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## HENRY LEY GOES AT FINAL SUMMONS

More Than Forty Years Identified With Wayne Interests, Prominent Citizen Passes on

### A BRIEF HISTORY OF HIS LIFE

Henry Ley was born at Fondulac, Wisconsin, July 5th, 1850, and died at Wayne, Nebraska, December 13th, 1924, being at the time of his death 74 years, 5 months and 8 days. When a child he moved with his parents to Jordan, Minnesota, here he received his education and early business training. In April, 1874, he was united in marriage with Alice D. Walter of Belle Plain, Minnesota. In 1881 they came to Wayne, where they have since resided.

On their arrival in Wayne he opened up a general store following this line of business until 1892 when he with others organized the State Bank of Wayne, of which institution he was president for many years up until the time of his death.

He leaves to mourn his loss besides his wife, two sons, Rollie W. of Wayne, and LeRoy V. of Long Beach, California, three brothers and three sisters, also six grand-daughters and one grandson.

Three brothers—Michael Ley and Joe Ley of Yakima, Washington; Geo. Ley of Pasadena, California. Three sisters—Mrs. Mary Bartholet and Mrs. Theresa Schriener of Yakima, Washington; and Mrs. Maggie Merton of Jordan, Minnesota. Grand-daughters—Joy, Mary Alice, Marjorie and Josephine Ley of Wayne; Lulu Marie and Alice Ley of Long Beach, California; and one grandson Henry E. Ley of Wayne.

Mr. Ley was a very public spirited man, always very active in any movement which had as its object the betterment of the town and community. He was a zealous worker—not only at home but in the state. He represented this district in the State Legislature two years, also served us as mayor for six terms.

He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, the Odd Fellows and Sons of Herman.

He has been a quiet patient sufferer for many months, but up until the 14th of November he tried to be at his post of duty some hour during the day, with a smile and a cheerful word of encouragement, attempting to accomplish what his physical weakness would not allow. Friends who watched him marveled at his bravery and wonderful spirit. His passing was not unexpected, for the best of care and his strong desire to live were powerless for there comes a time when all that human hands can do is of no avail. Quietly and peacefully he slipped away early Saturday morning and now to him has come peace and rest.

"It has traveled far, that spirit sweet Far from this world of care, To realms of Eternal Happiness

Where there's neither pain nor care, He has gone to regions of Heavenly Bliss

To heights we cannot see; But one thing precious is left to us It is his sweet memory."

The funeral service was held Monday afternoon from the home of his son Rollie W. Ley, Rev. S. X. Cross conducting the simple service. A large number of friends gathered to pay a last tribute of love and respect to one with whom they had associated in business and neighborly ways for so many years.

A rich tribute of flowers told of the regard in which he was held by friends and business associates. Wayne business men gave a beautiful floral tribute, and the business places were closed during the funeral hour that all might attend. The fraternal orders in which he had membership were all represented at the funeral; and neighbors and friends were there in great numbers.

It is hard for a community to pay ample tribute at a time like this to one who so faithfully served it so long, and so well. Was advice wanted, it was given, and invariably it proved to be wise words, helpful in many ways and many times. His life in Wayne was one of many fine characteristics. Industry was one of the stepping stones on which he mounted to success. One gave expression to this sentiment: "He was not a friend to one or two, but a friend to all who knew him, never forgetting those less fortunate than him. If, not the ones who most needed a friend. He possessed in a large degree traits which go to make up

## IN COUNTY COURT

One need not go to the city for a touch of high life, for we have all of the necessary combinations here at Wayne for a hilarious time, with all of the trimmings, except that the city papers have trained reporters on the alert to catch and perhaps magnify the mis-steps of those who go astray; while the country press as a rule is inclined to put the best side to the public; and all too frequently, we often think, ignore entirely the little and sometimes greater misdeeds of our neighbors—ashamed, perhaps to let our little world know just what some of us are up to. But when it comes in such way as has been shown here in the past ten days, it is time to take the public into confidence and let them know what the court has found out by the sworn testimony of officials and witnesses.

The testimony in court last Monday when Chas. Johnson and M. C. McGowan were on trial for violating the prohibitory law, having in possession and conveying intoxicants, brought out the fact that there had been quite a party at a Wayne home, lasting until about three o'clock in the morning. That the above named were accused of conveying liquor for the festivities, but denied the charge, and laid that act at the door of "Slim Wright, and as the poor fellow had been sent to the home for those afflicted with tuberculosis in the mean time, he was not here to defend himself, admit or deny his guilt. Officers were partly wise to the fact that such a party was to take place, and came to the home where the officers thought it would be, but the party was not there, the occupants of that place having gone to a home to the officers unknown. Officers waited for the return of the home people, but did not wait long enough, giving up the watch at about 2 o'clock, and neighbors said there was a noisy home coming about one hour later.

Then there was a hurry up call for a physician, and by energetic use of the stomach pump and all other known restoratives a funeral was averted. These men asked for a jury trial, and when it was found difficult to secure a jury of six, consented to leave it to a jury of three, and their verdict was "not guilty as charged" James Brittan, assistant county attorney, ably conducted the prosecution, but seemed to lack positive evidence. C. H. Hendrickson was the attorney for the defense.

This party was held November 16, according to the record. Next there came on the scene a Federal man, who was dry, as such men are very frequently known to be, and after spending a week or so here, trying in one way and another to get a bit of liquor refreshments for a little party which was raided by the city marshal, and five traveling men who gave some fictitious names, were arrested and upon conviction of intoxication or having liquor in possession, were each fined \$100 and costs, and did not appeal.

Another result of this party and the information obtained by the Federal man, two of our citizens, Ivor C. Jensen and Louie Rosicker were invited to attend Federal court at Omaha, and not having \$3,000 each handy for bail, or friends who could and would come to the rescue, they accompanied the officer to Omaha, and are supposed to be there yet, as we have heard no report of their trial.

Of course, as to that party, we will have to refer the readers to our social column, and if it is not there, you should remember that even a society editor or editress must sleep a part of the time, and parties that assemble so silently and disband so late as this one did, need not necessarily expect too much mention of the guests, the decorations and the refreshments.

## WON'T ASK PHONE RATE HIKE

Lincoln, Nebraska, December 16.—The telephone company of Ainsworth surprised the state railway commission by notifying it that a request for a rate increase would not be pushed on account of the bad financial condition of the farmers in that territory. The company had asked a raise and the commission had fixed a date for a hearing.

strength of character, which were most appreciated by those who knew him best; for he modestly went about his unassuming life, seldom letting his right hand know the good deed the other hand might be doing.

Henry Ley will be missed in the family and the community of which he had so long been a factor.

## GEORGE SCOTT VISITS BOYHOOD HOME

Geo. Scott, son of Alex. Scott, came from Jackson county, Oregon, arriving here Thanksgiving day to visit his father and great old friends, of whom he finds now and then he had known in the early days. Mr. Scott tells us that he came here from Lee county, Illinois when a lad about six years of age, with a colony of thirteen families from that place. The trip was a picnic for a kid of that age, no doubt, and many of the scenes of those days are fresh in his memory yet—and remembered more vividly than happenings and sights seen in later days.

It is now nearly thirty years since he moved from Wayne; but he was here for a visit about seventeen years ago. Of course, Wayne has improved much in these years, but as he has been most of the time in western communities, he does not so much notice these changes; but when he compares the development with that of the days when the Indians were numerous here, before the county was organized, it is a wonderful development. His grandfather was the first county treasurer, and the office was in his home, and the tax money was not much of a burden to carry around, when he had any.

Mr. Scott tells us that he is expecting to return to his Oregon home within a week or ten days, and his father, Alex. Scott is planning to accompany him and spend the winter there.

## WAYNE GROCERY CLOSED FOR THE CREDITORS

Last week John F. Winter of the Wayne Grocery left Wayne and left his business in the hands of the employees—just disappeared, and so far as we can learn has not been heard from, by family, friends or creditors. A week after he left the place was taken over by the creditors, Attorney F. S. Berry representing one of the heaviest creditors, Tollerton, Warfield Co., of Sioux City.

Mr. Berry tells us that the stock will be sold for the benefit of all the creditors, January 2, 1925. We have no estimate of the assets and liabilities, but the liabilities are thought to be far greater than the assets.

## CHRISTMAS CARDS IN STOCK

The Democrat still has a fine assortment of pretty Christmas cards for the 11th hour needs. They are priced very modestly—as low as 10c each in lots of 25. Your name and a sentiment that appeals to you neatly printed makes a very nice remembrance at this time, and is more cherished than many a more expensive token, representing commercial value rather than a sentiment of cheer and good will. We will serve first comers as long as supply lasts.—adv.

## SOME SMASH-UP

That was what happened at the Wayne Monument works a week or more ago. Some thing went wrong with their powerful motor, and the fire flew for a moment, and the motor looked like a wreck. It was a new motor, and a guaranteed machine, and an expert came at once to put it in perfect order and like new. Yet there was a delay in the work, for parts had to come from the factory. Business is again under way, we are glad to announce. It was fortunate that no one was injured.

## JAMES KELLY KILLS GOLDEN EAGLE

Last Friday James Kelly, a farmer north of Wayne killed one of the largest eagles recently reported from this part of the state. In fact, we think not many larger of that specie are found. This bird weighed 11½ pounds, and had spread of wings of 11 feet, and a beak tail measurement to correspond with the wing spread. It was on view at the Denbeck meat market a short time, and then Jack sent it away to be mounted; and it will be a fine specimen of the specie whoever may be so fortunate as to secure it will possess.

## CRADLE

PRESTON—Monday, December 15, 1924, to Clarence Preston and wife a son. At Laurel.

KABISCH—Tuesday, December 16, 1924, to George W. Kabisch and wife a daughter.

FARM LOANS 5% INTEREST  
White of 8th, Mabel A. Dayton, Wayne, Nebraska, Phone 351—adv. if

## CHAS. A. BAGGERT, CIVIL WAR VETERAN PASSES ON

Thursday, December 11, 1924. Charles A. Baggert, who had been for a month a patient of his physician at the Wayne hospital, passed away from the infirmities which came with advancing years. He was born June 14, 1844 at Burgsdorf, Switzerland, and came to America with his parents and they located at Beloit, Wisconsin. Here he enlisted to serve in the Civil War, joining Co. H, 42nd Wisconsin Infantry. At the close of the war he went to Chicago for a time, and from there moved to Emerson, Iowa, where he lived until 1886, when he moved to Wayne, and since made his home here. He was for many years a member of the Masonic order, belonging to the Wayne lodge. He was also an active member of the G. A. R.

Chas. Baggert is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Rosa Melko of Cleveland, Ohio, who was here to attend his funeral; Mrs. Fannie McGill of Chicago, and Mrs. Louise Gehring of Stansberry, Missouri.

His funeral service was from the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon, Rev. S. X. Cross preaching the sermon, and his brother Masons acting as pall bearers, and the burial service was by the Masons, at the Greenwood cemetery.

## CAME FROM MONTANA TO VISIT PARENTS

Monday morning Earl Gossard, who moved to Montana seven years ago, came to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Gossard and family, his brother at Sioux City and other former friends. He was expected, but not quite when he came, but they were just as pleased to see him. He is farming or ranching at or near Williams, Montana, which is up in the northwest quarter of that great state. He said that times were pretty good where he lives, and they are engaging more and more in diversified farming. The wheat crop is their great staple, with oats and barley good; but not much of any corn as we know corn here; the some small varieties are grown. He has both dry and irrigated farming, and this season both had done fairly well. On dry land he had more than thirty bushels of wheat per acre; and he saw wheat turn back 60 bushels from some irrigation projects. Wheat quality is mostly always good.

He said that dairying is coming to the front there, Williams having a good creamery. Poultry, too is adding to the prosperity of the tillers of the soil. More than 40,000 turkeys had been shipped from the county in which he lives this season.

## THE ETERNAL MARK

Who heard it over the wireless when prices on sugar dropped at Denver last week? The consumer can endure a sugar price drop with fortitude.

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And now the Iowa farmer is asking that the price of corn be fixed at \$1.50 the bushel. Won't that be too much for the manufacturer to pay for corn from which to make sugar? Of course, at present prices for that other corn product, if they would let it sell without prosecution would not matter. Seems hard to get everything just right, all along the line.

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Some fellow happening to be trailing Coolidge in the campaign picked up a dime which the president dropped, and kept it till the other day, and then returned a dime with a letter of explanation, that he was broke and hungry when he found the money. Did he pay interest?

Mrs. Coolidge was granted a degree from the Boston University. Wonder if she could pass the educational tests which that institution requires from the ordinary recipient of such honor? If degrees are given without the proper qualifications being adhered to, of what value are they?

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And the bulls rushed in and checked the reaction in the stock market, last week, and how? Well, the federal reserve discount rate was not raised; always plenty of cheap money for gambling, does it not seem?

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With the snow going off as these lines are being written, the question now so quietly sleeping, bobs up. What about the oil fields north of Wayne?

Partner wants your Cream, Poultry, and Eggs.

## TELLS OF EARLY DAYS HERE

John Gannon of Rosalie was at Wayne Saturday morning, going up into the northwest part of the county on official business, for he is a deputy U. S. marshal in this corner of the state. He says these are busy days in his line of work, with notices of foreclosures from outside corporations and now and again a bit of moonshine to close out. In course of a short time as he was waiting train, he asked about some of the early settlers here—said that he came to Wayne county in the spring of 1833, and bought a couple of 80s. Came with equipment to do some breaking on his place, which was 13 miles west of Wayne and about three miles from his nearest neighbor house. He took possession of a half dugout shack which had been used by some fellow who had been running sheep on the prairie there, but who had been so lonesome no doubt, that he had shuffled off by the suicide route. He had not taken all of his clothes with him, and they were about the shack. They slept in the barn, there being plenty of hay to make a comfortable sleeping place. But the place seemed to have the "haunts" for the wife, and so he sold out his holdings at a fair advance over price paid, and located elsewhere.

He said that 1833 was a wet spring, and that made it good for breaking, but the wet weather delayed the building of a house; and as there was no bridges, it was not always that they could get to town without the mules getting stuck in some creek crossing, for they did not have much but mud bottoms in the streams of the county in those days. He can look back and see what he could not then see looking ahead.

## WAYNE HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

An intra-scholastic tournament in Boy's basketball was held this week at the High school gymnasium, the Juniors taking the championship of the school.

The girls of the separate classes held an inter-class basketball tournament in the gymnasium, the Seniors defeating the Freshmen 31-10 and the Juniors defeating the Sophs—12-3. The finals were played between the Seniors and the Juniors, resulting in a victory for the former by a score of 27-20. By thus winning the tourney the Seniors fall heir to the handsome loving cup presented by Supt. Jacobson for the victorious.

This is a great week for the first grade with three birthday parties to take up the time. Faye Dawson, Josephine Ley and Dorothy Mace were the fortunate ones.

The first grade are making the covers and the sixth grade are making the content matter for some booklets to be sent to the Orthopedic hospital a Lincoln for Christmas.

Mrs. Don Porter and Mrs. Mau were visitors in the kindergarten.

## CHRISTMAS NEXT THURSDAY—DEMOCRAT ISSUE WEDNESDAY

Next Thursday is Christmas day, and it is the purpose of the publishers of the paper to go to press Wednesday morning, that all readers in the near vicinity of Wayne, may have their paper the day before Christmas. This is necessary because the rural mail carriers are to observe Christmas this year, a new departure. In other years they had to play Santa Claus and take some other day off. But this year if your present does not reach the rural patron before Christmas, it will remain until after the 25th.

This early issue gives opportunity for announcements and advertisements to reach the home readers with a last greeting, just on the eve of the great day.

We ask the co-operation of all in speeding up.

## HAMM—NELSON

At the county court room, Wednesday, December 17, 1924, Judge J. M. Cherry officiating, occurred the marriage of Mr. Harry Nelson and Miss Florence Hamm, both of Winside.

The groom is son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Nelson, and is a young farmer on a place about four miles northwest of Winside, where they will make their home after returning from a wedding trip to Omaha and other points which they began immediately following the marriage, leaving on the afternoon train. The bride is the daughter of John W. Hamm and wife, a young lady well and favorably known in the vicinity of Winside, where both bride and groom have spent most of their lives, coming to this county when but children.

## VISIT THE CITY CHRISTMAS

Everything For Entertainment of Guests Planned. Bright Lights, Decorations, Presents, Programs

Wayne business men and citizens have spared no pains or expense to make this the ideal place for the Christmas shopper, and all are welcome. Several good programs are planned for each week; Santa Claus walks each afternoon when weather and roads permits the country people to visit Wayne. The presents offered were intended for the visitors from the country and other towns, and when conditions are such that they cannot come, Old Santa seems to be snow and weather bound also.

Turkeys, Ducks, Chickens  
Saturday afternoon of this week will be the first Turkey, duck and chicken day. That afternoon a half dozen turkeys, and a like number of ducks and chickens will be turned loose for the spry people to catch, and catching is owing—except, we believe it is the rule that but one bird go to a family.

Then again, Tuesday, the 23rd the performance will be repeated. If you fail to get a bird Saturday come back and try it Tuesday, for you just must have fowl for that Christmas dinner.

## Next Program Saturday

The weather man has so disarranged the order of the entertainments that we are not sure just what will be on for Saturday afternoon and evening, but nothing but the weather is to stop, so plan to come.

Oh, yes, the good fellows are planning to look after the needs of the little folks with treats of good things and plenty. Keep your eye on Wayne and the weather man. And do not fail to visit Wayne before Christmas at least once, and then you will want to come again.

## DE MOLAY DANCE

The Wakefield chapter, Order of DeMolay for Boys, were hosts to the local Masonic body at a dance given in the Community House Friday evening, December twelfth. The Barbary Coast Orchestra supplied the music for the evening, with the exception of two vocal numbers by the De Molay boys, in close-very close harmony. Charles Senter, the chapters prolific stuntsman, gave an excellent white-face rendition of a black-face dance, accompanied by the orchestra.

Light refreshments of a post-Volstead nature were served, in short, as Longfellow aptly put it: The night was filled with music, And the cares that infested the day, Folded their tents like the Arabs, And as silently faded away.

## COMMISSIONER CONTEST CASE SET FOR DECEMBER 29

The election contest for commissioner of the 2nd commissioner district is set for December 29th, when Thos. Sundahl, who had the democratic nomination for that office will contest the election of Henry Rethwisch, the republican nominee. The returns gave Rethwisch a majority of four votes, and Sundahl alleges that in his opinion this is a wrong report of the true sentiment of the voters. Plaintiff has employed attorney C. W. Peasinger of Randolph to prosecute the case; and Mr. Rethwisch has retained Attorney Jas. Brittan of this place and Attorney McCarthy of Ponca. There is promise of a real legal battle.

## THE GONDOLIERES AT NORMAL

This comic opera, in two parts presented by the students under direction of Professor and Mrs. Leon F. Berry Tuesday evening, was indeed a real entertainment, and in spite of the unfavorable weather conditions, drew a good house. The talent was good, being wisely selected for the various parts by the directors; and this presentation tells how careful and thorough the training being given at the school is.

The stage setting was designed and executed by Miss Martha Pierce and Prof. E. J. Huntmer and Lyle Dowling.

## NEW YEAR EVE MAS-QUEBADE BY FIREMEN

The Wayne Volunteer Firemen are going to have their annual ball this year at the Community house, a masquerade, and a great time. Announcements will be coming to the people soon. Dance the old year out, and the new one in.

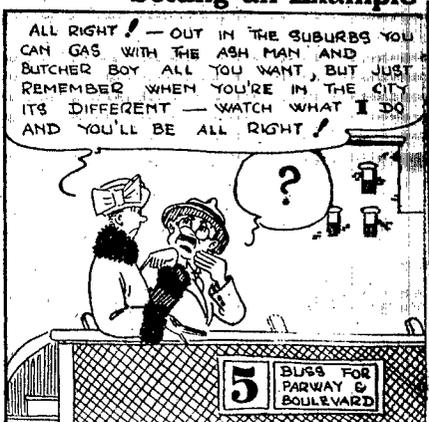
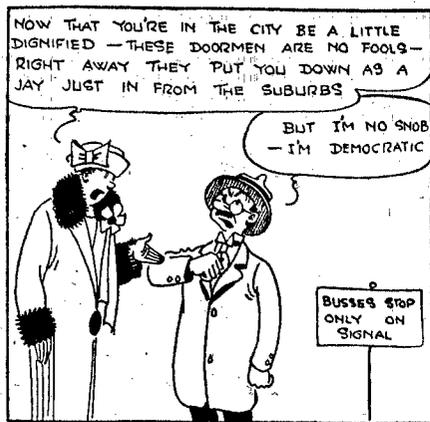


**WHAT'S THE USE**

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**Setting an Example**

CARTOONS



**PROMINENT RESIDENT CALLED TO REST**  
(Winside Tribune)  
Francis Wilbur Perrin was born February 17, 1867 in Henderson county, Illinois, and died at his home in Winside Wednesday December 10th, age 57 years, 9 months and 23 days. At the age of 16 he came with his parents to Wayne county and settled

on what is now the Moses Brothers farm. On March 19, 1888 he was married to Mary Etta Bâyes. To this union were born two children Clyde Perrin living near Carroll and Mrs. Lloyd Prince of Winside vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. Perrin spent their early married life on farms near Winside and in 1896 moved into town where they have since resided. Mr. Perrin was baptized into the Methodist church in infancy. The principles of the church truth honesty and neighborly love were to him the golden rule of life. At the time of his death he was head consul of the Modern Woodman Camp in Winside and was as faithful in its teachings as he was in attendance and interest of his local camp.

Death came very suddenly. He read a magazine Tuesday night, expressing a desire for another copy of the continued story he was reading. He retired at ten o'clock, awakened at four and complained of not feeling well. At five the summons to the great beyond came and passed to his reward. His is the victory, and the bereaved wife and children have lost a kind and loving husband and father. Others who mourn are his aged mother Mrs. Ellen Perrin of Wayne a sister Mrs. Blanch Lucky of Lincoln, a brother Ed Perrin of Sioux City. His father Robert Perrin died October 18, 1917 and a brother, Tom Perrin died November 5, 1914.

Funeral services were held Friday at 2 o'clock at the Methodist church. Rev. L. R. Keckler and Rev. J. Bruce Wylie had charge of the services. Interment was in the Winside cemetery.

Carl Wright of Wayne, Louie Schulte, Ed Hornby, G. A. Mittelstadt, Fred Bright and Perry Brodd acted as pall bearers.

**THE PACKERS AND THE GROCERS**

It is perhaps four years ago that the packers so conducted their business, encroaching upon the business of the wholesalers grocers, who asked that the court restrain the packers from using their transportation equipment to compete in the wholesale grocers business. For some time the matter has not been publicly agitated; but now the packers are appealing to the courts to modify or set aside their decree, known as the "Consent Decree." In summing up their argument, the Armour Company of Chicago, packers make the following conclusions:

The immediate status of the Consent Decree matter, therefore, is this: The decree itself is being carried out actually and effectually by the packing concerns.

A company which was in no sense a party to the decree, feeling itself injured by the operation of the decree, has appealed for either a modification in its behalf or a nullification of the decree itself.

In resisting that effort it has been alleged that the decree itself implies the facts necessary to sustain it, a position which the packers maintain, violates the express condition on which they consented to it, namely, their innocence of any violation of law.

The Court of Appeals has expressed the view that no decree of the lower court will be sustained if its effect is "to safeguard one public interest by the destruction of another."

The lower court in proceedings instituted on November 5, 1924 is asked to decide whether the decree itself is valid and if so whether or not any modification of it should be made.

should be chosen which contain the outer layers of the grain. Good judgment in the selection of foods and the encouragement of the thorough chewing of hard foods will go far toward the possession of strong and perfect teeth.

**CONCERNING THE FAIR EXHIBIT BUILDING**

(From the Wayne County Teacher)  
We were pleased to receive the following from one progressive director: Dear Madam:—Just received your paper "The Wayne County Teacher" and noticed you marked the article on "School Exhibit Building" also the "The Flag and Flagpole." I read the first article with interest and will say I am in hearty sympathy with the idea only I doubt if a building suitable for the purpose can be built for the amount you propose to tax each district.

Why not make it enough so we can put up a building we can be proud of in the years to come?

I would suggest you get \$15 from each district. I am sure our district is in favor of it if the rest are.

In regard to flagpole, ours is up and in fine shape.

A box supper was held in District 59 on the evening of Friday, November 28. Coffee, sandwiches and cookies were sold. Proceeds were \$28.50. With this money they were getting a pencil sharpener, a new flag, window shades and they sent in ten dollars toward the fund for the Fair Exhibit Building. Bernice Hanson is the teacher.

In District 86 when we visited they

were preparing for a program and box social. Money received was to go toward paying for a piano for the school and some toward the Fair Exhibit Building.

**A HEALTH ALPHABET**

All healthy folks are active and bright.

Be sure to go to bed early each night.

Children, be careful and keep dry feet—

Damp shoes are neither healthful or neat.

Eat slowly, and choose the simplest food—

Fresh fruit is dainty, and tempting and good.

Garments should never be worn too tight—

Hat should always be airy and light.

If you would be happy, and healthy, and gay

Just stay in the sunshine the live-long day.

Keep your heat pure and your temper sweet;

Let your dress and home be always neat.

Many have died from lack of pure air.

No child can keep well without constant care.

Old rags and trash should never be kept—

People thrive best in a house well swept.

Quick motion brings to girls and boys,

Red cheeks, bright eyes, and many joys.

See that the water you drink is pure.

'Tis better than coffee, or tea, I am

sure.

Use all your wits to prevent mis-

takes;

Very sad are troubles they often

make.

Walk every day as much as you

can;

'Exercise makes the strong woman

or man.

Your health is your wealth and well-

worth pain—

Zeal in its care is never in vain.

Fortner wants your Cream, Poultry

and Eggs.

**AT THE**  
**Crystal**  
**THEATRE**  
E. GALLEY, Manager

**Tonight—Thursday**  
LAST DAY  
TOM MIX in  
"A MILE A MINUTE ROMEO"  
Two Reel Comedy  
"SCHOOL PALS"  
Admission .....10 and 30c

**Friday & Saturday**  
BEL DANIELS, RICHARD DIX in  
"UNGUARDED WOMEN"  
Comedy  
"EMPTY HEAD"  
Admission .....10c and 25c

**Monday & Tuesday**  
WILLIAM S. HART in  
"WILD BILL HICOCK"  
FOX NEWS  
Admission .....10c and 25c

**Wednesday**  
One Day Only  
BUCK JONES in  
"WESTERN LUCK"  
Comedy  
"NO PETS"  
Admission .....10c and 25c

**XMAS DAY ONLY**  
MARY PICKFORD in  
"LITTLE FORD FAUNTLEROY"  
Matinee at 3:00 p. m.  
First show at night at 7:15, second  
show at 9:15.  
Admission .....10c and 30c

Matinee Every Saturday  
Show Starts at 3:00  
Doors Open at 2:30  
One show only in P. M.

**STAND BY YOUR SCHOOL**

If you think your school's the best, tell 'em so!

If you'd have it lead the rest, help it grow.

When there's anything to do, let the others count on you, You'll feel bully when it's through; Don't you know.

When a stranger from afar comes along, Tell who and what we are—make it strong.

Needn't flatter, never bluff, Tell the truth, for that's enough; Join the boosters—they're the stuff. We belong.

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

**HOW TO KEEP YOUR TEETH IN THE BEST OF CONDITION**

By Royal S. Copeland, M. D.  
Former Commissioner of Health, United States Senator from New York  
Almost every family must deal with the problem of an undernourished member. Of course, there are families where everybody is plump, but they are the exception.

Whenever I see a skinny individual, I wonder about the teeth. There can be no doubt of the bad effects of bad teeth.

The trouble coinciding with decayed teeth may not be due to the absorption of pus. It may be purely mechanical from the lack of proper chewing, the food is not prepared for stomach digestion.

There can be no question about the ill-effects of dead teeth upon the health of children. Invariably when such teeth are removed there is a gain in weight within a few weeks.

It is pathetic how neglectful the average home is in its instructions as to the care of the teeth. It is left to the public school teacher to impart this information and to show the children how to brush the teeth.

I am thankful beyond words for what the school teachers are doing for humanity. A product of the public school myself, I speak with knowledge when I testify to the accomplishments of teachers. In my opinion their work is the cornerstone of society. Not only do they train the minds, but they guard the health and feed the souls of the growing citizens of America.

There can be no perfect health without perfect teeth. This does not mean that the teeth need be regular or beautiful. Not everybody can be perfect in that sense, but everybody can have teeth free from decay and free from contaminating uncleanness.

What the teeth are to be depends upon three things: Cleanliness of the mouth, proper food and correct physical practices.

I am sure we need not use words to prove the need of clean teeth and a clean mouth! Everybody will concede the bald fact, but the pity is so many neglect to apply the truth.

Nobody will deny that right living is necessary to good teeth and good health. But I fear it is too common a thing to forget that what the teeth are depends on the sort of food eaten.

Too much of our food is denatured and devitalized in its manufacture. The craze for products appealing to the eye has caused us to shun the mineral carrying foods.

Young children should have an abundance of milk, whole wheat bread, vegetables and fruits. Corals



**USEFUL GIFTS**

**SLIPPERS for men and women, and priced very low.**

- Fancy and Plain Blankets
- Sweaters for Men and Women
- Overcoats, Leather Coats, Sheep Lined Coats
- Shoes for Men and Women
- Dress Goods and Kitchen Aprons
- Fancy Work Designs
- Handkerchiefs

and many other inexpensive and appropriate gifts.

The Fair Store is new at Wayne, and the stock is all newly purchased, and is already most complete in Staple Dry Goods; and we invite the people to come and visit us, see the line we carry, and get the prices and note the values.

Best Wishes for a Merry Christmas to You.

**THE FAIR STORE**

Sam Sadden, Prop.

**Electrical Gifts**

Are Most Practical

The demand for Electrical Household Appliances become more pronounced each year and knowing what really delightful Christmas gifts they make, we have arranged an assortment that affords many good suggestions.

- Electric Irons
- Toasters
- Hot Plates
- Hair Dressers
- Hair Curlers
- Water Heaters
- Xmas Tree Lights
- Radio Bulbs
- Radio Batteries, all sizes
- Electric Bulbs, all sizes

Everything in Bathroom Jewelry

Call and see our display and your gift worries will be over.

**A. G. Grunemeyer**

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WAYNE MARKET REPORTS

Table with market prices for various goods: Corn No. 2, Oats, Springs, Rooters, Beans, Butter Fat, Hops, Cattle.

According to the reading of the Monday report from Washington, the Underwood Muscle Shoals bill...

A Wyoming bank president has offered his bank to the institution to help pay bank failures...

Over in Iowa, the authorities took it upon themselves to sentence a young man guilty of theft to three years in the navy...

The poultry embargo has the tendency to stop local dealers from bidding up for the birds...

Sentiment in the United States is becoming so strong in the matter of having membership in the League of Nations...

Advertisement for J. A. Frydenlund, Christmas Gifts for Men and Boys, Extra Fine Cigars, Tobaccos, Pipes, Cigar and Cigarette Cases, and Holders.

most any time for them to make some proposition that will be...

Journal and Wilbur, secretary of the way, then said he would to...

THE EMBARGO ON CHICKENS: Poultry embargo is a convenient means to prevent the eastern commission...

As a basis for the embargo, it is claimed that Nebraska poultry is diseased. That is a lie!

It is the practice of discriminations of this character which have aroused the hostility of these western states...

Table titled 'SHIPMENT FOR WEEK' listing various items and prices: Sioux City Market, Omaha Market.

SOCIAL NOTES: afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. D. Perkins...

The members of the U. D. club will have a dinner party Monday December 29...

A TRIP TO THE INTERNATIONAL: I was awarded a trip to Chicago by the Chicago and North Western Railroad...

The members of the Acme club and their husbands had their annual Christmas party Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Bressler...

Thursday morning we went through the International Harvesting Co. and they gave us a very good dinner...

The Altrusa club members met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Chas. McLennon...

The members of the A. Z. Chapter P. E. O. held their regular meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. T. T. Jones...

The members of the Monday club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. J. Hess...

The D. A. R. members had their regular monthly meeting Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. D. Perkins...

of the meeting the morning after by Mrs. Clara Ellis, served delicious refreshments.

The Eastern Star will have a special meeting Monday evening, December 22, and will have election of officers.

The members of the U. D. club will have a dinner party Monday December 29, at the home of Mrs. Wm. VonSeggern.

I left Saturday, November 29 for Blair where I met many other boys girls and from the state.

Monday morning we left on a special train for the International Live Stock show where we saw all the stock and many other exhibits.

Wednesday morning we went to the field museum and saw many wonderful things. Then we went through the Chicago Board of Trade...

Thursday morning we went through the International Harvesting Co. and they gave us a very good dinner.

Friday morning we went to the Sherman hotel. Many railroad men spoke. At 7:15 p. m. we all left for International Live Stock show grounds...

NOTE: NOTICE OF HEARING: In the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska. In the matter of the Estate of B. J. Johnson, deceased.

Wayne Variety Store Santa Claus Headquarters. CHRISTMAS CANDIES, PRACTICAL GIFTS, BOX PAPERS, POSTCARDS AND BOOKLETS, CHINAWARE AND CUT GLASS.

We have some broken lots, and odds and ends in Toys, which we want to close out. The value of these Toys run from 25c to a dollar.

LET'S HOLLER FOR IT (State Journal) A little urging from the people and press of the country would put the Norris 'lame duck' resolution through.

Headquarters for Practical GIFTS. Shop Here for Useful Christmas Gifts. All our new coats have been greatly reduced—profit has been eliminated.

Handkerchiefs are in Great Variety. For men, a very neat initial handkerchief, all letters, at 25c each.

Hosiery. Ladies' pure silk hosiery, Phoenix make, all wanted colors and black, \$1.50 and up.

S. R. Theobald & Co. Wayne, Nebr. See Us for Useful Gifts. COMFY FELT SLIPPERS for men, women and children, better and cheaper than ever.



## Fruits and Nuts For The Holidays

Wholesome fresh fruits and a bowl or two of delicious, unshelled or shelled nuts should have a place on your Christmas table.

A list of the things you should have to make your Christmas dinner complete.

Figs	Celery	Dill Pickles
Nuts	Citron	Head Lettuce
Candy	Apples	Apple Cider

In fact a full line of fruits of all kinds.

## Mildner's Grocery

PHONE 134 WAYNE, NEBR.

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Fortner wants poultry and eggs. Mrs. Endicott went to Wakefield Tuesday morning for a short visit.

WANTED—Clean light rags. 7 cents a pound. Coryell & Brock.—adv.

Mrs. L. B. Palmer, of Hubbard, was a Wayne visitor Monday between trains.

Come to Wayne as often as possible between now and Christmas. Something doing every good day.

Miss Charlotte White departed this morning for Roselen, where she will spend the winter with her niece.

Mrs. J. A. Hirschman, who was in Wayne visiting with her sister Miss Mary Hook, and looking after business matters, returned to her home at Laurel Monday.

Mrs. Art Auker of Winside was a Wayne visitor today between trains.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Strahan went to Sioux City this morning and spent the day.

Miss Hilda Hokaup of Carroll was a Wayne visitor between trains this morning.

Mrs. Clair Hamilton went to Norfolk Wednesday morning to spend a few days visiting with her parents.

Yes, little girl, tell your mother that she can see a fine lot of pretty dolls at the Mrs. Jeffries Style Shop.—adv.

Mrs. V. A. Senter, who spent nearly three weeks visiting with her parents at Imperial returned home Friday evening.

Mrs. Albert Moer of Emerson, who spent a few days visiting with Mrs. E. C. Rhode, returned to her home Monday afternoon.

WANTED—Clean light rags. 7 cents a pound. Coryell & Brock.—adv.

Mrs. Paul and Miss Violet Brown of Wakefield were Wayne visitors between trains Monday.

Mrs. Henry Kay was a passenger to Sioux City Tuesday morning, she spent the day there.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Seace went to Carroll Wednesday morning to look after business matters.

F. A. Schrauger of Lyons visited Tuesday night at the home of his aunt, Mrs. S. W. Dayton.

Mrs. D. Hall departed Tuesday morning for Belden, where she will visit her daughter Mrs. Clarence Preston and little son.

Mrs. Frank Sederstrom, who spent several days at Sioux City last week, going to consult a specialist, is home, and about the home as usual.

Mrs. C. H. Orvis came from Council Bluffs Wednesday and will spend a short time visiting at the home of her brother W. H. Moore and family.

Mrs. George Fortner departed Wednesday morning for Lang Beach, California, where she will visit with her sister Mrs. Anna Hackett, and with her son George.

Independent oil men of the state will attend the convention of the Independent Oil Men's association which convenes in Omaha Tuesday and Wednesday, December 16 and 17.

Misses Ruth Jones and Fauntell Senter will come from Lincoln Friday evening, to spend their holiday vacation with home folks. They are attending school at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Chace departed Wednesday morning for Lewiston, Idaho, where they will visit for a short time and from there they will go to Long Beach, California, to spend the winter.

Mrs. Marcella Moran, who was visiting at Kearney and at Wayne with her mother Mrs. Peter Coyle and with her daughter Mrs. Huntmer returned to her home at Omaha Wednesday morning.

Mrs. E. Meyer and Mrs. John Reeg and son Elmer, went to Randolph Wednesday morning where they attended the wedding of their niece Miss Anna Rudebusch. She was married Wednesday afternoon at the home of her parents to Mr. Herbert Carsten.

The new line of shoes for which we have been looking, are now at the Jeffries Style Shop, and we want all patrons to come and see the new styles, the popular lasts and the delicate shades from which most any costume may be matched.—adv.

State license for master painters was urged in a resolution passed by the Master Painters and Decorators Association of Nebraska during its annual convention here last week. Such license would bar itinerant painters and men who are not trained to do competent work, the master painters declare.

Unanimous indorsement of a petition asking the reappointment of Roy L. Cochran as state engineer was voted by the county officers during their convention in Omaha last week. The petition expressed the county officials' faith in Cochran's honesty and efficiency and commended his efforts on behalf of the state.

The Sunday schools of the different churches will have programs on Christmas evening, but they do not seem to have them in shape for publication at this time. The Juniors of the Methodist Sunday school are practicing for a cantata. Mrs. Britell is in charge of the young folks and their work.

One of the biggest land deals in recent years in Nebraska was made a week ago when R. F. Irland, of Lincoln, bought fifty-four quarter sections of land in Pawnee, Valley, Gage, Greeley and Thayer counties for a total of \$732,000. In twenty other farm deals that week prices ranged from \$50 to \$250 an acre.

The Grand Chapter of Nebraska, Royal Arch Masons, held a two-day session in Omaha last Wednesday and Thursday. Eighty-two candidates from all parts of the state were conferred the super-excellent degree at the session of Omaha Council No. 1, Royal Select and Super-excellent Master Masons held in Omaha December 9th.

Wm. VonSeggern, secretary of the Fair Association, is to go to Lincoln next month as the representative of the organization at the annual meeting of the farmers—a week when the varied farm interests are given special attention all along the line. There will be sessions during the week especially interesting to the fair interests.

County officers in session in Omaha last week voted in favor of a two-cent gasoline tax for providing a road-building fund, but insisted that the money should be used in the counties where it originates. They also urged a state tax on automobiles used for hire and laws limiting the size and weight of vehicles used on public highways.

Eggs wanted at Fortners.—adv. Read the advertisements, and heed them—there is money in so doing before you go shopping.

Need a coat, lady? Come to the Mrs. Jeffries Style Shop now, for the fine line is flung on the bargain sale at 25 per cent discount. One-fourth off is quite a Christmas present.—adv

The first zero weather of the winter came Wednesday morning, when the thermometers marked from six to ten below, according to the thermometer. Fortunately there was but little wind, and the promised snow did not reach us at this place. Glad to excuse it this time.

Mrs. Blanch Lucky of Lincoln, who was at Winside the last of the week to attend the funeral of her brother Frank Perrin, stopped here a short time with her mother, and left Sunday for her home. Her brother Frank Perrin of Sioux City came with her, and left by the same train for his home.

Banker Rohrke of Hoskins was a Wayne visitor Wednesday, attending a meeting of the fair directors. He reports matters of all kinds moving in natural channels at Hoskins, tho the movement is perhaps a trifle sluggish. Due to this weather, perhaps, and road conditions, which are not the best.

### THE LEGION MEMBERSHIP DRIVE TEAMS

Dividing the active membership into four competing teams for the present membership drive, they report the following captains and teams for the campaign. Line up, men with your captain and win.

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| Claire Lambertson, Captain | A. L. Swan        |
| Warren Shultheis           | Geo. Hoguewood    |
| Ray Love                   | John Jenik        |
| Frank Rheinolt             | Eric Thielman     |
| Verl McKim                 | Harvey Hostetter  |
| Jim Steele                 | Steve Rockwell    |
| Fritz Mildner              | Aug. Allenman     |
| Herb Peter                 | E. F. Gernar      |
| Robert Forth               | C. J. Perrin      |
| Forest McNutt              | Chester A. Jensen |
| Ernest Bahde               | Ray Wenzel        |
| John Groskyvth             | Max Ash           |
| Frank Elming               | B. B. Pollard     |

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| Harold Sears, Captain | Henry Kugler  |
| Aug Wittler           | R. L. Larson  |
| Jack Meister          | W. C. Hunter  |
| M. E. Kelly           | Jesse Bernard |
| John Rehder           | F. E. Powers  |
| Bernard Meyer         | R. L. Will    |
| John Bressler         | Ed Panhorst   |
| Enfred Allvin         | Francis Jones |
| Chas. Chinn           | L. W. Powers  |
| F. E. Hale            | Sigurd Jensen |
| Gus Splittgerber      | Walt Randol   |
| John Test             | Floyd Conger  |
| Otto Thurow           | Chas. Apgar   |

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| Elmer Galley, Captain | Dale Rickabaugh     |
| Jim Milliken          | Paul Mines          |
| Carroll Orr           | John Ahern          |
| Roy Ash               | Harold Gildersleeve |
| J. C. Johnson         | Joe Meister         |
| Floyd Rockwell        | Frank Heine         |
| Fritz Eickhoff        | Fred Brune          |
| Frank Griffith        | Wm. Hunter          |
| Ross Jacobs           | John Benjamin       |
| Wm. Fegley            | Lester Ellis        |
| Burl Lewis            | John Bush           |
| Alfred Sydow          | James Pile          |
| Roy McDonald          | Ray Cross           |

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| Curtis Forter, Captain | Karl Madsen    |
| H. W. Bergt            | Guy Strickland |
| Frank Thielman         | Fred Dale      |
| Herman Lutt            | Louis Kratavil |
| Rolfe Miller           | O. T. Conger   |
| Loyd Fitch             | Ora Martin     |
| Claire Hamilton        |                |

## Orr & Orr Grocers

### Make a Note of This

"An ounce of investigation is worth a ton of argument." Come in and see for yourself the exceptional values this store offers.

Phone 5

OUR PRICES ARE  
NEVER HIGH

Phone 5

### Your Christmas Dinner

We have made extensive preparations for your Christmas Dinner.

Fresh Vegetables and Fruits of all kinds will be here: Crisp Head Lettuce and Celery, Radishes, Celery Cabbage, Tomatoes, Parsley, Cucumbers. California Oranges and Grape Fruit, all sizes, Apples and Tokay Grapes.

### Family Blend Coffee

Coffee prices are still going up and it may not be possible to announce before hand the next advance in Family Blend Coffee. As long as present stock lasts 3 lbs. for \$1.32

### Charm Coffee

Is better than most of the coffee selling at 55c and 65c. 49c lb.

### Creole Coffee

Without doubt one of the highest grade coffees obtainable 54c lb.

### Christmas Candies and Nuts

We have not sacrificed quality in order to save on price. In candies nothing but the purest sold. The kind you will want the children to have. The Nuts are all this years crop insuring you of the best that can be obtained on the market.

### Christmas Trees

A new shipment this week of VERMONT TREES.

Prices from 35c to 75c

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| Bryan Klopning | Adolph Baler       |
| Wm. Thielman   | Albert Mau         |
| Geo. Schalus   | Geo. Wilcox        |
| Wilbur Hall    | Geo. Hoefeldt, jr. |
| Jack McGill    | Geo. Eickoff       |
| Jay Shumway    | Claude Reynolds    |
| Ira Cox        |                    |

### KID RAY AWAY FOR TRAINING

Kid Ray left Wayne the first of the week to do a bit of training at Sioux City. He seems always to be in condition, and thus far has practically met no defeat in his class and weight.

### CHRISTMAS COMES THURSDAY

And the Mrs. Jeffries Style Shop invites those looking for pretty and useful gifts for women and children to visit this place and see the fine line from which to select some really valuable gifts. There are so many things in stock that will bring happiness that it will be best to call and make selection, whether it be slippers, hose, shoes, kerchiefs, or something from the other hundred of appropriate gifts. We can surely please you.—adv.

Why is it that so many of the fellows who really know enough to give good advice, collect a stiff price for it? Suppose they need the price?



## Br-r-r-r-r BUT IT'S COLD

There's no use of suffering from the cold. Besides warm clothes are lots cheaper than the doctor's bill. Let us equip you to withstand Zero weather.

### Here are a few Suggestions:

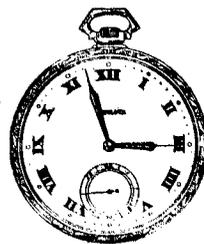
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| Overcoats           | Flannel Shirts      |
| Sheep lined coats   | Woolen Underware    |
| Heavy Caps, Mittens | Zippers             |
| Warm gloves         | Four Buckle Arctics |
| Felt shoes          | Woolen Hose         |
| Sweater Coats       | Leather Vests       |

In fact everything to keep a man warm.

We have arranged our Christmas goods to make your last minute shopping easy. Let us help you with it.

## Morgan's Toggery

The postoffice is just across the street.



## Gifts for Everybody

You cannot find a better place to get just the right thing for everyone. Our stock in full of attractions to buyers who appreciate superior and really desirable gifts of the latest designs and best quality.

### Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, Silverware, Cut Glass, French Ivory, Novelties, Etc.

It is to your interest to buy your watch from us because of the unusual value we give, every watch is tested by an expert who knows what a good reliable watch should be. We have all the leading makes—Elgin, Waltham, Illinois, Hamilton, Bulova—of the latest and most popular designs. Wrist Watches that you can depend upon for correct time.

Diamonds We have a large assortment of diamond rings, fine blue white stones in latest style of white gold mountings at SPECIAL LOW PRICES.

## Mines Leading Jeweler



**A DISTINGUISHED WASHING MACHINE**

The Deico-Light Electric Washing Machine is distinguished for its superior washing ability. It duplicates the action of the expert laundress—lifting, dipping, rubbing—seventy times a minute, insuring thorough cleansing.

**Fritz K. Eickhoff**  
Phone 106 Wayne, Neb.

**BASKET BALL SEASON NEXT**

Early in January comes the beginning of the last half of the school year in both colleges and high schools and with it come the basket ball contests for the first and greater part of the time. This will be followed by winter weather merges into spring weather by baseball and other athletics, merging into track events and pole vaulting, discuss and hammer throwing.

Just now the schedule for the Normal basket ball events is out, and four of the thirteen games scheduled will be at Wayne, and the dates follow:

- January 9—Western Union college at LeMars.
January 12—Grand Island college at Grand Island.
January 13—Midland college at Fremont.
January 14—Hastings college at Hastings.
January 15—Omaha university at Omaha.
January 23-24—Chadron Normal at Chadron. (Tentative.)
January 31—Hastings college at Wayne.
February 2—Chadron Normal at Wayne.
February 12—Midland college at Fremont.
February 13—Kearney Normal at Kearney.
February 14—Grand Island college at Grand Island.
February 19—Omaha university at Wayne.
March 2—Grand Island college at Wayne.

**TEACHERS' EXAMINATION DATES**

One day examinations only will be held.
Saturday, January 24, 1925.
Saturday, April 18, 1925.
Saturday June 6, 1925.
Saturday, August 1, 1926.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

The State of Nebraska, Wayne County, ss.

**IN THE COUNTY COURT**

In the Matter of the Estate of Rhoda H. McConoughey, deceased. TO THE CREDITORS OF SAID ESTATE

You are hereby notified, that I will sit at the County Court Room in Wayne, in said county, on the 9th day of January and on the 9th day of April, 1925, at 10 o'clock A. M., each day to receive and examine all claims against said Estate, with a view to their adjustment, and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said Estate is three months from the 9th day of January, A. D. 1925, and the time limited for payment of debts is One Year from said 9th day of January, 1925.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of

**Dr. T. B. Heckert**  
Dentist  
Opposite Postoffice

**DR. S. A. LUTGEN**  
Physician and Surgeon  
Office in Wayne Hospital  
Office Phone 61 Residence 161

Eyes Examined Lenses Prescribed  
**Dr. E. E. Simmons**  
Exclusive Ophthalmologist  
Norfolk, Nebraska  
At Fahnke's Jewelry Store each Monday.

**Good Insurance at Reasonable Rates**  
FRED C. PHILLIPS  
Real Estate Loans & Insurance

said County Court, this 12th day of December, 1924.

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

**NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the office of the county clerk of Wayne county, Nebraska, for county physician, from January 1st 1925 to January 1st 1926.

County Physician to tender all necessary attendance and furnish medicine necessary for all persons who are or may become a county charge upon said Wayne county, and all those whose circumstances are such as to require the county to provide for them such attendance and medicine whether inmates of the county poor farm or not, and all prisoners who may be in the county poor farm or in the county jail during the year.

County physician to furnish at his own expense all medicine for persons dependent upon the county for the same, and also perform all surgical work for such persons, including the prisoners aforesaid.

Bids to be made for so much for the year.

The board of county commissioners have and reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Bids to be filed on or before January 1st, 1925.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this 29th day of November A. D. 1924.

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

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of an Order of Sale, to me directed, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Wayne county, Nebraska, upon a decree rendered therein at the February 1924 term thereof, in an action pending in said court wherein The Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, a corporation was plaintiff and John Francis, Eva E. Hughes, John M. Hughes, a minor over the age of 14 years, David Theophilus, guardian of John M. Hughes a minor, Daniel Davis, guardian of John M. Hughes, a minor, Citizens State Bank of Carroll, Nebraska, a corporation, The Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company, a corporation, George E. Roe, Harry B. Jones, Lee Brenner and Fred Nelson, partner's doing business under and by the firm name of Brenner and Nelson, John Doe, real and true name unknown, and Mary Doe, real and true name unknown were defendants, I will, on the 29th day of December 1924 at 10 o'clock a. m., at the door of the office of the Clerk of said Court, in the court house in Wayne, in said county, sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate to-wit: The northeast quarter of section ten (10) township twenty-six (26) north, range one (1), east of the 6th P. M., Wayne county, Nebraska, to satisfy the aforesaid decree the amount due thereon being \$19,628.08, also other judgment liens, and interest, and costs and accruing costs.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska this 26th day of November 1924.

A. W. STEPHENS, Sheriff.

N27-5t

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of an Order of Sale, to me directed, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, upon a decree rendered therein at the September 1924 term thereof, in an action pending in said court wherein Citizens National Bank of Wayne, Nebraska, was plaintiff and Hans P. Nielsen and Carrie Nielsen were defendants, I will, on the 29th day of December 1924 at 10 o'clock a. m., at the door of the office of the Clerk of said Court, in the court house in Wayne, in said county, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate to-wit: Lots four (4), five (5) and six (6) in block six (3) of Bressler & Patterson's Second Addition to Winside, Wayne County, Nebraska, to satisfy the aforesaid decree, the amount due thereon being \$200.00 with interest at 10 per cent from March 30, 1924, and cost and accruing costs.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska this 28th day of November 1924.

A. W. STEPHENS, Sheriff.

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**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of an Order of Sale, to me directed, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, upon a decree rendered therein at the September 1924 term thereof, in an action pending in said court wherein Citizens National Bank of Wayne, Nebraska, was plaintiff and Hans P. Nielsen and Carrie Nielsen were defendants, I will, on the 29th day of December 1924 at 10 o'clock a. m., at the door of the office of the Clerk of said Court, in the court house in Wayne, in said county, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate to-wit: Lots four (4), five (5) and six (6) in block six (3) of Bressler & Patterson's Second Addition to Winside, Wayne County, Nebraska, to satisfy the aforesaid decree, the amount due thereon being \$200.00 with interest at 10 per cent from March 30, 1924, and cost and accruing costs.

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**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of an Order of Sale, to me directed, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, upon a decree rendered therein at the February 1924 term thereof, in an action pending in said court wherein The Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company was plaintiff and Spencer Jones, Alice M. Jones, Roy V. Davis, First Trust Company of Omaha, D. D. Davis, Philip G. Burress, Nellie A. Burress, et al were defendants, I will, on the 5th day of January 1925 at 10 o'clock a. m., at the door of the office of the Clerk of said Court, in the court house in Wayne, in said county, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate to-wit: The northwest quarter of section three (3), township twenty-six (26), north, range one (1) east of the 6th P. M., Wayne County, Nebraska, to satisfy

the aforesaid decree, the amount due thereon being \$25,110.00 and interest, and costs and accruing costs.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska this 2nd day of December 1924.

A. W. STEPHENS, Sheriff.

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the aforesaid decree, the amount due thereon being \$25,110.00 and interest, and costs and accruing costs.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska this 2nd day of December 1924.

A. W. STEPHENS, Sheriff.

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**NOTICE OF HEARING**

In the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska.

In the matter of the Estate of Rhoda H. McConoughey, Deceased The State of Nebraska Wayne County, ss.

To all persons interested in said Estate:

You, each and all, are hereby notified that Gertrude Arrasmith has filed a petition in said court alleging that Rhoda H. McConoughey departed this life intestate on or about the 16th day of November, 1924, and praying that Gertrude Arrasmith be appointed administratrix of said Estate. Hearing will be had on said petition before me at the county court room in Wayne, Nebraska, on the 12th day of December, 1924, at 10 o'clock A. M.

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

N27-5t

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of an Order of Sale, to me directed, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, upon a decree rendered therein at the February 1924 term thereof, in an action pending in said court wherein Evan Evans was plaintiff, Edwin W. Davis, Cross Petitioner, and William H. Stageman et al, were defendants, I will on the 5th day of January 1925 at 10 o'clock a. m., at the door of the office of the Clerk of said Court, in the court house in Wayne, in said county, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit: The South Half of the North Half of Section Nine (9), Township Twenty-six (26) North, Range Two (2), East of the 6th P. M., Wayne County, Nebraska, to satisfy the aforesaid decree, the amount due thereon being \$10,000.00 with interest at 10 per cent from March 1st, 1922, and costs and accruing costs.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska this 2nd day of December 1924.

A. W. STEPHENS, Sheriff.

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**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of an Order of Sale, to me directed, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Wayne County,

Nebraska, upon a decree rendered therein at the February 1924 term thereof, in an action pending in said court wherein The Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company was plaintiff and John V. Francis, The First National Bank, Carroll, Nebraska; D. D. Davis, Citizens State Bank, Carroll, Nebraska; Lee Brenner and Fred Nelson, during business under and by the firm name of Brenner and Nelson, were defendants, I will, on the 5th day of January 1925 at 10 o'clock a. m., at the door of the office of the Clerk of said Court, in the court house in Wayne, in said county, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit: The south half of the northwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the north half of the southwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section eight (8), township twenty-six (26), north range two (2), east of the 6th P. M., Wayne county, Nebraska, to satisfy the aforesaid decree, the amount due thereon being \$37,200.00 and interest, and costs and accruing costs.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska this 2nd day of December 1924.

A. W. STEPHENS, Sheriff.

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Dated at Wayne, Nebraska this 2nd day of December 1924.

A. W. STEPHENS, Sheriff.

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**SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of an Order of Sale, to me directed, issued by the clerk of the District Court of Wayne county, Nebraska, upon a decree rendered therein at the April, 1923 term thereof, in an action pending in said court wherein B. N. Saunders, receiver of Farmers State Bank, Winside, Nebraska was plaintiff and Lillie Longnecker Storovich and Mike Storovich were defendants, I will, on the 29th day of December 1924 at 10 o'clock a. m., at the door of the office of the Clerk of said Court, in the court house in Wayne, in said county, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit: An undivided one-third interest in, and also the Life Estate of said Lillie Longnecker Storovich in and to the south-half of the southeast quarter of section four (4), township Twenty-five (25), north, range two (2), east of the 6th P. M., Wayne county, Nebraska, to satisfy the aforesaid decree, the amount due thereon being \$3915.00, with interest at 8 per cent from August 11th, 1923 and costs and accruing costs.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska this 22nd day of November 1924.

A. W. STEPHENS, Sheriff.

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**COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS**

Wayne, Nebraska, December 9th, 1924.

Board met as per adjournment. All members present.

Minutes of meeting held November 25th, 1924, read and approved.

\$807.00 is hereby appropriated from the County General Fund to the Jury Fund.

Bond of J. M. Cherry as County Judge is on motion duly approved.

Bond of Michael L. Halpin as Justice of the Peace for Winside precinct, is on motion duly approved.

Bond of Matt Finn as Overseer of Road District No. 23 is on motion duly approved.

Report of L. W. Ellis, Clerk of District Court, showing amount of fees earned by him for the quarter ending September 30th, 1924, amounted to the sum of \$452.25 was examined and on motion duly approved.

The following claims are on motion audited and allowed and warrants ordered drawn on the respective funds as herein shown. Warrants to be available December 20th, 1924:

General Fund—to be reimbursed from State Highway Fund:

Table with columns: No., Name, What for, Amount. Lists various items like S. G. Adams Stamp & Stationery Company, automobiles plates, Geo. M. Jordan, steel posts, etc.

Table with columns: No., Name, What for, Amount. Lists items like Geo. M. Jordan, steel posts, Lee Fitz Simmons, road work, etc.

**General Fund:**

Table with columns: No., Name, What for, Amount. Lists items like E. D. Morris, expense of taking Homer Ross to Lincoln, Lincoln Oil Corporation, gasoline, kerosene, oil, grease, etc.

**Bridge Fund:**

Table with columns: No., Name, What for, Amount. Lists items like A. W. Schulz, drayage, Theobald-Horney Lumber Co., lumber, etc.

**General Road Fund:**

Table with columns: No., Name, What for, Amount. Lists items like Commissioner District No. 1—Erxleben, Commissioner District No. 3—Miller, etc.

**Automobile or Motor Vehicle Fund:**

Table with columns: No., Name, What for, Amount. Lists items like Road Dragging District No. 1—Erxleben, Wm. Chambers, dragging roads, etc.

**Road Dragging District No. 3—Miller**

Table with columns: No., Name, What for, Amount. Lists items like Bolton Road Maintainer Co., one-half of road maintainer, etc.

**Road District Funds:**

Table with columns: No., Name, What for, Amount. Lists items like Road District No. 18, Road District No. 19, Road District No. 22, etc.

Whereupon Board adjourned to December 23rd, 1924. CHAS. W. REYNOLDS, Clerk.

# The DAIRY

DAIRY BULL NEEDS EXTRA GOOD CARE

A little special care should be used in the feeding and general management of the dairy herd sire, in order to maintain his stamina and potency to the fullest degree. In the case of the mature bull this necessitates keeping him in first-class condition as to flesh, but not overweight. Either fatness or thinness in flesh works against the maintenance of his best breeding condition and one is to be avoided as much as the other.

There should be an abundance of roughage in the dairy bull's ration. Clover hay and alfalfa are especially good; he may safely have all of either of these forages that he will consume. Corn stover and oats straw also are good feeds for the bull, though lower in nutritive values than the leguminous hays.

One of the main special requirements of the grain ration is that it be not too abundant; it is better to depend upon the forages for maintaining the animal's weight as much as possible. Many good dairymen give the herd sire the same grain ration as the cows receive, except less of it. The bull's grain needs will vary a great deal according to his size and physical condition, of course, though if he is getting plenty of good hay in addition, especially if it is clover or alfalfa, he will not need more than from four to eight pounds of grain daily. Shorts, bran and oats are particularly good concentrates to use in the grain portion of the bull's ration.

Here is a ration for mature bulls which has the sanction of usage on many farms: Three parts each of cornmeal, ground oats and wheat bran, and one part linseed meal. If desired, hominy may be substituted for the cornmeal.

Whether the herd sire should receive silage is a disputed point among dairymen. Many believe that it impairs the breeding abilities of the bull, though experimental evidence to support this belief is lacking. Other breeders safely feed silage to their herd bulls, though much less of it than the cows receive. Large feeding of silage to bulls results in greatly distending their paunches.

Until he reaches serviceable age there is no better feed for the young bull than grass, and he should be allowed to make as much of his growth on it as possible. On this feed he will build up the right kind of flesh, and along with it will develop vigor and constitution as he would in no other way. Whatever the ration of the young bull, it should contain much protein to supply the needs of his rapidly growing body.

While careful attention needs to be given the bull's ration, proper feeding alone will not maintain the most desirable physical condition. Regular exercise is quite as important in preserving his vigor and potency.

## Encouraging Favorable Market for Veal Calves

Here is something dairymen should encourage as a means of making a more favorable market for their veal calves: Meat experts of the federal government say that the practice of shipping veal without removing the hide or skin has many advantages. They explain that veal which does not have the skin removed until it reaches the retailer, which may be from five to ten days or longer after slaughter, still retains its "bloom," and the light pink color most desired by customers. The protective covering supplied by nature keeps the flesh from turning dark. Packers in New York and Chicago are now generally following the practice of selling veal with the skin on. This could be practiced to advantage locally where veal calves are killed for meat on the farm or in small towns.

## Kentucky Farmers Make Improvement in Dairies

Since April some 20 purebred dairy sires, ranging from 500-pound records to gold-medal classification, have been brought into Graves county, Kentucky, as a result of the co-operative efforts of the Mayfield chamber of commerce and agricultural extension workers, according to reports to the United States Department of Agriculture. Several carloads of cows with good records have also been purchased by Graves county farmers. Lime-storage sheds, built at shipping points in the county, have enabled farmers to purchase and haul lime at convenient times for the benefit of their legume hay crops. Pastures are being improved, and feed crops increased as a part of the county's program for economical and efficient dairy production.

## Feed Calf Some Hay

For a young calf mixed hay (clover and timothy or dried bluegrass) is the most desirable, but gradually, as the calf matures, clover hay may be fed with desirable results. Alfalfa hay of the best quality is exceedingly beneficial if limited to small quantities. At first not more than one pound should be fed and the amount should always be increased and the urea hay reserved. Increase the ration until it reaches three pounds when the calf is three months of age.

## Use of Stethoscope Old Medical Custom

Sir William Hale White, president of the Royal Society of Medicine, recently expressed the opinion that "nothing that doctors do has seized the popular imagination more than their habit of tapping the chest and listening to it with a stethoscope." Medical men in their investigations have found that this tapping of the chest is a quite remote custom, the Toronto Globe observes. A book written in Latin in 1761 recorded the fact that the chest of a healthy person when tapped yielded a note "like the stifled sound of a drum covered with a thick cloth."

A French physician, Laennec, is said to have made the first use of the stethoscope. For years he was the victim of ill health and family troubles, but after the battle of Waterloo he made public the discovery that it was possible to listen to a person's chest with a stethoscope.

He also wrote a book telling of all the human ailments it was possible to detect by means of this instrument. Sir William Hale White says that from this book arose the physician's habit of asking patients to pronounce certain words like "ninety-nine" when examining the chest. These words are produced in the larynx, and are suitable sounds when carried through the chest to help the physician to obtain confirmatory evidence of his tapping.

## Warden Had Some Good Picking "on the Side"

Those who talk of present-day graft would be interested in itemizing the emoluments of the keeper of the Tower of London during the reign of Queen Elizabeth. His nominal salary was only about \$500 a year, but he had numerous privileges. Most of the prisoners, being political offenders of high rank, were granted liberal allowances by the government for their board. Whenever they were too proud to accept this allowance it fell to the warden.

Moreover, this official was entitled to seize all cattle that slipped off London bridge, all carts that fell into the moat, all fotsam and jetsam in the Thames, all swans that floated below the bridge, two fagons of wine from every vessel arriving from Bordeaux, a toll of sea food from every fishing craft landing in London, and as many rushes as "a person could hold between two arms" from boats carrying such cargo, besides a fee on all hides cured at East Smithfield, near the Tower.

## Old Hen's Christmas Gift

An attorney who was also an enthusiastic chicken fancier spent much money and time coddling blooded hens that did not begin to pay for their keep. He had several pullets that were guaranteed to be the best kind of layers, yet every morning for almost a year he returned empty-handed from his search for eggs. Finally he had given up hope.

On Christmas morning, however, he was astonished and delighted to find four beautiful pearly eggs in one of the nests. He quickly gathered them up and ran triumphantly to show them to his skeptical wife. Not until he had emerged from the dimness of the henhouse did he notice that each egg bore the neatly penciled greeting: "Merry Christmas from the Old Hen."

## Siam Country of One Town

One of the oldest features of that odd country, Siam, is that it is a country of one town, observes a writer in the Detroit News.

Bangkok is the seat of a very centralized form of government and administration. It contains the only permanent residence of the king and all officials and nobles, except a very few provincial officers, have their work and dwellings in the capital. It is there, too, that they take all their pleasures. To the European Bangkok is all Siam. Here he meets all the foreigners in the country, all officials of foreign governments and the mercantile community.

Aside from this unique importance which Bangkok holds in Siam, it is one of the most interesting of the great cities of the East.

## Light Mystery Solved

One of the most spectacular forms of lightning (if it can be so called), occurs in the Andes, and has occasionally been reported from other mountainous regions. At times the mountains seem to act as gigantic lightning rods, giving rise to more or less continuous diffused discharges between themselves and the clouds, says Nature Magazine. A few years ago American meteorologists thought they had found an example of this striking phenomenon in North Carolina, but the once mysterious "Brown mountain lights" have been proved to be merely the beams of distant locomotive and automobile headlights or due to other human agencies.

## Roman Theater Unearthed

The remains of a Roman theater, 65 feet in diameter dating from the Second century of the Christian era, have been discovered in a garden at Fregene, about fifty miles south of Rome. A fine background is provided by the ruins of the Mausoleum and the valley of the Sacra, along which the railway runs from Rome to Naples. The ancient Fregene was a city of the Hernici, taken by the Romans (as Livy tells us) and destroyed in the second Punic war. It afterward became a Roman colony and was selected by Augustus as a typical quiet country town when the servile Roman Republic was reconstituted. —Scientific American.

# Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

## FAIRYLAND CHATTER

They were all talking in Fairyland. "It made me rather sad the other day," said the Queen of the Fairies, "when I noticed that a little girl felt quite jealous of her baby brother."



"Will You Miss Me?"

"She had hoped for the baby brother—she had longed to have a little brother, and then, when the baby brother came, she was delighted. "But, after a time she felt somewhat jealous of the baby brother."

"The baby brother received it all. She had to give up things if he wanted them and cried for them, and it did seem a little unfair."

"I really could understand that it was hard for her. She felt as though she were no longer loved as she had been loved."

"But after a time she understood that the little brother wasn't really loved more than she was loved, nor had he come to take her place. "He was simply another to love, too, and her family had room in their hearts to love her just as much, though he was being loved too."

"I felt very sad about her jealousy at first, even though I understood it a little. "But her mother talked to her and explained it all to her."

"Her mother was so understanding. She did not scold the little girl, nor tell her that she should be ashamed of herself. The mother understood, and so everything turned out ever so happily. "I saw something so funny the other day," said Fairy Princess Twilight-Bell.

"Lucy and Caroline, who live next door to each other, were saying goodbye to each other."

"Lucy was going away on a little visit. They hugged and kissed each other and asked each other:

"Will you miss me?"

"They did this again and again!"

"I saw the two little bears, Blondie and Brunette," said Fairy Ybab. "They were living in the camp, but soon they are going to bed for the winter."

"A little girl from the city was at the camp and she said:

"Oh, dear, they are so cunning, I wish I could take them home with me."

"But the owner of the bears said: "I'm afraid you would block the traffic if you took them to the city, for people would think you were a bear tamer with a private show of your own."

"Besides, it is bedtime now for them."

"I saw a dog named Cinders the other day," said Fairy Princess Joy.

"He was so named because he used to love to lie in the cinders and ashes early in the morning."

"That was when the fire was out, of course, and before a new fire had been laid, but it was still a little warm there and the rooms in the early morning were cold."

"He had come to this house uninvited in the first place, but he had been given a home there and now he was one of the family."

"I saw," said the Dream Fairy, "little Mabalia the other day."

"She was announcing to all her friends that winter had come, as she had seen ice for the first time in the river."

"And I heard a little girl giving invitations for her birthday party," said the Wishing Fairy.

"Her mother had told her not to tell any one that it would be her birthday, as then the invited guests would all feel they had to bring presents."

"So she went around and invited her friends, and she ended off each invitation by saying:

"And mother says I'm not to tell you it will be my birthday, for then she says you'll think you have to bring presents and you don't have to do that—unless you want to bring them."

And they laughed in Fairyland over this!

## Nuts to Crack

What bird sits at every tea table? The swallow.

What can any artist draw with success? His week's pay.

Why did the window box? Because it saw the garden fence.

What fruit grows on telegraph poles? Electric currents.

## Great French Dictator Typical of His Race

Napoleon's character and personality are still under the microscope. One of the best of recent analysis of the great commander is "Napoleon," by Herbert A. L. Fisher, at one time British minister of education. Mr. Fisher has made the French dictator luminous by his phrases. Here, for instance, is a passage on Napoleon as a young man, portraying him as a turbulent example of the people from which he sprang:

"The Corsican bore a character for sobriety, courage and hardihood. Hate was for him a virtue, vengeance a duty, pardon an infamy. He felt the call of the clan like a Highlander, an Albanian or a Zulu, and was full of the pride and self-assurance common to gallant men who have never met a superior."

"Vigilant and astute in his judgment of character, he was a master of dissimulation save where passion broke in and spoiled the reckoning."

"His standard of honor forbade theft, enjoyed hospitality and tolerated woman as the drudge of the household and field. In general his deportment was noted as grave and social. He was sparing of amusement, would sit at cards without a word and suffer torture without a cry; but when the seal of silence was once broken, language would stream from him like a torrent, an index of that uneasy, impatient, quarrelsome energy which was a common attribute of the race."

## Probably Girl Never Forgot That Lesson

Stories have a way of accumulating about the memory of famous wits, and Dean Swift was no exception to this general rule, according to the San Francisco Argonaut. A board of Swift anecdotes recently unearthed includes the illustration of the dean's mania for closed doors. Swift's housekeeper hired his servants, but when they came into his employ he always told them there were only two rules to observe. One was always to shut the door after entering a room, the other, always to close the door after leaving the room.

"On one occasion a maid asked the dean's permission to attend her sister's wedding, when he not only gave his permission, but lent her a horse upon which to make the journey, and another servant to accompany her. In the excitement of the moment the unfortunate girl forgot to close the door after her, and Swift, allowing time for her to get well away upon her journey, sent another servant post-haste to bring her back. In fear and trembling the poor girl presented herself before the dean, asking him what he wanted her for. "Only to shut the door," was the reply, "after which you can resume your journey."

## The Lasso

Our word lasso is from the Spanish lazo, meaning a snare. The lasso is a rope from 60 to 100 feet in length with a slip-noose at one end. It is used in the Spanish and Portuguese parts of America and in the United States and Canadian West for catching wild horses and cattle. When not in use the lasso, called "rope" in the West, is coiled at the right of the saddle in front of the rider. When an animal is to be caught the rider, galloping after it, swings the coiled lasso round his head and casts it straight forward in such a manner that the noose settles over the head or round the legs of the pursued animal, which is speedily brought down. In order to become skillful at throwing the lasso great practice is required, and, if possible, instruction by an expert.

## Concerning Parrots

Of the 20 commonly known varieties of parrots, the most talkative ones, according to George Bruce Chapman, head of a London house that has imported and sold the birds for more than a hundred years, are the Brazilian Amazon and the African Gray. The former has bright blue and yellow feathers and red tips to the shoulders and flight wings. The African Gray has a red tail. In Brazil natives watch the nesting places and when the fledglings are a few days old, the feathers of one of the wings are trimmed. Later these birds are easily captured, placed on perches and taken to the nearest village. Fanciers say that the birds should be fed twice a day, and with proper care will live 30 years.

## Silk Worms Weave Dyes

A French scientist has succeeded in making silkworms weave dress dyes into their own output. He is reported to have injected dyes into the cocoon and the result was colored threads being spun. Not only the ordinary shades, but the tones and hues that are made from combining various dyes, are produced by the little workers receiving treatment by this process. Silk is usually dyed after it has been wound and twisted into floss, but the new method is expected to grow it in colors that will not fade.

## A Conundrum

In moving and settling down the Dodge family had subsisted on short rations, and one morning Mrs. Dodge found herself facing an unknown debt.

"Mary," she said to the maid-of-all-work, "what is there in the store-room?"

"Every blessed thing is given out but the tea and coffee," Mary informed her, "and sure they will, if they last long enough." —Everybody's Magazine.

## Arnold's Wife Shared in Husband's Disgrace

April 8, 1770, Gen. Benedict Arnold and Margaret, better known as Peggy Shippen, were married in Philadelphia. The marriage was the culmination of a wartime romance. The groom, then a trusted subordinate of General Washington, was later to become the most excommunicated man in American history. Most every one has heard of Arnold's unspeakable treason, and even of his love affair with the charming Peggy.

It was certain that his wife was in absolute ignorance of Arnold's sad adventure. Indeed, as soon as the traitor was sure of his own safety he wrote to General Washington asserting his wife's innocence, and saying: "I beg she may be permitted to return to her friends in Philadelphia, or come to me, as she may choose." Washington, who was a just man, believed in her innocence. He offered to send her with an escort to Philadelphia, or to put her under a flag of truce on the king's ship, Vulture. She chose the former and arrived in Philadelphia about October 1, 1780, says the Detroit News.

But she had not been there a month when the council adopted a resolution ordering her to leave the city and not to return during the war. Five years later she came home again, but was treated with so much coldness and neglect, even by those who had encouraged her marriage, that she left again, never to return. She remained with Arnold during the remainder of his broken and disgraced life. He died in London, an embittered and sad man, without a country.

## Recorded Their Fear of Premature Burial

Fears of premature burial have resulted in the formation of a society to effect reforms in the law of death certification, writes Arthur Pendenys in John O'London's Weekly. There is, however, nothing new in these fears. The Egyptians kept the bodies of the dead under careful supervision by the priests previous to embalming and until satisfied that life was extinct. The Greeks were aware of the dangers of premature burial and often cut off the fingers of a person believed to be dead before cremation.

In modern times, the fear of being buried alive has haunted many. Wilkie Collins had this fear, and always left overnight on his dressing table a note solemnly enjoining that, should he be found dead, his supposed death was to be carefully tested by a doctor. Hans Andersen always carried a note in his pocket to the same effect. Harriet Martineau left her doctor \$50 to see that her head was amputated before burial.

## Hold Tortoise in Esteem

The tortoise, in the flowery empire of Japan, is regarded as a symbol of youth and is venerated. Wedding garments have tortoise painted on them, as also have New Year's gifts. A legend heard in China states that the tortoise is supposed to have borne upon its shell the basis of moral teachings and the secrets of the unseen. It is more revered in China than among practical Japanese. When fishermen around any of the seaports haul a large one in with their catch, they find a Chinese merchant to buy it. The Chinaman then carves his name on the shell, that the animal may know to whom it owes its life, and taking it out into deep water allows it to go free, thus insuring a prosperous long life for himself.

## Symbolic Indian Masks

According to the Bureau of American Ethnology, tribes of Indians throughout North America wore masks at religious festivals and at some social gatherings. Sometimes the priests alone were masked, though in other cases the entire company would appear in masks. The false faces generally represented supernatural beings. The simplest form of mask was one prepared from the head of a buffalo, deer, or some other animal. The mask stood, not for the actual animal, but for the type of animal and its supernatural characteristics, and the person wearing it was for the time being endowed with the distinctive quality of the animal.

## Nature's Great Gas Tank

A natural gas tank with a greater capacity than any tank that man has ever made is in use at Springfield, N. Y. In fact, it is said to have a capacity 20 times greater than any tank at present in use. It is a big hole in the ground, with some peculiar formations which makes it a very secure holder. It was formerly the center of a natural gas field, but the field was exhausted, but this great holder is now used as a storage tank for the gas from other wells. It is pumped in during the summer months and drawn upon during the winter when the demands for gas are greater. This hole has a storage capacity of 400,000,000 cubic feet.

## All the Details

Young SI had just returned from the city, and his chum was asking him about the experiences, in particular how he enjoyed eating in an automat restaurant.

"How do they work?" the friend asked.

"Well, you put your nickel in the watechincallit and press the thing-umbob and the doobkins turns around and gives you four food," explained SI.

"Isn't that marvelous?" echoed the chum. "I knew they were wonderful things, but I ain't heard the details before."

# DAIRY THE DAIRY

## CREAM SEPARATOR IMPORTANT MACHINE

To encourage dairymen to adopt methods that will make their cream a little more wholesome and the separator last a little longer, the following advice is given by W. R. Brown, professor of dairying, Manitoba Agricultural college.

"(a) The manufacturer's instructions should be read with care and carried out to the limit. Better than anyone else, he understands the direct needs of the machine.

"(b) Absolute firmness and levelness of the machine are essential. Failure to secure either means that the bowl will not run true, which defect will cause not only poor separation and loss of fat but injury to the finer adjustments of the spindle, and consequently shorter life of the machine.

"(c) The separator must be kept thoroughly oiled with good separator oil, which can be obtained from the separator companies. The dirty oil should be drained out occasionally and a good cleaning with kerosene accomplished. This, in turn, should be drained off and a new supply of good oil added. This makes the machine run easier as well as lengthens its life.

"(d) Start the machine slowly and increase the speed gradually until the proper speed, which is indicated on the handle of most separators, has been obtained. This should be maintained steadily throughout the time that the milk is being fed into the bowl. Any carelessness in turning will result, not only in an injury to the machine, but also in unnecessary loss of fat in the skim milk.

"(e) Before the milk is turned in, run into the separator enough warm water (110 to 120 degrees F.) to fill the bowl. This prevents the milk from sticking to the bowl parts, thus making washing easier and lessening the loss of fat.

"(f) Milk should be clean and warm when fed into the bowl. Every precaution should be taken to prevent dirt getting into the milk. It is wise, however, to make sure that no dirt is in it by using a fine strainer plus four pieces of cheesecloth before the milk is put into the supply can.

"(g) Have the speed uniform before the milk is turned into the bowl. Open the tap to its full capacity. The float, which serves to regulate the discharge from the supply can, should always be used.

"(h) Use a flush. About one quart of warm water or fresh skim milk should be run through the bowl after the whole milk. This flushes the bowl free of any cream that may be clotted in the bowl and thus lessens the loss of fat. Warm water, if used, tends to make washing of the interior parts of the bowl easier.

"(i) Allow the speed of the machine to 'die down' without applying any brake or pressure. The fact that the bowl runs a long time is proof that it runs smoothly and the machine turns easily. Any effort to stop the bowl is apt to shift the adjustment of the bowl or otherwise put it out of balance, with consequent loss in efficiency.

"(j) Wash the separator immediately after use and exercise the strictest care in getting all parts of the machine absolutely clean. It is conceded that improper cleaning of utensils, including pails, cans, separators, etc., is responsible for a big percentage of the bad flavor that develops in milk. Unless care is exercised, the separator offers a good breeding place for those germs that develop the bad flavors.

## Stage Scrub-Bull Trial at Farm Bureau Meeting

The trial of a scrub bull in which every part of the proceedings—except of course, the prisoner—was taken by boys' and girls' club members, recently occurred at a farm bureau meeting in Lincoln county, Oregon. The event took place during a picnic and was the chief attraction of the day. The bull was found guilty. The 200 spectators rendered an additional verdict, unanimously, that the work of the boys and girls was extremely creditable.

In reporting the event to the United States Department of Agriculture, J. R. Beck, county agent of Lincoln county, Oregon, described a scrub-bull exchange plan recently inaugurated. Under this plan the owners of pure bred cattle list their surplus bull crop to scrub-bull owners at a flat price of \$30 each if taken by the time the bull calves are six weeks old. The purchaser must agree to butch his scrub bulls as soon as the pure bred calf is old enough for service.

## Cause of Lumpy Milk

The usual cause of a cow giving lumpy milk is the inflammation of that quarter of the udder from which the bad milk comes. Ordinarily this condition will not continue for a very long time. Incomplete milking is often the cause. The application of turpentine and lard, or camphorated lubricant will add materially in restoring the udder to its normal condition. The administration of epsom salts is also advisable, as the bowels are apt to be sluggish.

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Morning worship 11:00 a. m.

Sermon Theme: "The Great Witness".

Thursday evening 7:30 p. m. the Senior choir will meet in the church for practice.

Thursday afternoon the Ladies Aid Society will meet at the parsonage. Mrs. Alfred Miller serving.

On Wednesday evening, December 24, the Sunday school and Junior choir of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church will give "The Light of Men". A candle service for Christmas. A large tree has been purchased and we are hoping to have a fine service. All are welcomed.

On Christmas morning at 10:30 a. m. At St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church there will be a service the sermon theme, "Work, Worship, Work". Remember that the first Christmas was a great day to the toiling shepherds, and this Christmas may be the same to all who toil. You are welcome.

The Ladies of the Ladies Aid society of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church wish, in this way, to thank all who helped make their food sale end bazaar on last Saturday a success. They cleared around \$200.

#### First Baptist Church

Francis K. Allen, Pastor.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Superintendent and teachers desire full class attendance.

Public Worship and Christmas sermon: "The Story That Never Grows Old."

At 7 p. m. observance of "White Gifts for the King." The following program will be given: Piano Chimes, Processional—"Joy to the World"

### Invocation

Solo and Chorus—"The Birthday of a King"

Responsive Scripture Reading—Superintendent and School

Reading—"A Legend of Cathay"—Nyulah Whittemore

Pantomime—"It came Upon the Midnight Clear"

Reading—"Unto Us A Child is Born"—Viola Kopp

"Come Thou Almighty King"—Congregation

Primary Department—"Away in a Manger"

Presentation of White Gifts—Junior Boosters present Gifts

"O Little Town of Bethlehem"—Loyal Daughters

Presentation of Gifts—Intermediate Department present gifts

Young People's Class present gifts

S. L. B. C. present gifts

Every Man's Bible Class present gifts

Song—"Was It You?"—by five girls

Short talk by pastor—"Gifts of Service and Self"

Epilogue—Viola Kopp

"Holy Night"—Congregation

Benediction

### Methodist Episcopal Church

John Grant Shick, Pastor

Sunday school at 10 a. m., Conrad Jacobson, superintendent.

Epworth League at 6:30 p. m., Miss Elsie Kingston, leader.

Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., with Christmas sermons by the pastor.

The sermon themes for next Sunday will be, Morning, "If He Had Not Come." Evening, "Songs of the Nativity."

Dr. E. D. Hull, district superintendent, will be with us on Friday night of this week to conduct the 1st quarterly conference at the church at 7:30 o'clock. All members of the conference are urged to be present. All reports should be in writing.

The Sunday school will present a Christmas program at the church on Wednesday night of next week—Christmas Eve.

Nineteen hundred years have not worn out, nor made uninteresting the

story of the manger. Let us worship the King in the house of His Father the coming Christmas Sunday. The choir will render appropriate music. Miss Martha Gildersleeve was received into membership last Sunday. We are glad to have her membership with us.

### First Presbyterian Church

Penton C. Jones, Pastor

10:00 Sunday school, Mr. F. H. Jones, Supt.

11:00 Morning Worship. The pastor will review some of the high spots of the great conference at Chicago.

You will want to hear what our big men are thinking and talking about.

6:30 Christian Endeavor. Leader, Miss Loretta Buetow.

7:30 Evening Worship. Subject, "The religious value of a great Ambition."

You Ought to Know: Starving does not pay. Your real self requires food.

Go to church, some church, any church. They all have something for you which you can get in no other place on earth.

### Evangelical Lutheran Church

H. A. Teckhaus, Pastor

Sunday school 10 a. m.

Preaching service (English) 11:00 a. m.

December 20, practice for the Christmas program 1 p. m.

December 24, Christmas eve.

A special Christmas program will be rendered by the Sunday school and choir, beginning at 6:30 p. m.

Plan to be present.

December 25, Christmas service at 11 a. m.

You are cordially invited to attend these services.

### OF GENERAL INTEREST

(From the Wayne County Teacher)

During the second month of school in district 40 there was no tardiness at all and only two pupils absent. Mamie Baker is the teacher.

Blanche Gildersleeve resigned her position as teacher in district 32. Frank Martin was elected to fill the vacancy.

Ida Farnsworth resigned her position in district 24. Alice Chichester was elected to take her place.

Tillie Mohr, aged 9, and Gladys Phillips, aged 14, of district 68 were neither absent nor tardy last year.

In almost every school visited this fall we found good work being done and the teachers not seeming to have much difficulty in carrying out the work as outlined in the new course of Study. We are very much pleased to find it so.

In district 43 there were no absent nor tardy marks for any of the pupils at the end of the ninth week. There are seven pupils. Mrs. Barlow is the teacher.

In district 77 they have just completed a fine new modern school building. We hope later to have a description of and a picture taken and cut made of the building to put into our paper. This school is five miles north and two west of Hoskins. The members of the board are J. F. Chapman, Herman Grimm and Wm. Ehlers. Irene Bauman is the teacher.

School house in district 1 has new storm windows and new window screens.

School house in district 2 was re-shingled and walls newly papered. New sash curtains were at the windows.

Maye J. Beal, teacher in district 3, said they were getting a new bookcase.

In district number 11 they have a new stove, new teacher's desk and basket ball set.

In district 12 the teacher reported that walls, ceiling and woodwork had been painted. Also outside of building.

In district 16 the school building had been re-shingled and new floor in hall put in.

District 22 had new toilet for the girls. Building newly painted on outside. Walls to be made a light tan.

School in district 23 were getting a new large flag to put up outside.

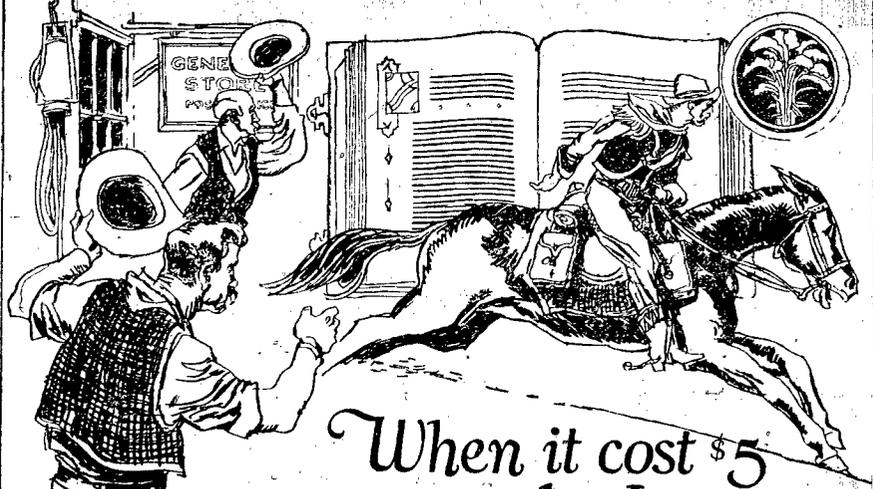
District 25, walls and ceiling of school room painted blue. Outside of building painted white.

District 26, Walls and ceiling newly painted and a new flag pole.

In district 27 we were glad to find two new toilets.

In district 28 south, we found two new swings and teeter-totter. Also a stove for serving hot lunches. Also found two new toilets in district 31.

## LEAVES FROM THE BOOK OF NEBRASKA



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ON April 3, 1860, a rider dashed out of St. Joseph, Missouri. At the same instant a man on a white thoroughbred left Sacramento, California. They carried letters limited to half an ounce in weight and costing \$5 each for delivery.

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This was the "Pony Express" which made its first trip westward in 9 days and 23 hours. The regular schedule for this 1,966-mile ride was 10 days, but on special occasions faster time was made. Abraham Lincoln's inaugural address was rushed through in 7 days and 17 hours.

With the completion of the cross-continent telegraph line, in October, 1861, the Pony Express service came to an end. During 16 months of operation only one mail was lost and one rider killed on a run. From Kearney the riders followed the line across Nebraska later chosen by the Union Pacific.

The hoof-beats of the galloping "Pony Express" were a prophecy. Today, the "iron horse" of twelve great railroad systems serves Nebraska with over 7,000 miles of track. Omaha holds fifth place as a railroad center.

In two generations Nebraska pioneers have brought under the plough, a state larger than all New England with Delaware and New Jersey thrown in. Their job was not easy. Nature was stubborn and unkind and the Indians unfriendly. From a thin line of little settlements and lonely ranches with less than 30,000 population in 1860, Nebraska has become well-peopled but uncrowded with a population of a million and a quarter.

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In district 35 were three new swings and two teeter-totters.

Forty seven certificates of award for nine month's perfect attendance were given out in November.

Myrtle Philbin, teacher in district 23, reports that they have received their new flag.

We have not been returning certificates of award that have been sent in to exchange for Diplomas of Honor. They take quite a bit of postage. But they are here in the office and if any one cares enough for them to call and get them they may do so.

A meeting was held in district 14 on Friday, November 21, during American Education Week. Dean Hahn of the Wayne State Teachers' College was the speaker. All families but one represented. Mrs. Verl McKim is the teacher.

In district 24 the schoolhouse had been re-shingled, and school house and coalhouse painted on outside.

Walls and ceiling in district 38 were newly painted.

In district 4 they had had their bookcase remodeled and repaired.

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District 41, Walls painted, all buildings repainted on outside, new door and new transom, new fasteners on windows.

In district 47 we found 24 new single seats, new sash curtains and

they are to have new jacket for the stove.

District 55 reported the purchase of a new pencil sharpener.

In district 57 the walls and ceiling of the room had been newly painted.

District 58, Building re-shingled, pump fixed.

District 59, Walls and ceiling newly papered.

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In district 65 we found the walls newly papered, new sash curtains at windows, a nice new combination bookcase and locker. Also outside of building newly painted.

District 70 ceiling newly papered, all buildings newly painted on outside, hall painted blue inside, five

new single seats.

In district 74, Building had been newly painted on outside and inside. Toilets repainted.

District 75 reported a new chart of maps.

In district 81 we found a new stove or heating system called a radona. It was very neat looking.

In district 84 foot rests had been placed for each pupil, the seats being too high for them.

In some schools I did not find the Palmer Penmanship Alphabet Cards up. They were given out for that purpose. They cost money and should be made good use of. They should be taken down at end of year and put somewhere where they can be well kept for the next year.

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