relatives.
Mrs. R. H. Goudy from Valley, California, came Wednesday afternoon to be present at the funeral of her father, Micheal O'Connell.
Mrs. A. C. Dean of Denver, who is visiting in these parts, went to Winside Wednesday to visit at the home of Harry Tidrich and family, her aunt.
Yes, the hay harvest is beginning, and alfalfa is mostly ready for the first cutting. Crop is reported pretty good, but the weather fierce for hay making.
Mrs. Mentzer, whose husband is employed on a farm would like a farm place for herself and baby, or a place in which to work. She is stopping at the Union hotel.
WANTED—All Legion members to report for duty Sunday morning that can possibly come at the Fair grounds to help build seats and put up the grand stand. Bring saws and hammers with you if you have them.
Mrs. A. D. Lewis and Mrs. E. E. Fleetwood and sons went to Newcastle the first of the week. Mrs. F. visited friends there, and Mrs. Lewis attended a picnic given by relatives in honor of the home coming as a bride and groom, a cousin from Whitewood, South Dakota.

Fertner wants your eggs.—adv.
Mrs. W. C. McLennon spent the day visiting at Sioux City going over this morning.
One big assortment of hats, Saturday at \$1.00 each.—McLean & McCreary.—adv.
Mrs. James Murfield and son James from Onawa, Iowa, came the first of the week to visit at the Roy Murfield home.
Howard James was a passenger to Norfolk Tuesday evening, having a business mission in that city. He returns today unless plans miscarry.
Mrs. D. H. Kay of Wakefield and daughter Miss Anna Kay and Miss Stella Morell of Emerson were Wayne visitors between train Wednesday.
Geo. Roskopf was over from Norfolk Tuesday. Says it is hard for a traveling man to dodge showers just now and make his territory without a boat.
Mr. and Mrs. John Newman and two children and John Kingling of Winside passed through Wayne this morning going to Omaha for a few days.
W. S. Allison, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, who was visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Yall and with his sister Mrs. Sarah Overrocker, returned to his home Tuesday morning.
Mrs. Don Porter and two children went to Sioux City Wednesday morning, she took her son over to have his ear dressed. He underwent an operation last week for mastoid.

Miss Anna Hachmeier, who spent a couple of weeks visiting with her brother Henry Hachmeier left Monday for Norfolk and latter she plans on going to Michigan.
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Guy L. Winegar and wife from Alliance were here the first of the week, guests at the home of L. R. Winegar and family. The visitors were on their wedding trip, having been married June 18th, and were visiting relatives and friends in this corner of Nebraska.
Tuesday we met an old Iowa friend in our city, and in a little chat he said that he comes to Wayne nearly every week because it pays as a shopping proposition. He is 12 miles out, and nearer several smaller towns; but unless roads are especially bad Wayne is his trade point.
Mrs. Merle Milton and little infant daughter Jean Erdine, came from Long Pine Wednesday afternoon to visit for a short time at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Juhlin and other relatives. She was accompanied by her sister-in-law Mrs. Bert Juhlin, who spent a week with her at Long Pine.
Fertner wants your poultry, cream and eggs.—adv.

Henry Wittler of southwest of Wayne has bought of Ernest Vogt a brand new piano. The lowest price in the country on high grade pianos sold this piano for Mr. Vogt.—adv.
Mrs. Mary Bannister, formerly a resident here, and mother of John Bannister, died Wednesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thompson at Gordon. She was 90 years of age.
Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Miller, who spent about two weeks visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bressler her sister, departed Tuesday morning for their home at Council Bluffs.
Miss Talmadge Solt, who was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Young left Wednesday morning for Hartington, where she will do church work. Her home is at Shenandoah, Iowa.
Mrs. F. S. Peterson came from Cleveland, Massachusetts, this morning for a visit at the homes of E. L. Chichester and Frank Chichester, her brothers. She will also visit friends.
The first installment of early styles in fall felts for the young ladies are here, and may be seen in the millinery department of Mrs. Jeffries Style Shop. You will want to see them.—adv.
Dr. S. A. Lutgen was called to Norfolk the first of the week to operate on a case of double hernia. He used only the local anesthetic, and reports that the patient is rallying nicely at last accounts.
Oscar Liedtke, Harvey Hostetter, Elmer Galley and Frank Thielman, who spent week fishing at Lake Andes, returned home Saturday. They caught sixty-four bass and the largest one weighed four pounds.
Dress your feet for the celebration ladies. Mrs. Jeffries has at her Style Shop a large stock and big assortment of the latest, neatest and best in footwear for the ladies and children. You are welcome to come and see.—adv.

TEN BINDER TIPS
Below we copy some suggestions of how to look for and care for binder troubles that may be of much value to the farmer in the approaching harvest. If they save you a trip to town, or call for the agent—or even if they shall save you a half hour time when the grain is crowding you, they will be well worth reading and remembering—and perhaps save you in time and money many times the cost of the Democrat for the year. They are suggestions formed at the Agricultural college at Lincoln—not in the Democrat shop. Here they are:
1. If the machine travels with a jerky motion, main drive chain is too loose or it may be dry, try a little oil on it.
2. If the slats rig off the canvas the elevators are not square.
3. If the knotted hook is rusty and rough it will not work properly. Polish it with a fine emery paper.
4. If the binder attachment is not timed properly it certainly will not work. Some binders are timed in as many as five places.
5. If the knotted hook does not turn far enough to close the fingers on the twine, no knot will be tied. Look at the knotted pinton. It should not be worn.
6. If the twine slips through the cord holder the twine will be pulled out before the knot is tied. Adjust the cord holder spring. It should take 40 pounds to pull the twine from the disk.
7. If the disk does not move far enough the knotted hook grasps only one cord, hence a loose end band.
8. If the needle is bent or out of shape there will be a loose end band. The needle is malleable iron and may be hammered back to shape.
9. If the twine is pulled from the hooks before the knot is tied try the

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knife, it may be dull.
10. If you wish to change the size of bundles do it with the bundle sizer spring, not the tension or compress spring.

COURSES CHANGED
Two important changes are announced in the catalog for the year 1924-25, which was issued last week. The Junior State Certificate has been discontinued and the requirements for the General Elementary Certificate have been raised to approximate those of the old Junior Certificate. Instead of representing four years above the eighth grade it requires the equivalent of a high school course and one year of college work.
Requirements for the elementary rural course have been raised, the pre-requisite being completion of the ninth grade, instead of the eighth as heretofore. This also has the effect of strengthening the advanced rural course, making its completion the equivalent of five years above the eighth grade.

MISS HELEN WEHRLI IS WED IN ALABAMA
Miss Helen Wehrli, who taught in the Latin department at the State College last year when Miss Elsie Ford Piper was on a leave of absence, and Mr. Hugh McGrew Wallace were married in Birmingham, Alabama, Tuesday, June 10. They will make their home in Birmingham.
Mrs. Wallace is a daughter of Charles Wehrli of Mound City, Mo. She is a graduate of the University of Nebraska and a member of Alpha Omicron Pi sorority. She taught in Birmingham after leaving Wayne last year.

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Among those from away in attendance at the V. L. Dayton funeral Tuesday, Judge Rose and wife, a sister to Mrs. Dayton, from Lincoln; Fredrick and G. A. Schrawger and wife from Tekamah, and Lewis Trester of Lincoln, a brother of Mrs. Dayton.
Mrs. Geo. Madsen from Urbana, Illinois is visiting relatives here, a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spahr. Mr. Madsen was here last week with his wife, visiting among his many relatives and friends, but had to return to his duties.
Rev. Jones from the church west of Carroll and his wife were called to Cleveland, Ohio, Wednesday by a message telling of the death of the lady's father, D. H. Jones. Mr. Jones was visiting his daughter in this county during the past year, for a short time.
The Hartington Herald tells that the Hunter party closed their meetings at that place after four weeks of work and departed for Beatrice to begin a series of meetings. The report said that 75 conversions were reported as a result of the meetings in Cedar county. The party stopped at Wayne part of a day on their way south and greeted a few friends.
F. Weber and wife of Randolph were here Tuesday on their way home from Sioux City, where Mr. Weber had been at a hospital for an operation. He said this was fifth major operation he had undergone, and that he is getting quite accustomed to them. He is near the forecast age, and thinks he can stand a few more operations if necessary, but he would prefer the quiet of his home. He came to this part of Nebraska in 1884.

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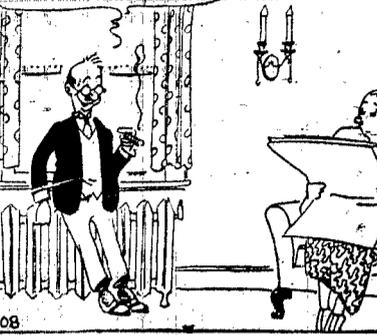
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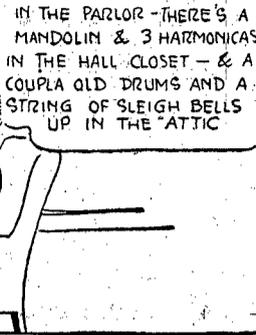
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PERSONAL PROPERTY VALUATIONS FOR 1924

The following named individuals, firms, corporations, or copartnerships have been assessed in the precincts as herein shown and the amounts set opposite their name are the valuations fixed by the Assessor and are as they appear from the assessment record and also are the totals upon which the tax for the year 1924 will be computed unless changed by either the County or State Boards of Equalization. Bear in mind that these are the actual valuations as all levies are now based on actual instead of assessed values.

WAYNE

Assenheimer, W. F.	\$ 110.00
Abern, J. J.	15615.00
Auker, S. E.	380.00
Atkins, J. H.	750.00
Abern, A. W.	425.00
Ahlvers, F. H.	45.00
Anderson, F. A.	680.00
Andresen, Wm. H.	710.00
Ahern, John F.	395.00
Andersen, Jens	305.00
Allan, F. K.	365.00
Assenheimer, Rose	125.00
Armstrong, Ellen	5.00
Andrews, W. C.	115.00
Ahlvers, Ben F.	165.00
Anderson, S. O.	625.00
Adams, A. G.	1875.00
American Ins. Co. Newark, N. J., PHR H. Kohl, Agt.	812.00
Aetna Fire Ins. Co. of Hartford, Conn., F. G. Philleo, Agent	206.00
Agricultural Fire Ins. Co. Watertown, N. Y., Martin L. Ringer, Agt.	251.00
American Eagle Fire Ins. Co. New York, Kohl Land & Investment Co., Agt.	162.00
Bressler, Walter S.	120.00
Baird, James	160.00
Boyes, J. Hy	236.00
Blair, E. S.	1035.00
Ringold, John	1175.00
Bohnert, A. G.	435.00
Bonawitz, H. W.	30.00
Brittain, Jas. E.	225.00
Box, G. W. & E. A. Gillette	515.00
Beaman, W. E.	140.00
Bowen, O. R.	1000.00
Blair, Fred L.	6070.00
Brisben, John M.	300.00
Bargholz, Christ	65.00
Beckenbauer, Wm.	445.00
Baker, Mrs. Emma	205.00
Baker, Henry J.	425.00
Barnett, H. W.	45.00
Baker, Louis	40.00
Burton, V. H.	30.00
Bartels, Fred	130.00
Brock, F. E.	335.00
Berntson, Carl	80.00
Bressler, A. E.	80.00
Berry, C. A.	155.00
Bush, George	90.00
Bradford, S. E.	110.00
Baker, J. W.	235.00
Barnes, Peter J.	390.00
Brittall, I. H.	670.00
Broschelt, Wm.	85.00
Bastian, C. C.	170.00
Berry, F. S.	220.00
Bressler, John T.	955.00
Berres, George	745.00
Bruce, A. R.	100.00
Barrett, Mrs. J. M.	380.00
Brainard, D. E. & Ringland, H. S. Adm. Geo. Buskirk sr. Estate	475.00
Brown, Mrs. Laura	20.00
Brockway, Etwa	1050.00
Bose, Charley	940.00
Benshoof, Mrs. F. M.	15.00
Bickel, Fred	10.00
Benshoof, Leglie	225.00
Brittain, Mrs. Mary E.	20.00
Brainard, D. E.	755.00
Buetow, Chas. H.	355.00
Benning, John	75.00
Bush, Henry S.	130.00
Beery, Leon F.	640.00
Bastian, Albert	260.00
Barnes, John W.	25.00
Barnes, Sam	115.00
Buetow, W. H.	505.00
Bodenstadt, Herman	100.00
Benson, Wm. L.	90.00
Boston Ins. Co. Boston, Mass. Martin L. Ringer, Agt.	78.00
Cavanaugh, D. J.	150.00
Cavanaugh, A. T.	620.00
Carhford, M. V.	115.00
Carhart, C. E.	1130.00
Conger, Clarence	5.00
Conger, O. T.	300.00
Carhart, A. B.	200.00

Chance, A. A.	95.00
Conger, June	1295.00
Craven, C. M.	2060.00
Cross, Mary G.	125.00
Craven, Mrs. R.	20.00
Carhart Lumber Co.	12550.00
Carpenter, Mrs. Kate	65.00
Carpenter, R. T.	9530.00
Carhart Hardware Co.	170.00
Coryell, W. C.	2445.00
Coryell & Brock	710.00
Cherry, J. M.	510.00
Chace, C. A.	945.00
Cunningham, D. H.	115.00
Crockett, P. C.	530.00
Coyle, R. C.	580.00
Concrete Construction Co.	730.00
Carhart, J. S.	310.00
Cronk, H. V.	180.00
Cross, S. H.	1660.00
Conn, U. S.	470.00
Crossland, G. W.	90.00
Crockett, Ralph L.	50.00
Carpenter, Mrs. Bertha	8545.00
Craven, H. B.	500.00
Craig, Burle	10.00
Chichester, Mrs. Stella	555.00
Chinn, Charles R.	40.00
Cross, R. H.	470.00
Columbia Fire Underwriters Ins. Co. of Nebr. D. E. Brainard, Agt.	1379.00
Commercial Union Assurance Co. Ltd. of London, England, A. E. Bressler, Agt.	16.00
Continental Fire Ins. Co. of New York, Grant S. Mears Agent	614.00
Citizens National Bank, Wayne	90980.00
Davies, Sam	340.00
Dayton, Mrs. S. W.	50.00
Davis, A. R.	1255.00
Dammeyer and Hammer	725.00
Denbeck, Jack	925.00
Dammeyer, Wm.	315.00
Dowling, J. E.	225.00
Dayton, Mabel A.	300.00
Dale, Fred G.	340.00
Davis, F. S.	215.00
Davis, Grant	230.00
Davis, J. L.	525.00
Dunn, R. A.	530.00
Davis, Mrs. Anna L.	115.00
Dragon, A. L.	80.00
Dennis, J. E.	175.00
Denkinger, Geo.	50.00
Ellison, Oliver	125.00
Ellis, I. E.	810.00
Ellis, W. R.	540.00
Ellers, L. C.	845.00
Ellis, L. W.	265.00
Elming, Frank E.	105.00
Eckhoff, Fred	70.00
Edholm, E. S.	400.00
Fitch, J. H.	350.00
Fitch, Lloyd B.	275.00
Fisher, J. H.	105.00
Fitch, Don	100.00
Finn, Jas.	120.00
Fox, S. C.	180.00
Frydenlund, J. A.	50.00
Fuller, Elmer	225.00
Fleetwood, E. E.	1005.00
Fanske, L. A.	165.00
Fisher, Mary A. K.	145.00
Farmers Union Co-op. Ass'n. by G. A. Lamberson	2310.00
Fox, S.	1040.00
Fox, W. C.	4090.00
Fornier, G. W.	15.00
Foster, J. H.	115.00
Fisher, C. H.	274.00
Fox, Clinton C.	258.00
Francis, George	115.00
Fitch, Earl	25.00
Ferguson, Mrs. Isabelle J.	1765.00
Forth, Robert	1765.00
Fidelity Phoenix Fire Ins. Co. of Nebraska, D. E. Brainard, agent	274.00
Franklin Fire Ins. Co. of New York, F. G. Philleo, Agent	258.00
Fire Ass'n. of Philadelphia Fire Ins. Co. of Philadelphia, Penn., F. G. Philleo, Agent	214.00
First National Bank, Wayne	10709.00
Gamble, Mrs. Mary C.	5.00
Garton, E. B.	30.00
Gildersleeve, A. E.	140.00
Griffith, F. M.	1740.00
Grunmeyer, A. G.	120.00
Graham, Bert	1275.00
Gildersleeve, W. H.	1710.00
Galley, Elmer E.	100.00
Green, Walter G.	50.00
Grothe, C. A.	406.00
Granquist, Anton	50.00
Griffith, E. L.	50.00

Gansko, G. A.	2655.00
Granquist, Edward	125.00
Gamble, F. E.	465.00
Gamble and Senter	11250.00
Groskurth, J. W.	375.00
Gamble, Emma E. Guardian	350.00
Gildersleeve, L. C.	135.00
Gamble, Emma E.	525.00
Gildersleeve, C. E.	425.00
Granquist, Mrs. E.	125.00
Gulliver, A. F.	195.00
Grimsley, John G.	815.00
Gardner, E. O.	115.00
Gardner & Wade	2100.00
Gossard, A. P.	20.00
Granquist, Carl	275.00
Gaertner, J. P.	175.00
Germar, E. F.	25.00
Gamble, J. S.	85.00
Gilbert, Mary A.	525.00
Gildersleeve, Mrs. Ann	120.00
Gildersleeve, Harold	100.00
Goodyear, Mrs. L.	500.00
Gunther and Shirley	215.00
Griffith, H. L.	25.00
Gettman, Helfrich	636.00
Globe & Rutgers Ins. Co. N. Y. Martin L. Ringer Agt.	65.00
Great American Fire Ins. Co. of New York, Grant S. Mears, Agt.	75.00
Hostetter, Harvey G.	10.00
Hostetter, Sarah C.	260.00
Hachmeier, H. H.	60.00
Hatch, James	1275.00
Hendrikson, C. H.	215.00
Harvey, H. E.	255.00
Hansen, Henry	425.00
Hunter, W. A.	170.00
Henegar, A. H.	50.00
Hamilton, Clair M.	3185.00
Hiscox, W. A.	9145.00
Hawkins, W. M.	105.00
Hammer, Harry F.	460.00
Henkel, Robert W.	405.00
Hogwood, Geo.	25.00
Hiscox, C. W.	3645.00
Horney, J. S.	580.00
Huse, E. W.	5690.00
Hopper, J. D.	635.00
Hunter, W. G.	585.00
Harrington, John	1220.00
Hall, D.	590.00
Hufford, J. E.	235.00
Hansen, Gus	35.00
Hurstad, Alvin E.	610.00
House, J. T.	250.00
Hahn, Mrs. H. M.	885.00
Hurstad, J. H.	115.00
Hurstad, O. P. & Son	10070.00
Hood, Mrs. Bertha	5.00
Hunter, E. J.	550.00
Hahlbeck, R. C.	310.00
Holekamp, Geo. L.	125.00
Hartshorn, Lida	400.00
Hurstad, Ole	105.00
Heckert, T. B.	685.00
Holbrook, L.	75.00
Hoine, Frank	280.00
Hale, E. E.	10.00
Hogan, J. W.	25.00
Hansen, Wetbke	25.00
Heckel, Peter	80.00
Hogwood, W. H.	915.00
Hess, Carrie E.	1165.00
Hughes, G. W.	135.00
Hofrichs, Ida	340.00
Huth, John	50.00
Hanford Produce Co., J. H. Whittmore, Treas.	195.00
Hansen, J. C.	50.00
Home Ins. Co. New York, Phil H. Kohl, Agt.	1093.00
Hartford Fire Ins. Co. Hartford, Conn. Martin L. Ringer, Agt.	1280.00
Hanover Fire Ins. Co. of Nebraska, D. E. Brainard, Agt.	305.00
Ingham, C. T.	1535.00
Ickler, Sibert	105.00
Ingham, Otto	425.00
Ins. Co. of North America, Philadelphia, Rollo W. Ley, Agt.	655.00
Johnson, Ann Gamble	155.00
Jones, T. T.	940.00
Johnson and Hawkins	1490.00
Johnson, John C.	305.00
Johnson, Gust A.	390.00
Judson, R. B.	3130.00
James, Howard M.	50.00
Jank, Henry	1510.00
Juhlin, N. J.	30.00
Jones, F. H.	8505.00
Jensen, Sigurd W.	385.00
Jones, J. W.	535.00
Jeffries, Mrs. J. F.	7670.00
Jorgensen, T. C.	95.00
Jacobs, A. M.	110.00
Jenik, John	185.00
Jenik, John Jr.	55.00

Johnson, C. W.	540.00
Jacobs, R. F.	155.00
Johnson, Bert J.	305.00
Jenkins, W. E.	35.00
James, John E.	985.00
Jacques, R. H.	570.00
Jensen, Ivar C.	800.00
Jones, D. A.	1800.00
Jones, H. B.	225.00
Jacobson, Conrad	175.00
James, P. G.	510.00
Jones, F. C.	240.00
Jones, Fenton C.	440.00
Junck, Chas. H.	250.00
Jones, Alvie S.	45.00
Jones, Robt. H.	460.00
Korff, Henry	130.00
Korff, Fred W.	225.00
Krueger, J. W.	630.00
Kay, John	110.00
Korff, Frank F.	185.00
Kohl Land Co.	655.00
Kingston, J. B.	2215.00
Kroger, Marcus	175.00
Kearns, Ernest E.	1070.00
Kay, Henry	645.00
Kratavil, L. W.	345.00
Krel, John	125.00
Koch, C. Henry	185.00
Keyser, Grace Dickson	125.00
Kopp, S. C.	435.00
Kroger, Marcus	655.00
Kemp, J. H.	360.00
Kohl, P. H.	130.00
Knoll, Louis	175.00
Kugler, Wm.	495.00
Kieper, Adolph	550.00
Kearns, Rev. W.	80.00
Kollogg, Henry	105.00
Kemp, Fred	210.00
Kostomlatsky, E.	105.00
Loberg, Aug.	195.00
Laham, E. N.	765.00
Lackey, E. E.	410.00
Lamberson, L. C.	255.00
Liedtke, Oscar C.	50.00
Loomis, L.	55.00
Lamberson, Geo. A.	110.00
Love, V. B.	1010.00
Love, E. R.	35.00
Luders, Chriss	80.00
Luders, Friederike	570.00
Liveringhouse, C. E.	125.00
Leindecker, L.	120.00
Larson, R. L.	14375.00
Larson & Larson	440.00
Lundberg, Herman	20.00
Lerner, W. H.	775.00
Ley, Henry	1040.00
Lewis, John S. Jr.	590.00
Lewis, J. G. W.	135.00
Lerner, Anton	550.00
Ley, Rollo W. & W. L. Wischhof, Ex. for Chirs. Wischhof Estate	550.00
Ley, Rollo W. Ex. R. H. Skiles Estate	155.00
Ley, Rollo W. & S. C. Fox, Trustees	445.00
Ley, Rollo W.	1240.00
Lindsay, G. D.	60.00
Lynman, Arthur	155.00
Lund, C. J.	430.00
Lutgen, S. A.	1455.00
Lewis, A. D.	670.00
Lyons, Mrs. H. C.	25.00
Laase, Herbert	75.00
Laase, Amos	815.00
London & Liverpool & Globe Ltd. Fire Ins. Co. of Chicago, F. G. Philleo, Agt.	44.00
Miller, J. G.	125.00
Mabbott, P. L.	495.00
Martin, C. A.	195.00
Mitchell, C. O.	100.00
Meyer, Bernard	90.00
Mildner, Paul	120.00
Mau, Charles	4165.00
Meyer, H.	4730.00
Mildner, Herman	8015.00
Miller & Strickland	155.00
Miller, Frank S.	190.00
Mears, Grant S. Guardian for Rhinold Thiemann	110.00
Mears, Grant S. Trustee for Lillian Powell	190.00
Mears, Grant S.	1000.00
Miller, Charles	110.00
Merchant, E. H.	245.00
Merchant & Strahan	3815.00
Meyer & Bichel	11585.00
Meister, Mrs. John & Sons	2745.00
Meister, John A.	500.00
Main, Mrs. D. C.	1140.00
Madsen, Carl A. W.	3925.00
Mines, Paul R.	155.00
Mines, J. G.	4225.00
Mitchell, A. S.	30.00
Madsen, Hans	105.00
Murfield, Roy	435.00
Malloy, Louisa	105.00
Massie, J. H.	105.00
Miller, A. A.	100.00

Miller, W. S.	5.00
Morgan, J. W.	15.00
Mears, Wm.	110.00
Mau, Albert C.	20.00
Martin, W. C.	955.00
Miller, C. E.	210.00
Martin, J. M.	280.00
Mellor, Mrs. Maggie S.	510.00
Mason, Mrs. Mille E.	25.00
Michael, E. B.	125.00
Merrill, J. H.	150.00
Mace, J. A.	50.00
Murphy, Chas. Mc	75.00

PERSONAL PROPERTY

VALUATIONS FOR 1924
(continued from page six)

Vail, Wm. B.	235.00
Van Norman, George	250.00
Vath, L. W.	105.00
Vahlkamp, Henry	125.00
Vogel, Mrs. Otto	60.00
W	
Wright, Claude L.	100.00
Whittler, August	250.00
Wright, B. W.	610.00
Whalen, Mrs. Clara Adm.	805.00
Ward, O. L.	150.00
Will, R. L.	165.00
Wagner, Peter	5.00
White, C. W.	210.00
Williams, R. P.	30.00
Way, M. E.	294.00
Wayne Drug Co.	5130.00
Westerhouse, Henry	440.00
Wayne Monument Works	6260.00
Wayne Lodge No. 120 A. F. A. M., J. M. Cherry, Secy.	325.00
Watson, Wm. H.	655.00
Wright, C. E.	530.00
Wend, G.	180.00
Wade, G. A.	580.00
Winter, John F.	4890.00
Whitaker, C. E.	150.00
Wilson, C. A.	30.00
Wayne Motor Co.	5205.00
Welch, A. A.	1360.00
Wheaton, H. S.	50.00
Wischhof, Clara	360.00
Wilson, H. F. Adm. P. M. Corbit, Est.	395.00
Wilson, H. F. Adm. Helen E. Corbit, Dec'd.	95.00
Wilson, H. F. Guardian of Mary Louise McGinty	550.00
Wilson, H. F.	695.00
Wilson, H. F. and Ringland, H. S. Trustees, Philip Sullivan Est.	1025.00
Wayne County Abstract Co., L. W. Ellis, Secy. and Mgr.	1700.00
Wilson, H. F. Guardian Frank Minors	1545.00
Wellbaum, J. S.	15.00
Whitmore, S. B.	635.00
Woxberg, Ed	25.00
Wiemers, H. G.	10.00

LIVE STOCK PRICES AT SOUTH OMAHA

Cattle Steady at Recent Big Decline—Top \$10.15

HOGS TAKE 5c TO 10c DROP

Liberal Run of Sheep and Lambs—Fat Lambs 10@15c Lower—Feeder Grades 10@15c Higher—Top Woolled Lambs \$13.75.

Union Stock Yards, South Omaha, June 25, 1924.—Cattle receipts were comparatively light Tuesday about 4,500 head, and the market was a little stronger on best shipping grades. Best cattle here brought \$10.15. Cow stuff ruled steady and stockers and feeders dull and unchanged.

Quotations on cattle:—Choice to prime beefs, \$9.50@10.25; good to choice beefs, \$8.65@9.40; fair to good beefs, \$8.00@8.80; common to fair beefs, \$7.25@8.00; choice to prime yearlings, \$8.05@9.00; good to choice yearlings, \$7.60@8.50; fair to good yearlings, \$7.00@7.50; common to fair yearlings, \$6.00@7.00; good to choice fed heifers, \$7.00@8.00; fair to good heifers, \$6.25@7.00; common to fair fed heifers, \$5.00@6.25; choice to prime cows, \$6.75@8.00; good to choice cows, \$5.50@6.50; fair to good cows, \$3.75@5.25; cutters, \$2.75@3.75; canners, \$1.50@2.50; veal calves, \$5.00@9.50; heavy and medium calves, \$4.00@7.75; bologna bulls, \$4.25@4.75; beef bulls, \$4.50@5.25; butcher bulls, \$5.50@7.00; good to choice feeders, \$7.00@7.75; fair to good feeders, \$6.00@7.00; common to fair feeders, \$5.00@6.00; good to choice stockers, \$8.50@7.50; fair to good stockers, \$5.50@6.50; common to fair stockers, \$4.50@5.50; trashy stockers, \$3.50@4.50; stock heifers, \$3.50@4.50; stock cows, \$3.00@4.00; stock calves, \$3.50@7.50.

Hogs Sell 5@10c Lower.
With a run of 12,500 hogs Tuesday the market was slow and generally 5@10c lower. Choice butcher hogs sold up to \$6.75 and bulk of the trading was at \$6.25@6.70.

Fat Lambs Sell Lower.
Ten thousand fresh sheep and lambs showed up and while fat grades were generally 10@15c lower the feeder grades were that much higher. Best woolled lambs brought \$13.75; best feeder lambs \$11.25.

Quotations on sheep and lambs:—Spring lambs, good to choice, \$13.50@14.75; spring lambs, fair to good, \$11.00@13.50; feeding lambs, \$10.75@11.25; wethers, clipped, \$7.50@8.25; yearlings, clipped, \$11.00@12.25; clipped ewes, \$9.00@9.25.

CROPS STARTED WELL.
GORDON RANCHER SAYS: WEATHER DRY LATELY

Omaha, June 24.—Melting snow left the ground full of moisture early this spring and grass and grain crops started good, but lately dry weather has held everything back," said F. W. Nern, Gordon rancher.

"The acreage planted to corn is increasing every year up there," Mr. Nern continued, "and more hogs and cattle are being fed. I have not gone into the feeding business yet, but just raised enough feed to winter my cattle in good shape."

Wolf, Henry Est., D. E. 875.00
Brainard, Exec. 265.00
Wrobel, Fred 225.00
Wright, W. F. 150.00
Weaver, J. H. 1190.00
Weber, W. R. 140.00
West, John B. 25.00
Wilson, Emma I. 200.00
Welander, Emma 75.00
Williams, G. M. 350.00
Wright, J. H. Y 230.00
Young, E. B. 685.00
Young, L. B. Z 2635.00
Ziegler, Mrs. J. W. 255.00
Zanos, Gus

WHY THE DIFFERENCE?
(Sioux City Tribune)

Comparison of electric power charges in this country and Canada give added weight to the claim of Henry Ford as to the real cause his bid for Muscle Shoals was so strongly opposed. Ford says Americans are paying too much for their "juice" and those who are getting the money dread to be shown up as to production costs. This would be the result, he says, of his getting this Tennessee river plant.

At Niagara, for instance, a Canadian company furnishes electricity for the international railway bridge half way across the river; a New York company for the other half. Both use electricity generated by the river, each supplying the same number of lights and the same service. On the Canadian side, the average monthly charge for lighting the bridge is \$8 on the New York side, \$43.

Those who pay for current to operate electric household equipment in the United States would be interested in an advertisement which recently appeared in a Toronto newspaper. It read:

"Buy a home in Toronto—one cent will run an electric iron one hour; washing machine two hours; cooking rate 9-10 of one cent per kw. Rates are going down every year."

Extensive experiments in farming by use of electric power will be tried out in southern Minnesota this summer. Statistics show that use of electricity on farms has not become common in the United States, chiefly because the power costs too much. In this connection it is interesting to note that more than 8,000 farms in the province of Ontario, Canada, alone have houses and barns fully lighted with electricity and use it as power for all kinds of farm work and household work.

NOTICE

WHEREAS, Ralph Richardson, convicted in Wayne county, on the 7th day of September, 1922, of the crime of Auto Stealing, has made application to the Board of Pardons for a Commutation, and the Board of Pardons, pursuant to law have set the hour of 10 a. m. on the 8th day of July, 1924, for the hearing on said application, all persons interested are hereby notified that they may appear at the State Penitentiary, at Lincoln, Nebraska, on said day and hour and show cause, if any there be, why said application should, or should not be granted.

CHARLES W. POOL, Secretary, Board of Pardons.
N. T. HARMON, Chief State Probation Officer.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that you have until June 30th, 1924 at 12 o'clock noon to protest against the value on personal property and on your real estate and improvements as placed by the Assessor. Bear in mind that this assessment stands for two years. The Board of Equalization pass on all protests at the above time. Witness my hand and seal this 17th day of June A. D. 1924.

CHAS. W. REYNOLDS, County Clerk of Wayne County, Nebraska.

Y. W. PARTY.
The Y. W. C. A. entertained about one hundred twenty girls at a "Get Acquainted" party Wednesday, June 11, from 6:30 to 7:30.

One of the games played was "Get acquainted" game. Each girl was to find four cards on each of which was written her name. The cards had been distributed among all the girls before the game started.

WAYNE ALUMNI CELEBRATE ANNUAL HOMECOMING DAY

Large Attendance in Spite of Rain Marks Return of Old Grads To the Hill

(From the Goldenrod)
Wayne alumni, braving the double threat of Friday the thirteenth and cloudy skies, took possession of the Hill for the annual Homecoming Day exercises June 13. The first contingent from outside Wayne arrived two days before and stragglers were still arriving late in the evening of the 13th. Registration had not neared completion by 11:15, when the old classes filed into the chapel and the audience rose as the orchestra swung into the first measures of "Alma Mater, Stately Mother." Conrad Jacobson, Association President, went through the formality of introducing President Conn, who expressed his pleasure in having the students return for homecoming day. Dr. J. T. House spoke on what the alumni association should mean. He advised that the graduates provide for an alumni council including officers of the association, other alumni and at least one faculty member, the work of the organization being to keep in touch with the needs of the school and work out plans whereby the alumni might carry through some of these. The graduates now number about 1,000 and occupy positions of importance. They can now therefore help the school. A council such as suggested could keep in touch with school needs so that the work of the alumni could be kept active throughout the year.

The chapel exercises were followed by noon luncheon in the grandstand. After the grads had mopped up Dale's pride like any gang of kids they began to take their faces out of the food and recognize each other. It was at the stand that the real re-unions of the day took place.

For two hours in the afternoon the alumni were guests of the school and sat wrapped in the hilarity of Shaw's great question mark "Androcles and the Lion."

Banquet Main Feature

But it is the banquet that makes it Homecoming Day, and at eight the banquet began. The unique decorations with their silhouettes of familiar scenes, the pleasing service—but these are not the things that make an alumni banquet. It is that hour and a half of confusion, when the old class rivalries crop out again, when dignified superintendents stand on their chairs and chant "We-want-Prexy-to-stand-up!" and the fifteen rahs of '23 contend with the staccato "twenty-two, rah, rah; twenty, rah, two, rah; twenty-two, rah, rah;" of '22; with the insolent "You haven't got the pep, you haven't got the jazz" of '24; with the barbarous war cries of '16, and the booming "Hurray for '18," that brings a grad back for Homecoming. The roll call of classes, starting with its "We-want-'24-to-stand-up-on-their-chairs" and ending "We-want-the-Old-School," brought a catch of the breath when '13 failed to respond; but '12 was there and '11 was there; and the Old School was there; so it was soon forgotten that for the first time a Wayne class had failed to answer to the Homecoming roll. Anyhow it was a great hour, from the time the cocktails disappeared to the instant the alumni on the faculty stole the nuts from the empty table and Coach Dale, '16, attempted to strike up "We're ninety-nine miles from home." James Brittain, '12, toastmaster, ordered the riot calmed with a vocal duet by Ferné and Frances Omana, but they inspired another demonstration and were obliged to return with an encore. The audience did not come back to earth until Rogers, '15, had torn the typical school teacher to bits and Hering, '18, had toasted, or rather roasted, the general laxity and inefficiency of our schools. Then Edith Huse, '22, asked "What Next?" and answered her own question; and President Conn told what he wanted next for Wayne and asked the alumni to help him get it. He said that a new training school, two new dormitories, larger library and other improvements should be had. He stated that the auditorium, which it was thought never would be filled with students a few years ago, is now packed and will soon not be adequate. The alumni number enough now so that they can be of help in aiding the school in these improvements.

Snygg New President

President Conrad Jacobson, in calling the business meeting to order, gave a detailed account of the Alumni Loan Fund and expressed the opinion that it could be most efficiently managed by a committee consisting of a faculty member and two alumni resident in Wayne. No action regarding this was taken at the time, but the newly elected officers later intimated that the suggestion would be carried out.

Donald Snygg, '22, was placed in nomination and elected president without opposition. Glenn Lawritson, '21, was unanimously chosen vice-president and Dorothy Huse, '18, secretary. Ronnie Ley, N. C. C. was re-elected treasurer of the organization.

GRADUATES ASKED TO AID SCHOOL

Dr. Conn's Appeal For Cooperation Seconded by New Alumni Association Head

(From the Goldenrod)
With the opening of the new year the Alumni Association is confronted with several perplexing problems. The day of the small Association whose sole function is to provide for Homecoming Day is gone. By the end of next semester the number of Wayne graduates will exceed one thousand. The school, pressed on one side by a rapidly increasing number of students and on the other by the period of economy necessitated by the panic which struck the last legislature, needs more than ever the loyalty and support of its alumni.

There are now enrolled eleven hundred students. One hundred forty seniors did their practice teaching in the old training school last year. There will be more next year. Do any of you, who know, doubt that a new training school is needed? According to figures given in the Blue Book of American Colleges, Wayne ranks third in attendance among Nebraska colleges, but eighth in student capacity and seventh in size of faculty. The most heartening feature of the phenomenal increase in size is that a large proportion of students are now enrolled in work above the two-year normal course. Instructors report that nothing has done more for the improvement of scholarship throughout the school than this increase in the number of students taking senior college work. The demand for this work increases steadily and appropriations adequate to the situation would bring an enrollment of not less than two hundred in the senior college course within five years. Nor need such appropriation increase be of any staggering size. The present physical plant, with the addition of a new training school, would be fully equal to the situation and the only considerable expenditure necessitated would be that for the increased teaching staff.

This is not a question of progress. It is a question of survival as a training school for high school teachers. With the increasingly high educational preparation demanded of teachers, the normal schools must either emphasize the four-year course or fall to training teachers for grade and rural positions exclusively, leaving the training of other teachers to the already overcrowded university or to the under-equipped denominational schools. That this should happen would be no less than a calamity. The normal schools have been able, because of their definite technical nature and purpose, to perform a peculiarly efficient service to the state. A small increase in their appropriations will result in an altogether disproportionate increase in their efficiency and service. It must be one of the foremost purposes of the alumni to see that this opportunity is given, and it is well within their power to do so. Alumni of the four teachers colleges, scattered throughout the state, can exert a tremendous influence upon legislators and voters. Wayne alone has nine hundred alumni and several thousand former students resident in the state. But, to be effective, this influence must be secured before the coming election—and it must be secured by a true presentation of the merits of the case. Public sentiment must be created and expressed, not only at the polls, but in such form that it shall be unmistakably plain to the newly elected members of the legislature. It is imperative that this be done not only because of its effect upon the next biennial appropriation but because not until such vocal public opinion is developed can the normal schools and university cease to be the victims of every politically inspired effort at conspicuous economy that follows a bad crop or a close election.

The new alumni advisory council, provided for this year, is expected to render possible much closer co-ordination between the alumni and the school. With this in view the council will communicate often with the alumni during the year, will consider carefully all suggestions of the alumni and other friends for the welfare of the institution. We are confident that all the graduates will listen sympathetically to all plans propounded and will actively co-operate in anything that points in the direction of the welfare of Alma Mater.

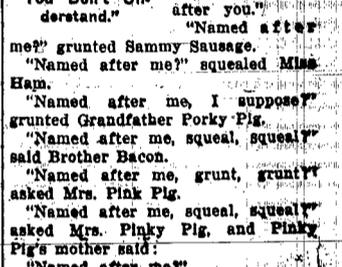
ALUMNI RETURN

A partial list of alumni registered at homecoming includes:
Nebraska Normal College
Gomer Jones. 1911
C. R. Chinn. 1912
James Brittain. 1914
Inez Havens, Ruth Pearson, Conrad Jacobson, Gladys Klaine, Claude Wright. 1915
Cynthia Gilbert, Elmer Rogers, John Lower. 1916
Margaret Schemel, Ferné Omana, Fred Dale, Agnes Richardson. 1917
Olive Huse, Ruth Kille, Eva Graham, Emma Richardson, Julia Gross, W. P. Canning. 1918
Albert Hering, Frances Omana, Claudia Bruce, Albert Watson, Dorothy Huse, John D. Hash. 1919
Luther Fetterolf, Mrs. Harold Nealey. 1920
Eva Horn, Lucy Edwards, Mamie Ludwick, Ida McClintock, Beryl Kreeceland, Roland Vinckel, Helen McDonald. 1921
Helen Mendenhall, Maude Curley, Stella Arnold, Lucille McConnell, Stella Skiles, Olive Helt, Raymond Helt, Glenn Lawritson, Carl Pearson, Lyle Miller, Margaret Mines. A. B. 1921
E. A. Chapman. 1922
Paul Peterson, Lila Gardner, Edith Huse, Mrs. Ed Kinney, I. A. Clark, Faith Philleo, Don Snygg, Grace Johnson, Della Ludwick, Harry Hegstrom, Mrs. Byron Trump, Susie Sanders, Helen Sausser, William Austin, Bonnie R. Hess, Katherine Strickland, Ruth Rennick, Susie Oxley, Alice Harvey, Edward Danielson, Jay Muhm, Walter Pond, Beatrice Motson, Fauriel Senter, J. L. Rundell. 1923
Mrs. E. S. Robson, Ruby Keeper, Guy Ashford, Grace Soden, Elmer Holm, Louis Connealy, Marjorie Milner, Blanche Groves, Helen Zahradneck, Lella Mitchell, Margaret Helt, Bessie Bacon, John Hansen, Maude Kytton, Helen Spahr, Martha Crockett, Mollie Vlasnik, Erich Oetting, James Vinckel, Ruth Ringland, Letitia Souser, Landon Peterson, Louise Adams, Elizabeth Mittlesteadt, Emma Havekost, Michael McCoy, Dale Miller, Gladys Richards, Alda Thomas, Mildred Reed, Genevieve Knox. 1924
Eva Howard, Margaret Palmer, Lydia Ashford, Ida Hendricks, Henrietta Hurstard, Ellen Anderson, Paul Crossland, R. C. Anderson, Adele Schmitz, Henrietta Pearson, Esther Winne, Edmund Werner, Emily Horaham, Bower Sagaser, Clarence Richard, Myrtle Le Monnier, Gertrude Mortenson, Ellen Lundahl, Grace Kissinger, Clara Helt, Lillian Ballard, Vinston Johnson, Grant McEachen, Bon Moran, Fred Denklinger, Dorothy McGraw, Ruth Adams, Irene Spahr, Dorothy Spahr, Alice Crockett, Esther Rabe, Ruth Jones, Emma Splitterger, Myra Smith, Emily Sutton, Flora Brown, Clara Stallsmith, John Ahern, Inez Jeffrey, Blanche Rogers, Phillip Richabaugh, Ann Gledersleeve, Marian Garwood, Magde Markert, Elly Markert, Alice Shorer, Ruth Wallace, Mary Gleason, Daniel Bressler, H. N. Rhodes, Sadie Harvey, Bernice Kiefer, Peggy Milford.

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale
By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

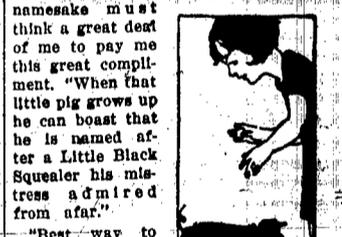
LITTLE BLACK SQUEALER

"Squeal, squeal," said little Black Squealer, "I have a namesake."
"Is it good to eat, grunt?" asked Sammy Sausage.
"No, no, no, you don't understand," squealed little Black Squealer.
The pigs were all wide awake and the Pig Pen was in great disorder. But none of them minded.
"A namesake," said little Black Squealer, "is someone named after you."
"You Don't Understand." "Named after me?" grunted Sammy Sausage.
"Named after me?" squealed Miss Ham.
"Named after me, I suppose," grunted Grandfather Porky Pig.
"Named after me, squeal, squeal," said Brother Bacon.
"Named after me, grunt, grunt?" asked Mrs. Pink Pig.
"Named after me, squeal, squeal?" asked Mrs. Pinky Pig, and Pinky Pig's mother said:
"Named after me?"
"Named after me, I'm sure," said Master Pink Pig, and Pinky Pig himself said:
"I'm sure you're wrong."
"Named after me?" asked Sir Percival Pork.
"Or me?" asked Sir Benjamin Bacon.
"No, no," said little Black Squealer. "When I said a namesake was some one named after you I meant some one named after some one else—I didn't mean after any of you."
"I am the one who has had another named after me. Yes, I have heard that little girl named Sally named a dear little black pig of hers, Little Black Squealer, after me."
"Now, pigs, that is a great honor. Ah, yes, now I have a namesake."
"It would have been more of an honor if she had sent you a piece of pigweed as a present," said Grandfather Porky, "and then your dear and worthy grandfather would have had a share in the honor."
"I don't know whether she could have done that," said Little Black Squealer.
"I've noticed," he said, "that parcel post packages were delivered at the farmer's house, but I have never noticed any coming here to the pen."
"In fact, I don't believe parcel post goes this far—it will go just so far and no farther, and this is a little beyond the house."
"For I am sure," Little Black Squealer said, "that the one who named my namesake must think a great deal of me to pay me this great compliment. When that little pig grows up he can boast that he is named after a Little Black Squealer his mistress admired from afar."
"Best way to admire you," said Porky Pig.
But Little Black Squealer did not pay any attention to such a speech.
He could not think of anything smart to say for one thing, and for another he was all excited over his namesake, and wondering if any possible chance the farmer might give him an extra helping of dinner because of the honor shown to his pig.



Less Said the Better
"Now, children," said the teacher, "write down all you have learned about King Alfred, but don't say anything about the burning of the cakes. I want to find out what else you know."
Half an hour later wee Jeanie handed in her effort:
"King Alfred visited a lady in a cottage, but the less said about it the better."

Forgot to Take in Moon
One afternoon little Tommy happened to look up and see the moon, and as he had never before seen it in the daytime he ran into the house and exclaimed, "Oh, mamma, I've got a joke on God!"
"Why, what do you mean, dear?" asked the astonished mother.
"He forgot to take the moon in this morning," explained Tommy.



Not New, Just Washed
The traveler had returned to his native village after being absent for twenty years. He stopped at the home of a little boy with a small baby coming down the road. "Ah! a new face, I see!" "No, it isn't, sir," replied the boy, looking at the baby. "It's just been washed, that's all!"—Western Christian Advocate.

ENROLLMENT NEARS 1200
The enrollment this summer is the largest in the history of the school, there being 1170 enrolled at this time. Of this number, 67 are graduate students, 63 seniors, 562 juniors, 402 are doing preparatory and rural work, and 90 are music students.
This is an increase of about 23 per cent over last summer's enrollment of 915. The University and Kearney are the only schools in the state reporting larger enrollments.
Portner wants your Cream, Poultry, and Eggs.

LIVE STOCK

TOO GREAT OVERHEAD CAUSES PIG FAILURE

Not all who try to raise pigs make a success of it, in spite of the fact that most persons think pigs will raise themselves. One reason for failure with hogs, the New York college of agriculture at Ithaca points out, is too great overhead expense. Sometimes, for example, too elaborate and expensive buildings are provided. The buildings must be dry, free from draft, light, and well ventilated, but only reasonably warm. When a raiser goes beyond meeting these requirements in his hog quarters, he is piling up expense on which he cannot realize a profit.

Another thing which brings up the costs, is buying all the feed required and making no use of waste products. Some farmers seem to think hogs can be profitably raised without pasture. In some cases perhaps they can, but the farmer who attempts pork production without sufficient pasturage, such as alfalfa, red and sweet clover, dwarf Essex rape, or fall wheat, sufficient to allow an acre for every twelve to eighteen pigs, is setting himself a handicap against the farmer who does have adequate pasture.

Unsanitary quarters likewise have a part in throwing the balance to the wrong side of the ledger. Uncleanliness is likely to cause lice, cholera, worms, and rheumatism.

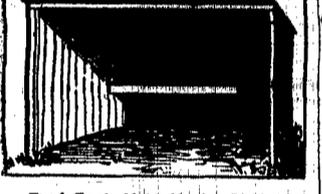
Failure to study market demands, and then feeding and breeding to meet these demands, are also listed as reasons for lack of success with swine.

Again, a "know it all" attitude has caused many a farmer to refuse to take advantage of information regarding the requirements of hogs.

Keeping Feed Trough at Proper Level by Chains

A nearby neighbor who feeds a carload of steers each year has had trouble in keeping the feed troughs at the proper level, writes Earl Rogers in Power Farming. For inside feeding he has devised a series of chains made of links about six inches long and suspends the feed troughs from the beams of the covered feed lot.

As the manure piles up during the winter he has only to adjust the rack by hooking the chain one link higher. When the shed is cleaned out the



Feed Rack Held Up by Chains.

links come down. This keeps the steers from getting into the feed racks as they will do if they can. It also provides a good place for the fattening hogs that follow the steers to stay. Pieces of 2-by-4 are stuck through the links of the chain at the proper height to keep the steers from getting their front feet in the rack, yet these allow the steers plenty of space to get in to eat.

Soy Bean Hay Good for Breeding Ewe in Winter

Soy bean hay is good for wintering breeding ewes. But it is better yet when efficiently combined with alfalfa hay, says John M. Eyward, chief in animal experiments at the Iowa experiment station.

Where soy bean hay replaces alfalfa hay entirely, 100 pounds of it saves 104 pounds of alfalfa hay and 10 pounds of corn grain, a total of 114 pounds. The introduction of 74 pounds of soy bean hay into the ration is found to save 56 pounds of alfalfa hay and 84 pounds of grain daily per ewe. On this basis the feeding of 100 pounds of soy bean hay saved 76 pounds of alfalfa hay and 48 pounds of corn grain, a total of 122 pounds, in recent tests.

A good practice in Mr. Eyward's opinion, if both alfalfa and soy bean hay are available, is to feed a combination of them along with corn silage, some grain and some salt.

Important to Grow More Legume Hay for Animals

The important thing, not only for sheep grower but also for the producer of cattle and horses, is to grow more legume hay and less timothy. The feeding value of timothy is not a great deal higher than that of good oat straw, while at the same time it is a harder crop on the soil than any legume.

Encourage Brood Sows to Move About Considerably

The sow that farrows early in September when natural conditions are favorable for bringing forth her young and when plenty of cheap and bulky green forage is available has a decided advantage over the sows that farrow in March. Her pigs get a better start and by the time they are ready to wean they are capable of making good use of the waste feeds, fruit, vegetables and silage.

HEAVEN'S BEGGARMAN

I have heard folk call him rich, Others say he must be poor. They do not really think of him Unless they find him at their door. Then it's horrors! Keep him out! He's a common beggarman! They never think it might be God, Or Lucifer, or wayward Pan. For he's hauled to the soul. A poet filled with mortal breath, Bewildered by the infinite, Wondering at life and death.

He is neither glad nor grieving, He is neither old nor young; But his eyes are ancient wells, And he has a golden tongue. The sandals on his feet are worn, His scanty clothes were never new; He is very like a saint, Dry like a satyr, too. Cool men watch his creeping smile, Shake their heads, try not to care. Wary housewives will not trust him, Children might, but do not dare.

Some, the merest vagabonds, Mark the strangeness of his gaze. One or two, the temper-worn, Ponder on his simple ways. —From the *Rains*.

Determine Value of Electricity on Farm

Chickens on a dozen Red Wing farms eat breakfast prepared by electricity and sit in their electrically lighted and heated apartments in comfort.

The farmers sit down while their cream is being electrically separated and their wives sit down while their laundry is being electrically washed. Before the day's work begins the family eats electrically made toast.

They live on a chain of farms supplied by a special circuit out of Red Wing, work on which was begun last fall by agricultural experts, power company officials and farmers. In charge of E. A. Stewart, associate professor of agricultural physics, the experiment is aimed to test the practicability of electricity on farms, and will be in full operation during the summer, when records of costs will be kept.

The plan was completed last fall and the board of regents of the University of Minnesota adopted an amendment to the agreement to eliminate any liability on the part of the state or university in the experiment. Electric and power companies are donating power and equipment for the test, says the Minneapolis Journal.

Veteran Explorer Is Seeking New Glories

In the old Edinburgh dock at Leith harbor has been lying recently the Canadian government steamship Franklin, which, after being extensively altered, is bound for the frozen North, says the Edinburgh Scotsman. The master of the vessel, J. E. Bernier, who is taking it to the Arctic regions, is seventy-two years old and is probably the oldest Arctic navigator on record.

To him belongs the distinction of annexing the Arctic archipelago to the north of Canada in the interests of the Canadian government. Captain Bernier has voyaged for a long series of years in what were previously, to a large extent, uncharted seas. The vessel now in Leith dock is being used in continuance of the pioneer work which he inaugurated.

In his career as a navigator Captain Bernier has sailed in 107 ships and he has covered 438,061 miles, which is equal to 27 times around the world.

A DIFFICULT TASK



Hippo Wrestling Instructor—Now grasp me by the wrist and ankle and throw me over your shoulder!

Makes Colored "Marble"

A wonderful imitation of marble is now being produced for building purposes with the aid of colored silks. By a process perfected in Italy, a net of colored skeins of silk is laid on a piece of oilcloth. Over the silk cloth a spread a layer of special cement. After the cement has stood for a few minutes, the silk is withdrawn. The slab then is leveled carefully and covered with a strip of cheesecloth and a layer of dry plaster. When the cloth and plaster are removed there appears a slab of putty-like cement in which is a colored pattern left by the silk. This pattern is said to duplicate almost exactly that of natural marble.

Pump Fights Diphtheria

A tiny electric suction pump is the latest scientific weapon against the scourge of diphtheria, says Popular Science Monthly. By means of the pump a passage is opened in the throat of a sufferer, permitting the insertion of a silver breathing tube. This little instrument, which is the invention of Dr. H. L. Lynch of New York city, is expected to save thousands of lives every year.

Nothing to It

Laura—I don't know, George; it seems such a solemn thing to marry. Have you counted the cost?
George—The cost, Laura! Why, I've got a clergyman cousin who will marry us for nothing!

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Chlorine Gas Hailed as Remedy for Colds

Next winter the American public may be buying little capsules of chlorine gas, the gas formerly used on the battlefield, and breaking the capsules and inhaling the fumes. These fumes are found to have a wonderfully curative effect on colds and influenza, bronchitis and whooping cough. In the small per cent of cases not immediately cured relief is quick.

Many United States senators and representatives have received this treatment under direction of Lieut. Col. H. L. Gilchrist of the army medical corps, attached to the chemical warfare department, says Capper's Weekly. The treatment is simple and the cost less than six cents a person.

War department experts believe it only a question of time until the chlorine gas treatment will be used in hospitals, theaters, schools and churches and other places where large bodies of persons congregate, as an ordinary precaution against the spreading of respiratory diseases.

Recently distemper broke out in a virulent form among the artillery horses at Fort Hoyle, Maryland. Three days' treatment of an hour each with chlorine gas effected a complete cure.

Earned His Freedom

There is a story in the stones of the old statehouse at Albany, N. Y. The marble for the building was cut from the Mt. Pleasant prison quarries, now Sing Sing, under the supervision of Andrea Dubre, who was serving a life sentence for murder. When the marble blocks were being cut to size Dubre changed the markings to a system distinctly individual, which he alone understood. The architect and the master mason soon found that the prisoner had blockaded the construction. Governor Marcy decided that the only feasible thing to do was to bring Dubre to Albany to assemble the puzzle. A pardon was offered him if he could undo what he had done. Working under guard he straightened out the tangle and left the completed building a free man.

Seed Cleaned by Magnet

Magnets are used to clean clover seed at the official seed testing station at Cambridge, England. The coat of a dodder seed is somewhat rougher than that of a clover seed. When a magnetic powder is mixed with it more of the powder sticks to the rough dodder seed than adheres to the smooth clover seed, so the former is easily removed by the magnets, together with broken bits of clover seed and rough-coated weed seeds. The powder is easily removed by means of a polisher. One machine operating on this principle has been working six months and has removed half a ton of cleanings from fifty tons of seed.

Highly Humorous

"Sorter funny thing happened at my place 'tuther day," related Toke Sagg, of Slippery Slap. "Wife was making soft soap out under a tree and I was dozing in the shade around back of the house, when a couple of fellers, strangers to both of us and also 'peared to have been drammung, came along. They stopped and argued with her for a spell, and then slapped her down, drank a lot of the hot lye, and when I came around to see what the hooraw was about they were trudging off down the road singing, 'Little Brown Jug.'" —Kansas City Star.

The "Mushroom"

Evidently the only dish Mrs. Newlywed could cook was mush. Three times a day for a week Mr. Newlywed sat down to a meal of mush and milk. A man might live on mush and love for a week, but not much over that length of time. On the eighth day his bride called cheerily, "Come into the dining room, John, your mush is ready."
"Dear," said poor John, "would you mind not to call it the dining room any more, it's hardly appropriate."
"Why, what do you want me to call it?"
"Call it the mushroom."

Fish Left Stranded

Hundred thousands of herring flopped about in puddles and mud at Pembroke, Mass., because they had taken the wrong road. When a careless employee left open the sluice gate leading from Short Brook into a big cranberry bog the fish swarmed into the tiffhes. The water has been running out of the bog, leaving the fish stranded. The proprietor hired extra help to gather them up and announced that they would be given to any one willing to come for them.

Why Nottingham Laughed

When Nottingham (Eng.) corporation decided to fill up Trent pool, local anglers begged them to have the pool netted, with the object of removing its rumored large stock of fish to other waters. The estates committee attended to watch the operation, and at last the net was brought to the side. It contained one small pike!

Hot One

Mr. Thicked—When I read about some of these wonderful inventions in electricity it makes me think a little.
Miss Smart—Yes; isn't it remarkable what electricity can do?

PEARL DIVERS ENJOY DAYS OF AFFLUENCE

Spend With Prodigality When Fortune Smiles.

Pearl diving off the island of Hikueru in the South seas has yielded rich returns during the season just closed. Both pearl shells and pearls of high value have been found in large numbers in the waters of the lagoon.

These pearl oyster beds had been under restriction for a number of years and for that reason the jewel crop was unusually good.

The diving is done by natives who have trained themselves from childhood to descend under water a long time. No diving machines are permitted.

The Tahiti merchants establish stations at the island during the season to buy the shells and to sell provisions and luxuries to the divers and their families. Representatives from Paris jewelry houses always are on hand to compete for the better quality of pearls. Pearls of lesser value fall into the hands of the speculatively inclined Chinese and European schooner captains. From long experience the natives are fully aware of the value of their finds, so that not many bargains are available.

The South sea island native reacts to prosperity ostentatiously. The wife of the successful diver parades the white coral beach of Hikueru clad in brilliant silks, high-heel shoes, picture hats and the most costly Chinese shawls. In the island of Boru Boru, where the high price of vanilla beans has raised growers of that staple to temporary affluence, the Chinese shawl has been appropriated by the men as the insignia of great riches. It is worn draped around the neck, with the embroidered ends hanging gracefully down the back and chest. The real vanilla barons wear, in addition, a second shawl of a different color about the waist.

Many stories of lucky finds at Hikueru have drifted into Papeete. One tells how the keeper of a semaphore signal at Papeete, who went to the island on a holiday, happened to see a large pearl oyster lying in shallow water near the beach, dived for it, and on opening it found a pearl for which he received 15,000 francs. Another relates that an old native woman, while fishing on the reef, stubbed her toe against an oyster that yielded a gem worth \$1,000 gold.

Riches, however, never do a Tahitian native any permanent good. They are dissipated immediately in fine clothes, cases of tinned salmon (no native will wet his toes in the sea in search of fish if canned salmon can be had), guitars, accordions, and all manner of trivial amusements.

Then, when the tide of affluence has ebbed, the Tahitian returns to his loin cloth and his bread-fruit and fish diet until another crop of copra or vanilla has matured, or the restriction has been taken off another pearl island. But in the prosperous era he has lived gorgeously.

Turn About Fair Play

Former Senator Albert Beveridge, who lives in Indianapolis, telephoned a next-door neighbor one day upon whom he had never deigned to pay a neighborly call.

"Your little dog and my little dog seem to have become very friendly," he said. "That's nice, but they begin their flirtatious barking so early in the morning that they annoy my sick wife. I wonder if you'd be kind enough to keep your little dog in, say, till about nine o'clock?"

"Certainly, Mr. Beveridge, certainly," replied his neighbor. "But, Mr. Beveridge, since your little dog and my little dog call on each other, don't you think their masters could follow suit?"

There was a gasp and then a chuckle, and that evening Mr. Beveridge strolled over for a neighborly call.

Making Progress

Hiram walked four miles over the mountain to call on the lady of his dreams. For a long time they sat silent on a bench by the side of her log cabin home; but soon the moon, as moons do, had its effect and Hiram sidled closer to her and picked up her hand.

"Mary," he began, "y' know I got a good clear'n' over thar an' a team an' wagon an' some haws an' cows, an' I call'n' on buidln' a house this fall an'—"

Here he was interrupted by Mary's mother, who had awakened.

"Mary!" she called in a loud voice. "Is that young man thar yet?"

Back came the answer, "No, ma, but he's gittin' thar." —Everybody's Magazine.

Very Deep

Since Jean Ware, the noted horticulturist, is spending most of her time in her Hollywood foothills garden, she permits her husband to look after many of the household details, when he's home. The result was that Frank unwittingly bought a head of cabbage, mistaking it for lettuce.

"My goodness!" exclaimed Jean, "you must have bought that from an itinerant peddler!"

"I don't think so," protested Frank. "He looked to me like an Italian." —Los Angeles Times.

Older and Wiser

"When I was a young man I worked 12 hours a day."
Son—I admire your youthful energy, dad, but I admire still more the mature wisdom which led you to stop it. —The Continent.

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Restoring Pompeii as It Was in Olden Days

The patricians of old Pompeii had most luxurious tastes. Even the common people had many luxuries. Picturesque public gardens and frescoed niches abounded. One of the beautiful gardens was entered through a carriage pavilion, the high entrance surmounted by a bell. Across the threshold a court in white and gold between two rows of pillars led to the spacious sloping terraces watered by a drowsy brook. The twitter of a thugand birds completed the pastoral landscape. Excavators have resurrected this garden. The lawns are green again, as they were when Vesuvius erupted A. D. 79. A silvery bell again peals for visitors; the murmuring brook wanders in through new conduits, and songsters, descendants of the birds who were singing about Pompeii more than 1,800 years ago, carol as their forebears did in the days before the mighty cataclysm.

World-Famous Statue

The "Apollo Belvedere" is a famous statue of Apollo, discovered in 1495 among the ruins of ancient Antium, and purchased by Pope Julius II when cardinal. It was placed by him in the "Belvedere" of the Vatican palace at Rome, whence its name. The Apollo Belvedere is more than seven feet in height, and is probably the work of Calamis, the Greek sculptor, who flourished in the fifth century before Christ. When the statue was discovered the left hand and the right forearm were wanting. These were restored by Montorsoli, a pupil of Michael Angelo. The Apollo Belvedere is thought to be a copy of a bronze statue erected at Delphi representing the god in the act of defending his shrine from an attack of the Gauls.—Kansas City Star.

Meant to Have Him

The bride appeared, but not the bridegroom. The clergyman and the woman, silent and embarrassed, waited in the church from one o'clock until three. Then they departed.

A week later the woman wrote to the clergyman again, appointing another day at one o'clock for the ceremony. But again the groom failed to turn up.

As the two waited, time passed slowly in the still and empty church.

Two o'clock struck, then three. And then the bride broke the silence with a fierce ejaculation.

"Drat him!" she cried. "Tain't his trousers this time, 'cause I bought him a pair."

You Never Can Tell

Now the society editor of a small town paper in Indiana is single, but it was only recently that she learned this state was an impediment to her profession.

An elderly woman came in to have the story of her daughter's wedding written up. But she would not permit the society editor to write about it.

"How on earth is a person who never had a wedding of her own going to have enough sense about romance to write up another girl's wedding?" she asked.

Peace was made with the woman when the editor, who had had two weddings during his three-score years, wrote the story of the wedding himself.—Indianapolis News.

Land Around "Island"

Pumice island, near Salton sea, five miles northwest of Calipatria, in southern California, contributes 30 carloads of pumice to the commerce of the world each year. Pumice island was once an island in Salton sea, but now, three miles inland, it is entirely surrounded by dry land. However, it retains its old name on local maps. Only a few years ago it was nothing more than a volcanic peak, rising above the waters of the inland sea, but the waters have been receding so rapidly that it now stands three miles back from the shore.—Detroit News.

Watch Oddly Restored

Elmer R. Sheridan, a tugboat captain of Long Island City, recovered a watch which he lost 20 years ago. In 1904 Sheridan was leaping over the rail of a tug plying in Newton creek when the watch was dropped overboard. He reported the loss to the Hunters Point police station. Ten years ago a dredge at work in the creek dug up the watch. A workman on the dredge salvaged it and later pawned it. A short time ago a detective looking over the pawnshop came upon the watch. He notified the tug captain, who identified it.

An Early Riser

A visitor in a mountain village noticed that one citizen was always up very early but never did any work. So he questioned the man's wife.

"Why does your husband arise so early?"

"Oh, he wants an early breakfast."
"But he doesn't do anything. Why must he have such an early breakfast?"

"To smoke after."

Married Life

Wife—Marriage is a matter of give and take, you know.
Husband—I know it. I give you all I can and you take what I don't.—New York Sun and Globe.

Knots Play Important Part in Asiatic Life

Knots have vast magical importance in Asiatic life, for they represent to the Asiatic mind the favorite psycho-analytic condition of repression. The mogul emperors refer in their annals to matters of state in the favorite phrase, "falling into the knot of delay." The Korean expressly refers to "the evil bowlers upon knots," an act that baffles their untying. Knots tied in magical numbers upon a string, accompanied by a curse, are supposed to bring confusion upon an enemy. It is hard to get a servant in India, to cut a string around a parcel; he prefers to unravel the knot. Indian merchants are fond of adding sealing wax to knots or parcels for the post, because, as one told me, it increases the perplexity of untying.

Other methods are the use of charmed wicks, papers inscribed with the lamp charm and burned with perfumes, while the patient possessed by the demon stares upon the light. A fever of ague is thus treated; take some olive leaves on a Saturday while in a state of purity, and write on one "Hell Is Hungry," on another "Hell Is Thirsty," on a third "Hell Is Refreshed." Put them in a bag and bind on the left arm of the patient. After the cure they must be cast into a well or river. Certain diseases are cured by winding threads around the thumbs or the great toes at night for a fortnight. Quartan ague is cured in northern India by winding a cord seven times around an acacia, after which the patient embraces the tree. Nor are Coue methods absent. The patient must frequently adjure the evil spirit of disease to depart.—W. G. Tinkcom-Fernandez in the New York Times.

Gold Common to Incas

When the Spaniards first came to the highlands of South America they found many strange things being done by inhabitants who lived all the way from what is now Ecuador to the northern part of Chile.

These people, known as the Incas, smelted copper, wove cloth, built houses of heavy masonry, embalmed dead bodies and used gold for household cooking, eating and drinking vessels. This last was their undoing, for while they put a value on gold only as something to use like any other metal, the Spaniards prized it as we do.

These people were—and their descendants are yet—inveterate users of coca, says the Detroit News. This is leaves from the tree of the plant from which cocaine is extracted. For long feats of endurance they took a small package of these leaves and constantly kept a wad of them in their mouths wrapped around a small bit of unslaked lime to free the cocaine and other alkaloids contained in the coca leaves.

Forced to Shoe Bulls

Some Arizona cattlemen are providing their bulls with shoes to protect their feet from the rough rocks of the mountain ranges. The United States Department of Agriculture reports that the shoes are similar to those worn by oxen used for road work.

Cattlemen say that heavy bulls brought to Arizona from the soft ground of the Middle West are slow to get their feet hardened to the rocky slopes on much of the Arizona range, with the result that the animals stay around the waterholes in the valleys and get little to eat. The result is the breeding of weak cows, which also remain near the water. Sometimes the bulls get up on the flat hilltops and refuse to come down over the rocky sides to water. Shoeing the bulls helps to solve the dilemma.

Dad's Occupation

Jessie and Adeline are the five-year-old twins of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stout, of Paoli. Like most girls of that age they are very observing, but unlike many children they sit quietly by while their elders are talking.

At a funeral recently where the children were present they listened attentively to the discussion of hearses, mourners and pallbearers, missing none of the details.

At the close of the talk, however, Jessie, or perhaps it was Adeline (peas look so much alike) said: "My daddy goes to nearly all the funerals. He hauls the mulberries." —Indianapolis News.

Shaves While Flying

The difficulty of shaving in an airplane while flying more than 8,000 feet above the earth was experienced by Maj. A. S. Fletcher of the Philippine scouts.

In a hurried trip from Zamboanga to Manila he took his shaving outfit with him, says the Baltimore Sun. Using water from his canteen to make lather, he attempted the job.

The lather faded from his face in the gale as fast as he put it on, but he persevered, and when he arrived at Manila showed evidence of having had a fairly good shave.

Not a Bright Prospect

"Got a new cook, I see," remarked Mr. Subbubs on arriving at his happy home as dusk was beginning to obliterate Lake Michigan.

"Yes," responded his wife briefly. "How long is she likely to remain?"

"Only a few days at best."
"I would not be so pessimistic, my dear. Why do you say that?"

"I gather from her talk that her last mistress was practically perfect, yet she only remained there a month."