

## WM. ASSENHEIMER AT STATE MEETING

Makes Plea for Reduction of Wayne County Valuations to Conform With Other Counties.

### FAVOR REPEAL INTANGIBLE LAW

Wm. Assenheimer, Wayne county assessor, returned Saturday night from a state meeting held at Lincoln last week. All the assessors of the state met in several sessions to discuss tax matters and problems of the various counties.

The state tax board promised to act favorably on an appeal from Assenheimer for the real estate owners of Wayne county. He attempted to convince the board that the valuation of Wayne county land is too high as compared with other counties, especially in the western part of the state.

The assessors went on record favoring a repeal of the intangible tax law, and recommended a study of the Iowa laws on automobile licenses and recommended a change for Nebraska conforming to these, with a higher license cost, but no taxation.

State Senator, Brazda of West Point, has introduced a bill to relieve the county clerk, of counties with less than 16,000 population, of their tax duties and have the assessors handle them. He contends that the county clerks have too much to do, and that the assessors should handle these matters.

### WAKEFIELD TO HAVE NEW NATIONAL BANK

According to the Republican, Wakefield is to have a new National bank, and organization is so advanced that they have set the opening day for February 2; and we hope it does not see its shadow and go into hiding for a month and a half.

The new bank will be known as "The Wakefield National Bank," and it is planned that it will be opened for business on Saturday, February 2nd.

The institution will have a capital stock of \$25,000 and a surplus of \$25,000 which will be equivalent to having a capital of \$50,000. The organizers of the new bank are: Thos. Rawlings, C. A. Sar, T. M. Gustafson, Fred Muller, Carl Anderson, Robt. E. Anderson, all of Wakefield, and James F. Toy, of Sioux City, Iowa.

Although a charter has not yet been granted, the signed application has been approved by the treasury department, and a charter will be granted just as soon as the necessary work of organizing has been completed. This, we understand, is only a matter of days, and, as the permit to organize is good for 60 days, the granting of the charter is assured.

### B. W. WRIGHT ANNOUNCES NEW MODEL ESSEX CARS

B. W. Wright, local dealer for the Hudson-Essex line of cars announces a change in the Essex line, and is now displaying one of the new model sedans.

A number of improvements are cited by Mr. Wright, which he believes makes this car one of the finest ever sold in this price field. The new Essex is equipped with an electric controlled gasoline and oil indicator, which Mr. Wright described as absolutely positive at all times.

Other improvements added are oil shock absorbers, late type four wheel brakes, a new type wheel and nicely finished head lamps and other equipment.

### CHICAGO POLICE ARREST 2,000

During last week in Chicago there were 102 robberies and four murders, and chief of police, William Russell made his reply by a wholesale raid on all places where liquor was known to be sold and where crooks were known to reside or be harbored.

The orders to squad leaders were to visit every joint in the town. Never mind injunctions, and if admission was barred to take an axe and chop their way in. Every crook was to be taken. In addition to most of the 6,000 police being kept on duty all day, hundreds of plainclothes men were in evidence, and theatres, hotels and the streets were watched and the fear of the law put into the heart of every known crook, some of whom were captured trying to leave the city. Perhaps a bit of honest endeavor to enforce law may work well, even in Chicago.

### TRAPP AND KELLY BROTHERS GET PRISON SENTENCE

From Fremont comes the word that Kelly Brothers, Tom and Roy, and Owen Trapp, who pled guilty to robbing S. B. Swartz, diamond salesman at North Bend last summer were sentenced to the penitentiary from Fremont where they were tried before District Judge Fred L. Spear. The Kelly brothers were sentenced to 20 years each, and Trapp was let off with 15 years, because it was his first offense, and because of his army record, he having served in the World War as a volunteer.

Cerian and a Miss Haney, said to have been connected with the case, were not placed on trial at this time, and it is thought that they may be tried later in Platte county on a burglary charge.

### NEW POWER ENGINE BEING INSTALLED

Officials Hope to Complete Installation of New Motor Before March First.

Installation of the new 600 H. P. oil burning Diesel type engine, with which the city power plant is being equipped, is nearing completion and hope is held out that the new motor will be ready within a few weeks.

The new engine is a six cylinder affair and is capable of developing as much power as both the old engines now used, and will give the Wayne municipal plant a capacity practically double what now can be generated.

With the new engine in operation Wayne will be assured of constant electric service, it is claimed, while now should a break-down occur the city would probably be without lights until repairing could be done.

With such an emergency in mind the city council contracted for the additional equipment, the total cost of which will amount to \$47,432, installed and ready to run.

The weight of the new plant is said to total more than 100,000 pounds and it is placed on a base that required many tons of concrete to complete.

The city council visited several plants before selecting the engine being installed here, and are confident that the public will be well pleased with their new equipment.

### DEATH CLAIMS HARRY NEWCOMB

At Christmas time, Harry Newcomb, manager of the Norfolk creamery, was hit by a hit and run auto driver near West Point, and suffered from a fracture of the skull, from which he died at a West Point hospital Monday evening, as the result of his injuries. After a number of days at the hospital in an unconscious condition, he then appeared to rally, and only a few days ago hope of his recovery was held to be good, and then some brain complication set in, and he did not long survive. He came to Norfolk from Fremont last summer to assume the management of the new creamery at that place. He was a successful creamery man, and made good at his new place. He was walking from West Point to his auto which had gone wrong in some little way, when he was hit, and the identity of the driver was never known.

### SEE THE ICE MAN SMILE

This weather has been great for the people who harvest ice along about this season of the year, and in addition to the ice stored for future sale, many farmers have an ice house ample to hold a home supply, and they too are now storing coolness for the coming summer.

W. H. Andresen, the local dealer in natural ice, had his water supply ready for sometime before the weather man turned on his current, but now he has a force of men busy filling his large ice houses with ice of good quality, free from snow, and of nice thickness.

### P. W. REETZ SOME SHOT

There has been a mid-winter target tournament at Pinehurst, North Carolina, and F. W. Reetz of Wisner was one of the contestants, and won distinction with a good record in the opening of the shoot, breaking 38 birds out of a possible 100, and 38 out of 50 in the first third of the doubles. Mr. Reetz formerly sold autos at Wayne.

## Twenty-three Am. Legion Posts Will Be Represented at Gathering Next Month

Third District Convention to be Held at Wayne on February Fifth.

### STATE OFFICIALS TO BE HERE

Delegates from 23 American Legion posts of the third district will convene here February 5, according to plans formulated by the state executive committee at a recent meeting held in Lincoln.

The state was divided into smaller districts and Wayne selected as the site for the third district convention and about fifty delegates from the various posts of the 7 counties will be included in the visitors for the day.

According to tentative plans already formulated the World War Veterans will enjoy a real army luncheon at noon, which will be in charge of Joe Meister and Harvey Hostetter, whose skill at preparing menus has often been tried and never failed to satisfy. The afternoon will be devoted to a business session, and in the evening a banquet will be held for the visitors and members of the local post.

Included in the list of officials who will be present are: Wade Martin, Stratton, state commander; C. W. Conklyn, Lincoln, state adjutant; Sam Reynolds, Omaha, national committeeman; Col. Douglas, member of the state relief fund commission and others.

Wayne, Dixon, Cedar, Thurston, Cuming, Dakota and Burt counties compose the third district which will convene here.

All Legionnaires will be eligible and will be invited to attend the first gathering of World War veterans held in Wayne.

### A RIVER CROSSING

The idea of bridging the Missouri river by a community so organized that they will own the bridge when it is paid for does not seem to die easily. Just now it is becoming active at South Sioux City, and no doubt also at Sioux City, where the people seem to tire of paying for a bridge every twelve months and never owning—but just keep on paying a greedy corporation for it year after year. We heard one Wayne man express that tired feeling, for he said that the present bridge at that point is taxing him and his interests hundreds of dollars annually, and trying to keep it up years without end.

Himself and others will be interested to learn that there is to be a meeting at the South Sioux City high school auditorium Monday evening, January 28th, when A. R. Strong or another competent member of the Iowa-Nebraska Amortized Free Bridge company will explain the Brookhart-Howard bridge bills now before congress. The officers of the company, says Eugene Wilsey, the secretary of the commercial club of that place, will be in charge of the meeting. All are invited, including out of that town people who are interested. Men and women should hear the discussion, and come prepared to ask questions about what they do not understand.

### NEARLY 1000 ADMISSIONS SOLD TO AUNT LUCIA PLAY

The total receipts of the Aunt Lucia Play, a home talent program sponsored by the Business and Professional Woman's club, amounted to about \$420, it is reported.

The expense of the affair amounted to \$100, leaving \$320 to be equally divided between the local club and the promotion company, represented by Miss Peaberry. This leaves the Wayne organization a net profit of approximately \$160. The club has not decided for what purpose they will use the money, they report, but plan to expend it for some worthy cause.

### JURY SAYS J. WEHENKEL INSANE AND NOT GUILTY

The new trial granted to John Wehenkel of Madison county, charged with the murder of the man who stole his wife's affection and then deserted her, resulted in a verdict that defendant was insane, and still is insane, and therefore not guilty of the crime. On his first trial the defendant was found guilty and sentenced to prison.

### WILDCATS PLUCK EAGLE FEATHERS

Alexander Leads Mates to Victory Behind Air-Tight Defense in Conference Tussle.

### PERU HERE SATURDAY NIGHT

The Wildcats easily cleared their opening conference barrier here Tuesday night when the Chadron Eagles were buried under a lopsided score 23 to 14 in a game that featured a strong defense by both teams.

Alexander, former Arlington high school ace, playing his first year of college competition, was easily the star on offense, bombarding the goal for a total of thirteen points; more than half the Wayne total and within one point of tying the Chadron count.

Although both teams offered a stiff defense, the Wayne shooters missed a number of setups that might have given them a much larger margin. Von Minden, who generally is good for four or five baskets, couldn't connect with the hoop, and spoiled several perfect chances to add a couple of tallies.

Farrow and Langfeldt were up to form and warded off the visitor's occasional spurts, effectively. Following the opening minutes of play the Wildcats were never in serious danger, and the outcome was practically clinched in the early part of the second period.

Kelly, lanky center, was easily the star for the visitors playing a stellar game both on offense and defense, and getting his share of the tip-offs.

### Peru Here Saturday

The feature conference battle of the season will probably be played Saturday night when the Bobcats will tangle with the local squad. Both teams are pointing to this as one of the feature conflicts of the winter, and a battle from the sound of the opening whistle is anticipated.

### Summary Wayne-Chadron game:

Wayne	G	FT	P
Alexander f	6	1	1
Ray f	0	0	0
Andrews f	0	0	0
Hunt (C) f	2	0	1
Decker f	1	0	0
Von Minden c	0	0	1
Peix c	0	0	0
Langfeldt g	0	0	0
Eike g	0	0	2
Pieper g	0	0	1
Farrow g	1	2	3
Lindemood g	0	0	0
Total	10	3	9

### SOME LATE NEWS

Alaska, in vicinity of Fairbanks was severely shaken by an earthquake Monday, and repeated Tuesday. The tremors were quite pronounced, and many people were seriously frightened, it was reported. Geologists familiar with the country about that part of the territory, say that they do not think the end is yet, the not predicting serious damages.

### TAKING IN THE FAIRS

Walter Savidge of amusement company fame in northern Nebraska, informed the editor that while at Lincoln during the week when the state fair board and agricultural had its big meet, he laid plans to have the carnival entertain at five fairs this fall, and that he would possibly be able to date two more if the season is long enough.

Monday afternoon he drove to Hooper where he attended a meeting of the Dodge county fair boosters. Mr. Savidge has earned a reputation in more than twenty years in the carnival game, of putting on a good, clean show—and has also demonstrated that it is not necessary to run a low-down dirty show to make it a success financially.

### WAYNE MAN'S EAR BADLY FROZEN TUESDAY MORNING

O. S. Roberts had both his ears badly frozen Tuesday forenoon, while working in the wind, and but for making the discovery before he went into a warm room, might have suffered serious effects, it is believed.

Both his ears are badly swollen and very sore as a result of the experience. He was outdoors for only a few minutes, he said, and didn't think it was cold enough to freeze them so quickly.

### HIGH SCHOOL BASKETEERS ARE TROUNCED BY NORFOLK

In a double-header played at the Community House courts here last Saturday night the Norfolk teams succeeded in piling up a substantial margin to overwhelm the offering of the Wayne teams.

Dowling, Petersen and Sund played a good game for the local school, but were unable to match the heavy artillery of the larger and more experienced visiting team.

The main attraction ended with Wayne's first stringers holding the short end of a 24-10 count. The reserves were beaten by a 31-14 margin.

The Dowling brothers were Wayne's high point men in the two games, each garnering six points for their team.

### KROGER COACHING STRONG CAGE TEAM

Herman High Cage Team Has Suffered Only One Defeat by Omaha School.

The Herman high school basketball team, which is being tutored by Marcus Kroger, is making an enviable record for a small town, and has been bowling over a number of teams in his district.

The only defeat for the Kroger proteges so far this season was administered by the North High team of Omaha, and this was decided by the scant margin of one point, ending 25 to 24 for the metropolis lads.

Nearly all of their games have been won by lopsided scores, indicating that they have a real power house outfit.

Mr. Kroger was one of the stars on the local college team for a couple of years, and was captain of the Wildcats last year, when he graduated from the Wayne school.

### HONOR THE BLUE AND THE GRAY

Congressman Howard has sent to the Democrat a few copies of the committee on "Judiciary" on "the plan which Mr. Howard presented to congress as a joint resolution, at the request of that veteran of the war, Mr. L. D. Richards of Fremont.

The resolution proposes that the federal government sponsor and bear the expense of a reunion to be held at Washington during the coming summer or fall of all survivors of either side of the Civil war. The plan has met with much favor with the former soldiers from both side of the famous Mason and Dixon line. The report of the committee has not yet been made, as we understand.

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The Chicago roundup of the first of the week seems much like a hoax. Of the 4,000 taken by police and special officers but 303 were in custody Tuesday night, and they were promised release by formal court discharge, penalized or identified and booked on some specific charge.

And the senate has voted to allow that \$24,000,000 for dry law enforcement, even tho the dry leader, or leaders said they did not want it. Strange that the people charged with enforcement would maintain that they do not have funds sufficient to effectively enforce the law, and at the same time say not to vote the increase asked for. Is the heart in the work? Is the question naturally asked?

Quite a group of Walton League members in Buffalo county have deserted the organization, and started a similar local organization asking a little different method of conservation.

Three vessels aground in the vicinity of New York, were reported as afloat, except for the part on the bar. Other ships going to their relief had not reached them yesterday morning.

Mrs. J. H. Foster went to Sioux City Tuesday for a few days visit in the city.

## MANY ARE PLACED ON HONOR ROLL

Fifty-eight High School Students Make Grades of 80% or Over in all Subjects.

### ELEVEN HAVE 90% OR OVER

The Wayne high school honor list for the first semester is as follows: 80% or above in all subjects:

Seniors: Dorothy Davis, Joannette Lewis, Irol Whitmore.

Juniors: Evelyn Larsen, Dorothy Winterstein.

Sophomores: Sophie Damme, Mary Jane Morgan, Lois Pierson.

Freshmen: Louise Beckenbauer, Fern Crawford, Charlene Brown.

85% or above in all subjects:

Seniors: Harriet Craven, Jane Von Soggen, Helen Heidenreich, Doris Judson, Esther Theis, Fern Wamburg.

Sophomores: Zola Wilson.

Freshmen: Lloyd Erleben, Stanley Merchant, Lydia Brinkman, Irene Damme, Ruth Heidenreich, La Verne Larson, Frances Pfuger, Truma Prescott.

80% or above in all subjects:

Seniors: Dick Fomake, Lowell Gilderleeve, Joe Lutgen, Franklin Philio, Newell Pollard, Marietta Chichester, Edna Ericson, Evelyn Felber, Evelyn Holkes, Miriam Huse, Audrey Lewis, Marjorie Loy, Helen Mohr, Marian Jo Theobald.

Juniors: Ila Carlson, Margaret Fanske, Helen Hanson, Kathryn Kemp, Evelyn Mellor, Gretchen Teckhaus, Elsie Mae Wert.

Sophomores: Charles Ingham, Paul Peterson, Eileen Emmons, La Verne Erleben, Ruby Long, Maryann Noskes, Mary Norton, Irma Von Soggen.

Freshmen: Dale Thompson, Archie Wert, Margaret Phipps.

### MISS CHARLOTTE WHITE WRITES OF CHADRON

Again I am visiting my dear friends Charles and Annie Bright. I was here the first week of school in September, and had a jolly time. I have visited here several times, but "the longer I live the more I find by gracious out." I never really knew Chadron before.

The situation of the normal buildings, as they are, against that picturesque hill south of the town, the main building itself, the finest building for its purpose in the state. I have visited all of the normals except Peru. The national park eight or nine miles south of town, a perfect dream of delight to those who love God's work in their primitive beauty. The beautiful Bourdeau creek, embelished as it is on either side by trees.

I was quite astonished to find the name of the creek so Frenchy, but the thing I found out was that this region was settled by that people, and that Chadron at first was Chadron with the accent on the last syllable.

I am having a wonderful time. You see I have a sort of proprietary interest in this school. The president, Robert Elliott, went to school to me at Winside. I taught Prof. Bright civics physiology in the President Ella Narmal, and I knew several more of the faculty when I was in school work. Then I never met a more genial set of young people. I spoke at chapel the other morning, and when President Elliott introduced me I was like the man that after crawling out of his grave and reading what was carved on his tombstone that they had buried the wrong man.

A young lady who began her school life in the kindergarten at Wayne is attending school there, and I enjoyed a sumptuous repast at the sorority Sunday evening lunch with the domestic science class, and visited another sorority and then wound up the week by listening to the Cadman and Fosdyke at the President's. Brights are ideal entertainers, all in all I never enjoyed a more delightful week, during the course of my long and happy life.

I almost forgot to say that I took dinner with Jas. Mulvey, a former resident of Wayne, and called on Mrs. Skiles at the city library.

But there's no place like home and Wayne is the most like home of any place on this earth.

Don Larson was a passenger east and south Tuesday afternoon, his destination being St. Louis, where he finds a market in which to purchase for the needs of his business.

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

Mrs. R. B. Judson was a visitor at Omaha the last of last week, where she has relatives and friends.

A liquor raid either at Windsor or Detroit, last week is reported to have netted \$40,000 worth of liquor.

H. A. Welch attended a meeting of the state executive committee of the American Legion at Lincoln last week.

We would suggest as help for the tax situation a bit more economy in state and county and municipal offices. It might not be popular with the tax spenders, but with the taxpayers it should find favor.

According to reports from several sources, Wupper is in Berlin conducting a beer garden, which it is said that he had owned for some time. He should come back home and try to square things with those he has robbed.

There was a shooting affair at Chicago last week when bandits entered the Franklin Trust and Saving bank of Chicago to rob the place. The bank employees were armed and evidently expecting them for shooting began at once, and the robbers fled with but about \$2,000 loot, and three of the bank defenders were wounded, one of them probably fatally.

There is or was opposition to the confirmation of Mrs. Ryan as the democratic member of the board of control, an appointee of Governor Weaver to that place. The law says the appointee shall be a democrat and the kick among the republicans is said to be because the governor named an A. D. Smith democrat and not a so-called democrat who had supported Hoover. Well, we trust that Governor Weaver is too big a man to play peanut politics.

Miss Helen Dorches Harn of Kenosaw observed her 100th birth anniversary last week. Her's has been such a busy life, working for reform causes for women that she never found time to wed, the story goes. She was a native of Maryland. She was wanting suffrage for women and prohibition for all, and lived to see these measures become law, and one other ambition was gratified when she lived to celebrate her 100 birthday. Miss Harn is in good health, and entered into the spirit of two celebrations in her honor with much spirit.

At Newman Grove last week they dedicated a fine new school auditorium, a modern two-story structure 130x72 feet, and fitted for school and community uses. It will be a great help to the school on many occasions, athletics, commencement and many other community events. The cost is said to be around \$40,000, and beyond a doubt it will pay an interest on such investment, in part in the money they would have to pay for less commodious room when needed and in the satisfaction of owning and having a building that fills every want of the modern community of the size of Newman Grove. In the main auditorium they can place 450 chairs for seating. There is ample room for basketball and other like sports.

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Dr. Wm. Hawkins is in attendance of a veterinarians convention being held in Des Moines, Iowa, this week. He left Monday and plans to return tomorrow.

Mrs. Charlotte White, who has been visiting in the Black Hills and other parts of South Dakota and western Nebraska returned to Wayne Tuesday morning.

See **ROPER LOANS** for good, low-rate loans that pay themselves off, also for insurance and real estate of all kinds. West Point and Dodge, Nebraska.—adv. J10-4t.

The Farmer Union of Wausa are doing the talk of erecting a building of their own on some lots they have there. Perhaps the burning of two business houses there last week will lead to decide the question.

Monday was a fine day for winter, and Tuesday started with a bit of snow and then came a blizzard which made it a real winter day for a few hours at least, and the mercury started for the bulb at the bottom of the tube at a brisk rate.

Antelope county reports seven divorces during 1928 and 95 marriages. Iving the married folks quite an increase over the maids and bachelors, assuming that the grim reaper has been harvesting about the same proportion from each class.

At Neligh, it is reported that the air board has at last secured what they wanted in part at least, when their representative succeeded in getting a different set of attractions or each day of the fair, rather than having a repeat program each day.

Land sales in the vicinity of Dallas, South Dakota, are reported to be picking up, and more sales are being made than for some time before. A number of large tracts have been disposed of, and farms for rent are at a premium, with but few tenants.

Down in Oklahoma a committee of members of the legislature named to investigate charges against Governor Johnson of that state made a report recommending his impeachment by the legislature, and urging immediate suspension from office, pending the impeachment trial.

The First National bank at Coleridge closed its doors the 12th to protect its patrons as best they could, and do justice alike to all. The Blade expresses the opinion that the dividends garnered from the assets, will be high—but admits that a bank closing is a hardship to a community.

According to the Wausa Gazette, the basket shooters of that place, while not giants in size, are playing some winning games. They are making ready to attend the tournament here next month. The last time a Wausa team was here, they were so unfortunate as to miss winning in their opening game.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Mitchell left Sunday for a trip to the western part of the state, planning to drive as far as Chadron and be gone practically a week, visiting a few friends, and some agents, and spread the news of the service and quality work and material of the Wayne Monument Works, of which Mr. Mitchell is the proprietor.

Viola Kuth a Beemer girl who was found guilty of forging checks, was sentenced to a term in the reformatory at York. She pleaded guilty of forging a number of names, among them Mrs. Morris Hupp of Wisner, and was tried before Justice of Peace Sherman Willey of Wisner. Miss Kuth had been following the vocation in Omaha, and was released after she made good her forged checks. That was the mistake of authorities there. It seems she also wrote \$130 worthless checks at Norfolk. Paul Wupper, formerly of Beemer was the one she said she was following the example of.

Dr. S. A. Lutgen, M. D. All calls promptly answered.

**INTERESTING REPORTS FROM COLLEGE ALUMNI**

Several interesting reports received from a number of the college alumni were published in the recent issue of the Goldenrod. Many of these former students were acquainted with Wayne people and the items as given in the college paper follow:

Miss Ida Anderson, class of 1922, writes from Asheville, North Carolina, where she is head of the domestic art department of Allen Home School, an industrial school for Negro girls. Since graduation from the normal course at Wayne, Miss Anderson attended Iowa State College at Ames, and secured B. S. degree.

Miss Vern Anderson, 1918, who for several years has practiced naprapathy in Chicago, returned to Chicago the last of October from a five-months vacation in the Black Hills, points in Nebraska, Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico, Washington, Oregon, and California. Dr. Anderson stopped at Wayne for Homecoming last June at the beginning of her vacation.

Mrs. P. H. Stephens, formerly Grace Ash, class of 1916, resides at Stillwater, Oklahoma, where her husband is instructor in the Agriculture and Mechanic College of Oklahoma.

Lawrence C. Austin ("Elsie"), class of 1916, is superintendent of Mount Sinai Hospital in Milwaukee, and reports that business is good, and that an extension of their hospital facilities is being considered.

Eugene Babeock, class of 1923, is handling athletics and physical education at Somerton, Arizona.

Mildred L. Bacon of the 1920 class received the B. S. and the M. S. degree from Columbia University a few years after leaving Wayne and is now part-time assistant in the physics department of Columbia University.

Anna M. Baer, 1916, has made California her home for a number of years. She is teaching mathematics in the Los Angeles city schools.

Elsie Lou Beale, now Mrs. B. W. Bonham, of San Diego, California, sends greetings and expresses her enjoyment of the Alumni Register.

Miss Edith E. Beechel, class of 1912, is teaching in the education department of Ohio University at Athens. She received the degree Doctor of Philosophy from Teachers College, Columbia University last June. Following that, Miss Beechel spent three months traveling in Europe and studied while there teaching problems in England, France, Italy, Holland, Austria, and Scotland.

Miss Gertrude E. Bellew, class of 1928, was married last February to Mr. William H. Wells at Blair. Mr. and Mrs. Wells are living in Omaha. Miss Marguerite L. Chace, class of 1914, is teaching vocational high school handwork in public schools at San Diego, California.

Francis O. Clark, class of 1921, received the degree LLD from the University of Chicago after he left Wayne. He is now attorney for Swift & Company in Chicago.

Mr. Joseph H. Cox, class of 1920, is at Wilkesburg, Pennsylvania with the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company in the capacity of electric power transmission engineer. His work consists of theoretical analysis and field tests on power transmission lines. He writes that he enjoys his work and that just now their major problem is to take a picture of what lightning does on a line. In the solution of this problem they are using cathode-ray oscillograph. Mrs. Cox who will be remembered by classmates as Leona Dietrich, visited at the College one day last summer with her small daughter Barbara.

H. George DeKay, class of 1920, is teaching pharmacy in Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana. Mr. DeKay taught several years after completing the normal course at Wayne and meanwhile has earned the B. S. degree from University of Nebraska and M. S. degree from the University of Chicago.

Mr. Luther D. Fetterolf, class of 1919, is ceramic research engineer with the New Jersey Zinc Company of Pennsylvania at Palmerton, Pennsylvania. Mr. Fetterolf holds the M. S. degree from the University of Illinois. Luther's sister, Miss Vera Fetterolf, class of 1921, who for several years has taught modern languages at Staunton, Virginia, is now teaching Latin and French in the high school at Riverton, Wyoming.

Ronald I. Foot, class of 1923, is head of the commercial department in the senior high school at Hastings.

Mrs. Jennie Gaertner Davis, class of 1912, A. B. 1925, is principal of a ward school at Safford, Arizona. Miss Cynthia A. Gilbert, 1915, is teaching her sixth year of Latin in the high school at Winterset, Iowa, and likes her work very much.

Miss Emma Havekost, 1923, A. B. 1928, is teaching high school mathematics at Billings, Montana. She received a high school assignment after two weeks' teaching in September,

the change being made upon the basis of the degree received from Wayne in August.

Mr. Raymond Helt, class of 1921, A. B. 1926, is superintendent of schools at St. Edwards, and writes enthusiastically of the town and school.

Mrs. Roy Gemel, formerly Ernestine Henry, class of 1927, writes that they have a son, Willard Leroy, born June 4, 1928. Her address is Herman, Nebraska.

Lee F. Hirsch, class of 1923, is instructor of United States history in the senior high school at Fremont. After completing the normal course at Wayne, Mr. Hirsch received an A. B. from the University of Nebraska and the master's degree from the University of Iowa.

Miss Theresa Hirsch, class of 1919, is in Birmingham, Alabama, teaching high school mathematics.

Mrs. Duran H. Summers, known on the campus as Ruth M. Ingham, class of 1919, writes from Salt Lake City, Utah. Besides her duties as homemaker, Mrs. Summers is taking dietitian course open to home economics graduates at St. Mark's Hospital where her husband is completing his internship.

Miss Christina Jacobsen, class of 1922, who is teaching first grade in a Lincoln school, writes that she spent the summer with her mother seeing Europe, spending most of the time in Denmark.

Edith F. Johnson, class of 1923, is dietitian at General Hospital, San Pedro, California. Miss Johnson holds the B. S. degree from Iowa State College, Ames.

Miss Elfreda Kirsch, class of 1919, is teaching general science in San Francisco. Besides teaching several years since completing the normal course at Wayne, Miss Kirsch has gone to school and received the A. B. degree from the University of Montana and the A. M. from the University of California.

Elwyn D. Johnson, class of 1920, A. B. 1923, is teaching social sciences in the junior high school of Lakewood, Ohio.

Martha Thadon, class of 1927, recently returned from a four-months visit in Europe.

Mrs. V. E. Stansbury will be remembered as Gladys Kline, class of 1914, and a member of the training school faculty in 1924. While her husband is doing graduate work in the University of Chicago, Mrs. Stansbury is proof-reader with the Lakeside Press in Chicago.

Glenn N. Lawritson, class of 1921, A. B. 1925, is enjoying his work as instructor in the education department of North Dakota State College of Fargo.

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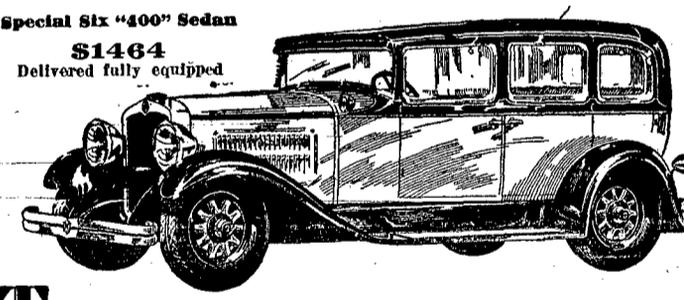
Mrs. Ella Pile of Rochester, New York, wife of the founder of the Wayne State Teachers College, sustained a compound fracture of the right wrist and bruises on her right side and hip when she fell Thursday, January 10. Mrs. Pile was on her way to an afternoon entertainment when she slipped on the icy pavement. She is being cared for at the home of her daughter Mrs. Helen Newton at Rochester.

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## Winside News

Robert Wylie who has been here the past week, returned to Tilden on Sunday morning.

Rev. Paul Rowoldt of Norfolk and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Unger were guests at a six o'clock dinner at Herman Fleers Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Schmode and children visited Mrs. Augusta Schmode at Norfolk Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hoffman Monday January 14, 1929, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Petersen of Pilger visited at Rasmus Rasmussen Saturday.

Mrs. Ed Grenquist and Mrs. Chas. Meyers were in Sioux City Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Brown and children visited friends at Vermillion South Dakota, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Backer and two

children, of Randolph were visiting Sunday at the Ed Lindberg home.

Ernest Scomechel, who arrived here last week from Omaha, after an operation at the University hospital, is sick at the Tillson hotel.

Dr. B. M. McIntyre and Dr. V. L. Siman attended the Sioux Valley Medical association meeting at Sioux City on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. B. M. McIntyre was on the sick at the Tillson hotel.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Wylie were called to Walthill Friday for a funeral. They remained for the Sunday services there.

Miss Elaine Werner, daughter of W. H. Werner who lives southeast of town had her tonsils removed Thursday.

Mrs. Henry Flier is afflicted with inflammatory rheumatism in the right hand and arm.

H. H. Petersen attended the cattle sale in Norfolk Friday.

Leonard Needham of Norfolk was here on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Penn of Wayne were Sunday dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. L. R. Keckler.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wylie and son Bruce visited Sunday with relatives in Wisner, and Miss Fern Wylie returned home from Tilden Friday.

Billy Podoll was quite sick last week with a second attack of the flu.

Fred Ericson went to Wayne Thursday for an x-ray examination of his limb.

Ad Carey of Griswold, Iowa, is here visiting his grandson, William Carey.

Miss Gertrude Steifvater and William Kelly of Grand Island were week end guests at the Wm. Carey home.

### WINSIDE SOCIALS

**Birthday Party:**  
John Neeley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Neeley celebrated his fourth birthday Friday afternoon with a party at which Walter Gaebler, Jr., Orville Schomberg, Ruth Gormley and Rosemary Neeley were the guests. There was a large birthday cake with candles on it. Games were enjoyed and Mrs. Neeley served a birthday lunch.

**Mr. and Mrs. Benschhof Entertain:**  
Mr. and Mrs. Gurney Benschhof celebrated their fifth wedding anniversary Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Mittelstadt, Mr. and Mrs. Art Auker, Dr. and Mrs. V. L. Siman as guests at an evening of bridge. The hostess served luncheon.

**Coterie Club Meeting.**  
The regular meeting of the Coterie was held Thursday afternoon with Mrs. G. C. Francis as hostess. Nine members and three guests were present. Mrs. Anna Andersen was the winner of the high score. The next meeting is on Thursday January 30 with Mrs. Clarence Witte as hostess.

Rastus and Sambo were gazing upward viewing an airplane when Rastus remarked:  
"Sambo how'd you like to be there with that plane?"  
"I'd sure hate to be up there without it," was Sambo's immediate reply.

## Wayne Public School News

Prepared by the class Journalism

### OFFICE NOTES

A number of Compass Survey and Diagnostic tests in Arithmetic have just been received. The Survey tests will be given to all the grade pupils to locate any difficulties they may be having in Arithmetic. These tests will be followed up by the Diagnostic tests to find the individual pupils particular difficulty.

The school board met Monday evening in the Superintendent's office. The usual bills were allowed. A salary schedule for teachers was discussed and a motion made that it be referred to the committee to prepare a schedule. The plan of having the superintendent mail to the members a letter containing the minutes of the previous meeting together with bills to be allowed has been adopted and has proved very satisfactory.

Some samples for commencement invitations for the Senior class have arrived and will be presented to the invitation committee within a few days.

### ASSEMBLY NOTES

A pep meeting was held in the assembly room last Friday as a precedent to the basketball games with Emerson and Norfolk on Friday and Saturday nights respectively. The boys eligible to play in those games were: Walter Bressler, Fredrick Dowling, Kenneth Dowling, Lloyd Exlebon, Max Hendrickson, John Kemp, James Morris, Paul Peterson, Carl Peterson, Clayton Powers, Henry Reynolds, Orval Rhoades, Walter Sand, Doc Surber, and Ronald Young.

The fifth history picture, "The Declaration of Independence," was shown at the Gay Theatre last Thursday.

Report cards were given out Tuesday noon. Information as to who will be eligible for the boys', girls', and mixed choruses, that are to take part in the music contest at Lincoln next spring, and the receiving of names of those wishing to enter declamatory work has been withheld until after these report cards were distributed because the pupils must have passed in three subjects in order that they be eligible to take part in either activity.

The teacher's regular business meeting was held Monday, January 14. Mr. Holder gave a talk on "Physical Education."

### DEBATE

A debate with Newcastle is planned for Saturday, January 29. Lincoln and Wayne are trying to arrange an exchange of practice debates before the district season starts.

All the debaters listened to the radio debate over KPAB Saturday, January 12.

Next week practice debates will be held between the high school team and the district squad.

### SENIOR NOTES

The solid geometry class reviewed the work that had been covered during the last semester.

The U. S. History classes have begun the study of the Civil War, Donald Beaman, Fern Waubere, and Harriet Craven ranked highest in the Every-Pupil Contest, each earning a grade of 83%. The Iowa General Information Test showed considerable progress for both classes. The fourth period class made the greater progress. A good many pupils have shown rather exceptional improvement over their scores at the beginning of the year. A few days next week will be spent in bringing map work up to date and in completing the large series of maps on westward migration.

English IV class finished the grammar exercise books this week.

The physics class has finished the chapter on Heat Units and Change of State. The chapter on heat and methods of distribution will be studied next. Howard Beckenhauer ranked first and Dorothy Davis second in the Every Pupil Test given in Physics.

### FRESHMAN NOTES

There will be a beginning latin class the second semester.

The freshman English class is studying grammar.

The Physiography class is working in references and will not have special work with maps until next week.

The two Algebra I divisions will combine next week and Superintendent Hook will take the new class.

### ATHLETIC NOTES

The Wayne high school basketball team lost the game with Wakefield Friday, January 11, by the score of 18-13.

Those playing in the game were: Fred Dowling, Doc Surber, Walter Sand, Walter Bressler, Carl Peterson, and Max Hendrickson. The second

team lost by the score of 10-9. Practice has been improving and several new plays are being perfected.

### EIGHTH GRADE

The class reviewed for examinations the past week.

Mirabel Blair and Gwendolyn Mulvey received 100% in the history examination.

Loona Ames was absent last week on account of illness.

Those in the class who were neither tardy nor absent the past six weeks are: Franklin Victor, Gertrude Cash, Isabelle Hanon, Everett Dennis, Franklin Henkel, Robert Ross, Pauline Assenheimer, Mirabel Blair, Joyce Dembeck, Gwendolyn Mulvey, Marcella Weber and Peggy Morris.

### SEVENTH GRADE

The seventh grade classes have been very busy the past week taking the final semester examinations. The Wilson General Survey Tests in Arithmetic and the Progress Language Farm Tests were given to both A and B classes last Thursday.

Margaretta Foltz was absent on Wednesday on account of sickness.

Miss Curley the seventh grade teacher, visited the sixth grade Tuesday afternoon to become acquainted with the classes, which will be promoted to the seventh grade the second semester.

### SIXTH GRADE

The Wisson General Survey test was given to both classes during the past week. This test covered the four fundamentals and fractions. There was one perfect paper; that written by Mary Alice Gildersleeve. Helen Vath received second place.

Margaret Stoven and Helen Vath placed first in the Progress Language Forum test. Each missed one.

Some of the children sold tickets for the "Aunt Lucia" comedy. June Gayle Jones was high salesman with 20 tickets sold.

Tuesday and Wednesday were Parent's Days. Many of the parents came to visit, and a general review of the school work for the year was demonstrated to them.

Miss Curley, the seventh grade instructor, was a visitor Tuesday afternoon in order that she might become acquainted with the incoming class.

Students were promoted, Friday afternoon. Ten in the A class, and nine, in the B received promotions.

The Standard Service Arithmetic now replaces the Hamilton system.

Frank Gamble is absent on account of the chicken-pox.

### FIFTH GRADE

The health and manner club had a splinter Wednesday evening to see whether they could live up to the rules of conduct that they have been learning this last semester. The mothers of children furnished the food, for the children. The basketball girls acted as waitresses. For art the children decorated the nut cuts and place cards used for these dinner. Games were played before and after the dinner.

Mrs. Hook, Mrs. Gildersleeve, Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Haas were visitors last week.

The children have been reviewing for their semester tests.

### FOURTH GRADE

Helen Westerhouse had a birthday party last Thursday. Geraldine Gamble stayed home last week because her

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brother had the chicken pox.

In the A class arithmetic test. Ruth Judson was 100 per cent. Standardized tests were given.

Gretchen Teckhaus taught the fourth grade Wednesday morning while Miss Spahr visited the third grade.

Mrs. J. W. Baker was a visitor last week.

### THIRD GRADE

Mrs. Leslie Ellis, Mrs. Gildersleeve and Mrs. Stoven were visitors last week.

Two birthday parties were held last week. Roberta Baker, who was 8 years old treated the children. Fern Evans was 9 years old and she treated the grade. Mrs. Joe Baker and Mrs. Evans were guests at the parties.

The third grade has a new reading table.

Informal tests were being given last week in all subjects.

The arithmetic class took the "Compass Survey Arithmetic Test" last Thursday.

Two interesting reports for geography were given last week. Betty Helen Ellis gave a report on "Silk," she brought a book which had pictures showing the process of making the silk. Mildred Ringer gave a report on "Cotton," she brought a cotton ball sent to her from the South by an aunt.

### SECOND GRADE

The girls won the health chore contest and received an hour's vacation Monday afternoon as a reward.

The language class is studying the life of the Chinese and Japanese.

A hat shop will be used to help the pupils learn the value of money.

Junior Hackmeter has been out of school on account of sickness.

Now books have been received in the second grade library and the children are reading them. A book contest is being held to see who can read the most books before the end of the semester.

William Kemp had a birthday party Monday, January 14. Eskimos Pies and candy, which Mrs. Kemp brought were enjoyed by all.

### FIRST GRADE

Reva Barnes and Erma Jean Dume were out on account of illness.

Darrel Johnson and Warren Mau were neither absent nor tardy for the last six weeks. Margaret Larson, Beverly Strahan, and Irene Haberer were neither absent or tardy for the last six weeks.

Those neither tardy nor absent for the semester are Irene Haberer, Beverly Strahan and Warren Mau.

Betty Strahan of the third grade read a very interesting story to the class last Friday.

Fifteen of the class tested over ninety per cent on the sight words for the semester.

### KINDERGARDEN

The kindergarden has finished the framework of the play house which they have been making and intend to cover it with wrapping paper this week.

Gordon Hrabak has returned after a long absence. The following have been absent on account of sickness: Elaine Rhoades, Carroll Finn, Wilma June Heidenreich, and Ralph Hackmeter.

The visitors of the week were: Mrs. George Hoguwood, Mrs. T. S. Hook, Mrs. W. G. Stoven, Mrs. W. D. Hall, and Evelyn Sorensen.

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Loans and Discounts	\$471,564.20
Overdrafts	961.81
United States Bonds	69,350.00
Federal Bank Stock	2,850.00
Banking House and Fixtures	11,868.29
Other Real Estate	12,234.92
Cash and Due from U. S. Treasurer	233,787.80
	\$802,567.02

Liabilities	
Capital Stock	\$ 75,000.00
Surplus	20,000.00
Undivided Profits	6,070.05
Circulation	18,750.00
Deposits	682,746.97
	\$802,567.02

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WAYNE MARKET REPORTS

Following are the market prices quoted us up to the time of going to press Thursday: Corn .55, Oats .42, Eggs .26, Butter Fat .49, Cocks .07, Hens .10 to .20, Springs .20, Hogs \$7.50 to \$8.25

Governor Weaver is reported as telling the county assessors at their meeting last week that intangibles should be taxed the same as tangible properties.

Last week the lower house of congress passed the bill giving \$541,314,000 for a score of bureaus having to do with the care of veterans of the wars in which the country has been active.

The governor of Iowa, in his annual message congratulates the taxpayers on the fact that they are so prosperous that the state could collect two and a half millions in taxes in excess of the expenses.

Congressman, some of them, are demanding longer daily sessions than the navy appropriations for new cruisers may not get caught in a jam as the session nears its close.

The Sioux City Tribune has it figured out that the American Taxpayers League is simply an organization for shifting a lot of tax burden from the few very heavy tax payers to the many who pay less each.

That tax-refund now asked for by a part of the members of congress, has already taken from the treasury for the big corporations and big financial interests more than two and one half billion dollars.

After three hours discussion on the question of open or closed session the senate held for the continuation of the session of 1929.

What do you farmers think is now to be asked of the new congress at its extra session, promised for April? Farm relief and the tariff are said to be reasons given in the message that will convene the solons in extra session.

LEGISLATURE NOTES

Lincoln, Nebraska, January 22.—Governor Weaver today recommended, in his biennial budget message to the legislature, total appropriations for governmental expenses during the next two years of \$31,200,839.46.

The outstanding feature of Weaver's budget is a cut of more than a million dollars on the \$1,250,000 which the state university had asked for new building during the coming two years.

Weaver added nearly 400 thousand dollars to the maintenance appropriation for the university, declaring that we had better have a good university with limited buildings than to have a large physical plant with decreased educational standards.

A new state narcotic law has been drafted by J. C. Kinsler, United States district attorney—and it is said that it has more and better teeth than the Harrison drug act.

Some report says that Saturday will be the last day for the introduction of bills. Well, that should be all right. There are plenty of them now waiting their fate, to keep the legislature going more than the time provided by law for them to draw daily stipend.

One of the first bills reported to be too dead to skin is the anti-publicity bill. The committee seems to have fixed that. Another bill that is likely to meet the same fate is the one reported as favoring a 2-mill tax to float the bank guarantee deficit.

A number of bank bills have been introduced, and several of them are having hard sledding, as they strive to dictate the method by which the true condition of the guaranty fund is to be determined.

The question of gas tax is on the waiting list, and has a number of solutions proposed for that and the question of funds for the road program.

The proposed bond idea for a county bond, similar to the Iowa plan has not seemed to find much favor.

In the budget, the governor recommends \$45,000 to each of the four normal schools for permanent improvement and \$100,000 for the home of the insane at Norfolk.

COUNTY TREASURER'S STATEMENT OF COLLECTIONS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE COUNTY FUNDS FROM JULY 1, 1928, TO DECEMBER 31, 1928, INCLUSIVE.

Table with columns for Collections and Disbursements. Collections include Taxes for 1928, 1927, 1926, 1925, 1924, 1923, Redemption, Automobile License, Miscellaneous Collections, etc. Disbursements include State Consolidated Funds, State Auto Supervision, State Highway Funds, etc.

Balance July 1, 1928 \$204,146.00, Balance December 31, 1928 \$513,644.04

Statement of Disbursements from July 1, 1928, to December 31, 1928, Inc. Table listing various fund disbursements such as State Consolidated Funds, State Auto Supervision, State Highway Funds, County General Funds, etc.

wanted for Wayne were not recommended in the budget. The code law is not finding much favor with the governor, and the total appropriation asked is correspondingly less.

One of the bills introduced would require the reading of the Bible in schools daily.

A senate bill has been introduced which would close Sunday theatres in cities of less than 5,000.

HIGH SCHOOL BAND WILL PRESENT RADIO PROGRAMS

The Wayne high school's fifty piece band will broadcast over Norfolk, Yankton and Sioux City sending stations in the near future.

They will be on the air over station WJAG at Norfolk February 3, according to present arrangements.

IT WAS PECULIAR

Ole, the night watchman and porter, was testifying before the jury during the bank robbery. "You say," thundered the judge, "that at midnight you were cleaning out the office and eight masked men brushed past you and went out into the vault room with revolvers drawn?"

Lady Passenger—"Could I see the Captain?" First Mate—"He's forward Miss."

Clara—"He says he thinks I'm the nicest girl in town. Shall I ask him to call?" Sara—"No, dear, let him keep on thinking so."

Her father retiring for the night at twelve o'clock says to the boy friend: "Give me a call when you go, please, I've got to be up early in the morning."

Rotary Funds: Balance December 31, 1928 \$285,275.75, \$228,368.29, \$513,644.04

Statements of Collections, Disbursements and Balances for Six Months Ending December 31, 1928.

Large table with columns for Collection, On Hand, Paid Out, Balance. Lists various funds including State Consolidated Funds, State Auto Supervision, State Highway Funds, County General Funds, etc.

County Funds are Deposited as Follows:

Table showing deposits for various counties: First National, Wayne; State, Wayne; Merchants State, Winnside; Hoskins State, Hoskins; Citizens State, Winnside; Carroll State, Carroll; Farmers State, Altona; Liberty Bonds; Cash, checks in office.

State of Nebraska, Wayne County: I, J. J. Steele, County Treasurer of Wayne County Nebraska, being first duly sworn do say that the foregoing is a true and complete statement of all funds on hand, collected, and disbursed by me from July 1, 1928, to December 31, 1928, inclusive.

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**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

Dr. Young's Dental Office over the Ahern's store. Phone 307. —adv. 11.  
Miss Minnie Will was a weekend guest at Sioux City, visiting her sister, Mrs. Tobias.  
George Fortner was an Omaha business visitor, going down Tuesday and returning yesterday.

Mrs. John Morgan has been quite ill at her home in this city, but was reported as a little better yesterday.

FOR SALE—Two new milk pigs, good ones; Also pure bred Barron Rock cockerels. Wm. Hagwood. —adv. N29f.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Merchant were among those who went from Wayne the first of the week to witness the Passion Play being presented in that city this week.

J. G. Miles was a passenger to Omaha Tuesday, and will spend the week-end at Sioux City, visiting his sister, Mrs. Tobias.

For milk or cream for daily delivery or for special occasions call phone 417-F-2 the Logan Valley Dairy. We are always on the job. —adv. M18-1f.

Mrs. Carl Munson from northwest of Wayne was a passenger last week to Omaha, where she spent several days visiting at the homes of her daughters, Mrs. S. V. Hatfield and Mrs. D. S. Thompson.

Report from the hospital this morning says that all patients there are doing well except Mr. Welch, father of Mrs. Lutgen, who because of advanced years, has little chance to show any marked improvement.

Over at Osmond they have a petition out to call an election to say whether or not they will tax themselves to help finance the proposed railroad from Yankton, to Norfolk. Enough have signed the petition to cause it to be granted, the report says.

Over in Iowa they are worrying because some 17 million of paving bonds do not find ready sale because the interest restriction does not permit the taking more than 4% interest. If a quarter or a half percent more was allowed the greedy bondholders would take 'em.

Loren Heikes from Wakefield has purchased the Shamrock cafe and taken possession, re-arranged the equipment, newly decorated the room and is now running it day and night, after having changed the sign to read "Coffee Shop", with the all night announcement on the sign board. Mr. H. is familiar with the business, and serving the public in his line.

There is a milk war on in Chicago, between the producers and the dealers; for milk is said to be so high in the big city that many citizens are unable to purchase what they need, and so any raise in the price is a hardship for the consumer or the distributor. The producer claims they are producing at a loss at present prices. Some one had better buy a cow or two, and grow more cow fodder.

The Yankton bridge stockholders held an annual meeting two weeks ago, and named D. B. Gurney and M. H. Muehlen members of the board of directors, Mr. Gurney, being member of the board who was re-elected. The receipts for the year were nearly \$87,000, an increase of \$26,000 and more over the year before. Seven thousand of the 8,411 shares outstanding were represented in the meeting. It was decided to pay stock holders five percent dividend, payable half in June and half in December.

A lot of tax discussion is going on in the papers of the state as to whether or not the taxpayers should help out the bank guaranty deficit, and then comes discussion of the form of tax, if any shall be imposed. Some editors want a luxury tax on the things they do not use, and perhaps most editors would set off easy on a luxury tax. One editor does not want anything in the nature of a sales tax to drive more trade out of the state to the mail-order houses. Some editors claim that they do not know what is a luxury. Perhaps they might best define it as something they cannot afford, and something they are better off without.

**SOCIAL NOTES**

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. D. W. Noakes Friday afternoon, Mrs. P. C. Crockett assistant hostess. The feature of the meeting was a splendid talk by Rev. Fenton C. Jones of the Presbyterian church. Rev. Jones gave the members of the W. C. T. U. credit for the untiring efforts to place the 18th amendment in the constitution, but he stressed the need of a stronger organization today to help enforce that amendment. He said big business had much to do toward prohibition as business men realize they cannot get one hundred per cent efficiency out of a one per cent sober man. He brought out the fact that such an organization as the W. C. T. U. should be more popular, that women of Wayne should be more interested in the work being done. He urged members to attend county court sessions, lend their moral support to our officers, petition senators and legislators when bills vital to welfare of homes are being voted upon. In speaking of present day young people he said while they were "up in the air" they were as good or better than the generation before them. That they are not serious minded is true and that something should be done to interest both mothers and

daughters in modern problems of better and safer living. Many suggestions and advice worth while was offered and the members feel deeply grateful to Rev. Jones for his message. The hostesses served refreshments. The next meeting will be a social afternoon and musical at the home of Mrs. Wm. Beckenhauer, Friday, February 22.

Two social events, one last evening and the other this evening, will pass into the history of the new Nehardt hall, when the two hundred ladies to whom Mrs. U. S. Conn, Mrs. F. S. Berry, Mrs. E. J. Huntener, Mrs. Elva Brockway and Miss Clara Smothers have served as hostesses at the elegant parlor of the new building for students. Invitations have been issued to about one hundred ladies of the community for each of the two opening evenings. The usual amusement and entertainment for such events will add to the pleasures of the evening. In addition to opportunity to inspect this wonderful addition to the state school's new home for nearly 200 students.

The Minerva met with Mrs. R. R. Smith, with Mrs. O. R. Bowen in charge of the lesson on, "Women's Prominence in World Affairs." The part women take in Government, Religion, Social Service and Athletics was discussed with the following taking leading parts of the various topics: Mrs. F. S. Berry, Mrs. Mary Brittain, Mrs. Lambert Roe, Mrs. E. W. Huse, Mrs. E. J. Huntener and Mrs. F. G. Dale. Lousie Rickabaugh gave vocal and piano solos from Mae Dowell. Two guests, Mrs. Carl Wright and Mrs. Wm. Beckenhauer were present. The club meets in two weeks with Mrs. J. S. Horney.

Mrs. U. S. Conn, Mrs. E. J. Huntener, Mrs. F. S. Berry, Mrs. Elva Brockway and Miss Clara Smothers entertained about a hundred ladies of Wayne at a formal party in the Nehardt Hall last evening. The time was spent at bridge with Mrs. H. H. Hahn, Miss Harriett Fortner and Mrs. Gene Gildersleeve winning the prizes. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The hall and tables were especially decorated for the occasion. The same hostesses will entertain again this evening for another group.

The Monday club met with Mrs. T. T. Jones, with Mrs. R. W. Ley in charge of the lesson on, "Early American Art and Paintings." Roll call was answered with names of American Art centers. Next Monday evening the husbands will be guests of the club at the H. H. Hahn home. At this time Prof. Chinn will give a talk on Radio. Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. A. B. Carhart and Mrs. B. J. Ahern.

The Altrusa met Monday with Mrs. Martin Ringer. Roll call was answered by quoting droll sayings of little children. Mrs. Mae Young gave a report on, "Everyday Life of Everyday Children." A surprise, "The Auto Romance," was conducted by Mrs. R. C. Hahlbeck, with Mrs. W. C. Coryell winning the prize. A two course luncheon was served. The club meets February 7 with Mrs. Art Norton.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Earl Merchant next Thursday when the following will assist in entertaining: Mrs. R. W. Ley, Mrs. R. Porterfield, Mrs. Lambert Roe, Mrs. Carl Wright and Miss Harriett Fortner. A musical program will be given.

The U. D. met Monday with Mrs. J. Woodward-Jones, when Mrs. H. B. Craven was lesson leader. She conducted a "Questionnaire" and Mrs. J. G. Miller won the prize. The club meets next week with Mrs. H. S. Ringland.

The Coteri met with Mrs. P. A. Theobald Monday. The lesson was a Review of Tyco's Quarterly conducted by Mrs. L. W. Vath. The hostess served refreshments. The club meets next Monday with Mrs. L. W. Vath at a 1:15 luncheon.

The P. E. O. will meet with Mrs. V. A. Senter February 5 at 3 p. m., instead of with Mrs. A. T. Cavanaugh as planned last week.

The Fortnightly will meet Monday with Mrs. J. T. Bressler, Jr. as hostess.

The Wayne Women's club will meet tomorrow with Mrs. J. S. Horney.

**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, 1928, term thereof, in an action pending in said court

<b>Olives</b> Quart Glass Barrels 55c	<b>ORR &amp; ORR GROCERS</b> PHONE 5 "A SAFE PLACE TO SAVE"	<b>10 lb. Bag Sugar</b> 66c
<b>Winesap Apples</b> Excellent quality \$2.65 basket	<b>LOWER COSTS ON Your Foods</b> The large increase in our volume has allowed us in the past year to decrease our prices practically all over the store. THIS YEAR HAS ALREADY SHOWN A NICE INCREASE IN SALES—and we are sure that we can really save you a great deal on your grocery bill each month.	<b>Thin Glass Tumblers</b> 6 in a carton 24c <b>EXTRA FANCY GOLDEN WAX Beans</b> 35c value 3 for 74c <b>Woodward's Stick Candy</b> 20 sticks 10c
<b>Oranges</b> 288 size 2 doz. for 44c	<b>Morning Light Baked Beans</b> 3 cans 28c	<b>Raisins</b> Extra Quality 3 lbs. for 23c
<b>Head Lettuce</b> Extra fancy 2 heads 24c	<b>COMPARE OUR AVERAGE PRICES</b> You Will Find a Real Saving	
<b>Marshmallows</b> 19c lb.	<b>Cookies</b> 2 lb. bag 48c	<b>1 lb. box Choc Candy</b> 75c value 59c
	<b>Real Cup Coffee</b> 5 lb. Carton \$2.37 Excellent Blend	<b>Mission Orange Dry A Real Drink</b> 2 bottles 55c

wherein H. J. Felber, was plaintiff and Frank W. McRoberts, Receiver of the Citizens National Bank of Wayne, Nebraska, George G. Cronkleton, Receiver of the Citizens National Bank of Wayne, Nebraska, et al were defendants. I will, on the 25th day of February, 1929 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 One (1) and Two (2) in Block Five (5) of Lake Addition to the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, to satisfy the aforesaid decree, the amount due thereon being \$3852.19 with interest, and cost and accruing cost.  
Dated at Wayne, Nebraska this 21st day of January 1929.  
A. W. STEPHENS, Sheriff.

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We specialize in wholesome, home-cooked meals, the best of coffee, as you like it, and real home made pies.

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314 Main Street Wayne, Nebr.

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**NO EVADING THIS CHALLENGE**

**76 ADVANCED FEATURES**

Here is a challenge that rings with fulfillment. Its bid is to all who would own the best, and no car is excepted.

In Fast Getaway—against the champions of any price class.  
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In Appearance and Smartness—compare it with the costly cars, in which high price is paid for just those things.  
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These are but a few of the 76 advanced features which a million Super-Six owners are appraising in Essex the Challenger. Come examine and drive it. It will not only win your endorsement, but challenge your ownership interest against any value that motordom may offer.

**\$695 AND UP AT FACTORY**

Coach	695	Standard Sedan	795
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Phaeton	695	Roadster	850
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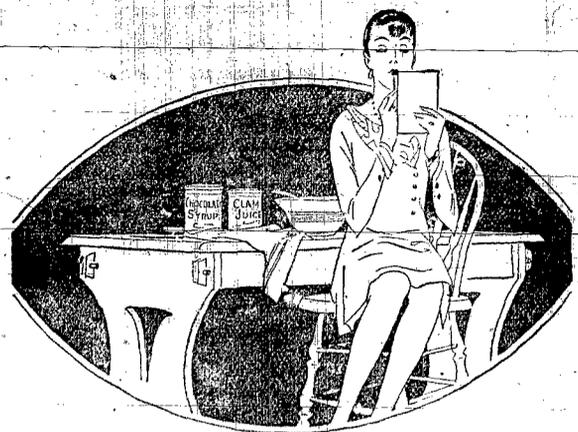
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## Two Dollar Dinner For Six

Clam Juice Cocktail  
 Tamales in Rice Border Labeled Sweet Potatoes  
 Apricot Melba Salad Jelly Rolls and Butter  
 Jiffy Dessert  
 Coffee

BY watching for sales and buying foods in season, this delicious dinner can be prepared inexpensively—for less than two dollars in New York City, where food prices are high. The costs are: clam juice cocktail, 20 cents; tamales in rice border, 46 cents; sweet potatoes, 10 cents; jelly, 5 cents; apricot melba salad, 49 cents; rolls and butter, 20 cents; jiffy dessert, 30 cents; vacuum packed coffee, 10 cents; total, \$1.90, leaving 10 cents for incidentals.

Purchase a can of clam juice for the cocktail.

To make the tamale dish, cut the tamales from a number 2 can in slices. Add one can tomato soup,

one-half cup sliced, stuffed olives and one-half teaspoon salt to the tamale liquor, simmer until somewhat thick, add sliced tamales and when hot, pour into center of a large platter and surround with a border of hot, boiled rice.

For the apricot salad arrange a slice of pineapple on lettuce. Mix chopped walnuts and cream cheese and pile in the hole of the pineapple; invert a canned apricot-half over it. Surround with mayonnaise. This makes one serving.

For the jiffy dessert, allow three saltines to each serving. Spread them liberally with canned chocolate syrup and pile the crackers on top of each other. Top with a spoonful of whipped cream.

you ever made? Tell me what a boy reads and how he spends his spare time and I will give you the height of his vocational ambition.

5. What jobs have you had? Which jobs did you like best? Why?

6. How much money do you have each week? How do you get it? What do you do with it? Have you a bank account? Do you think you are industrious and thrifty enough to hope to succeed in business?

7. What positions of leadership have you had in school? Do you like to be with people or do you prefer to be alone?

8. Do you like school better the longer you are in it or are you losing interest? Do you think you are studious enough to hope to succeed in a profession?

9. Do you do good work for teachers even though you do not like them?

10. Do you think your teachers have learned to depend on you? Give reasons for answer.

Be careful not to talk down your vocation nor brag it to the skies. Your main object is to lead the pupils to think and to show them that you are really interested in them: That you care.

Continue to be a 'big brother' to those who come to you for counsel.

Gather all the data you can in your vocation as it will help you as well as the pupils. Stress the importance of good school work. Getting an education is their first job and unless they do that job well we have no way of learning how they will do their next.

C. M. SANFORD.

Read the advertisements.

### R. A. B. CAPTURE FIRST HONORS BY BEST STUNT GIVEN

Connell Hall Takes Second Place With Waxworks, W. A. A. Third With Good Sports.

(from the Goldenrod)

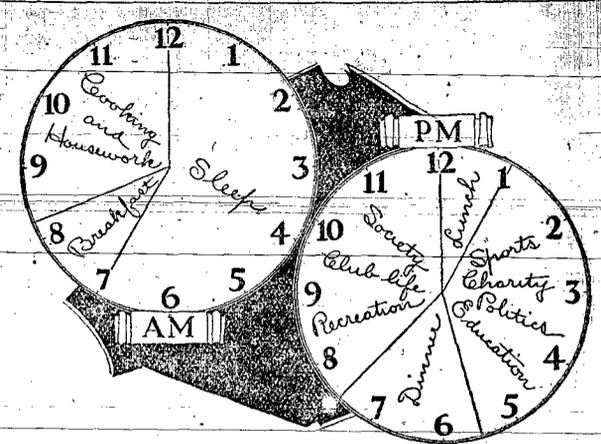
The Royal Artists of Bagdad, Wayne's pep organization, carried away first honors in the seventh annual stunt night program, Thursday evening, January 17. The stunt offered was "entitled 'One Wednesday Morning'" and portrayed a chapel morning in which different members of the organization took the part of the faculty members. Boyd McGuire as Doctor Lewis and Merrill Whitman as Professor Hunter scored very well with the crowd.

Second place was won by Connell hall by their stunt "Ye Olde Wax Works?" while third place was captured by the W. A. A. in the stunt, "Passing Francies vs. Good Sports."

The stunts as a whole were interestingly portrayed and the audience did not have a dull moment during the entire evening. The Sophomore class had charge of this program and much credit should be given to the committee who were responsible for the program.

Below is the program for the evening:

(One Wednesday Morn. .... R. A. B. "Ye Olde Wax Works" ... Connell Hall  
 High Spots in Science ... Science Hall  
 To Win My Lovio ... Sophomore Class  
 The Fatal Quest ... Senior Class  
 Passing Francies vs. Good Sports ...



## The Eight-Hour Day For Housewives

"A man's work lasts from sun to sun, But a woman's work is never done."

IT would seem like a dream to the women of the days when the above rhyme was current to contemplate anything like an eight-hour day for women. Who, they would have asked, would do the washing, peeling, stoning and seeding of fruits and vegetables, the boning and skinning of fish, the picking of fowls, to say nothing of the spinning of flax, weaving of cloth, and the long hours spent in house cleaning and over a hot stove in the kitchen?

The commercial canneries of today have answered a large part of this question. They have reduced the time devoted to the preparation and cooking of food in the home to a minimum by performing most of the operations men-

tioned in the above enumeration by machinery in their big, sanitary, immaculately clean canneries.

### No Longer a Dream

The eight-hour day for housewives is no longer a dream. The textile mills have relieved her of spinning and weaving. Vacuum cleaners have reduced the time devoted to house cleaning. Gas and electricity have relieved her of the task of filling lamps and tetching wood for the kitchen fire. The modern woman can now have time to devote to society, sports and charity, to politics, club life and other outside interests, to education and the higher needs of her husband and family.

## Chester M. Sanford Gives Vocational Address On Tragedy of the Misfits

Speaker Stresses Importance of Youth Getting Into the Right Profession. Gives Material on Vocations

### HUMOROUS AND WORTHWHILE

(From the Goldenrod)

"The Tragedy of the Misfits" was the address given by Chester Milton Sanford in the college auditorium the evening of January 14. Mr. Sanford explained that he had grown to dislike the title of his speech because he sees everywhere so many examples of the failure of the misfits.

Vocational education, the speaker explained, aims to fit the boy or girl of school age for the life-work to which he is best adapted. This is accomplished by a study of the young person himself, his likes and dislikes, habits, qualities, and abilities. It aims to help the young people to enter professions which lack recruits, and to keep them out of those already overcrowded.

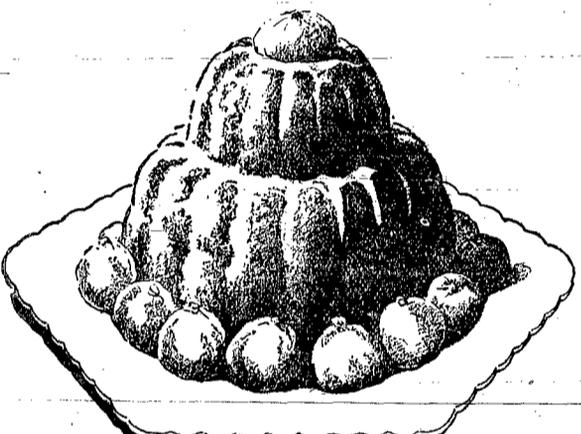
The whole lecture, agreeably humorous, was thoroughly worthwhile. At its close Mr. Sanford talked informally with those who remained. He explained that information on vocational education may be obtained in this way:

Material on Vocational Guidance

1. For definite figures on the openings on the various vocations write to Bureau of Information, Washington D. C. Frederic Huskin, director.
2. For excellent, up-to-date pamphlets on the vocations address, Board of Education, Vocational Department, Chicago, Illinois, Cleveland, Ohio, New York City, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Los Angeles, California, Detroit, Michigan. Be sure to give a list of the vocations you desire pamphlets on.
3. Bureau for the Rehabilitation of Wounded Soldiers, Vocational Department, Washington, D. C.
4. Department of Education, Bureau of Vocational Education, Washington, D. C. If you will write to your Congressman telling him what you want he should be able to send you large quantities of material free.
5. You should take "The National Vocational Guidance Magazine," published by Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass. Costs \$2 a year. Some Questions to Ask Those Desiring Guidance.

1. Whom did you become interested in this vocation? How?
2. Why do you think you are fitted for it? Why do you want to enter it?
3. What studies do you like best? Do these studies point toward the vocation you desire to enter?
4. Are you much of a reader? What do you read? What do you do with your spare time? What have

## A Fig For You



THE above expression used to be an insult. Now it's an invitation. For figs are one of the most delicious of fruits. Choice figs have been packed in cans for some time past, but it was not until recently that magnolia figs became one of the principal fruit crops of the Gulf Coast of Texas. The greater part of the fig output was until lately, packed in heavy syrups or as preserves, but a few canners have recently been packing their figs in a very light syrup for use as a breakfast fruit served with sugar and cream.

### How to Use Them

But figs have many other uses in addition to that as a breakfast fruit. They can be used in fillings, in puddings and pies, in ice cream, in cakes, in cups, in custards, and also steamed and stewed. Here is the way to make fig pudding:

Chop three ounces of beef suet, and work with the hands until creamy, then add a half pound of figs, finely chopped. The figs preserved in heavy syrup should be used in this recipe. Soak two and one-half cups stale bread crumbs in one-half cup milk, add two eggs, well beaten, sugar to taste, depending on the sweetness of the syrup, and three-fourths teaspoon salt. Combine the mixtures, turn into a buttered mold and steam three hours. Serve with hard sauce.

But if you want to avoid all this mixing and steaming, you can buy delicious fig pudding already prepared and put up in a can.

Clerk of Wayne County, Nebraska, do hereby certify that at a regular meeting of the board of county commissioners of Wayne County, Nebraska, held on January 8th, 1929, the following estimate of expenses was made for Wayne County, Nebraska, for the year 1929.

County General Fund	\$60,000.00
County Bridge Fund	40,000.00
County Road Fund	50,000.00
Mothers Pension Fund	2,000.00
Soldiers Relief Fund	2,000.00
Wayne County Fair and Agricultural Association	3,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$157,000.00</b>

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 10th day of January A. D. 1929.

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

presentation of claims against said Estate is three months from the 15th day of February, 1929, and the time limited for payment of debts is One Year from said 15th day of February, 1929.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 18th day of January, 1929.

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

Jones picked up the daily newspaper and was astounded by seeing an announcement of his death. He immediately rang up a friend.

"Bill," he said, "have you seen the notice of my death in the morning's paper?"

"Yes," replied Bill, "where are you speaking from?"

A young man was telling a friend of his proposal to the girl of his choice.

"And what did she say?" the friend asked.

"She said 'Go to papa'." She knew that I knew that her papa was dead. She knew that I knew I knew what life he had led; so she knew that I knew what she meant when she said, 'Go to papa'."

"Black Boy, you am just like the letter B."

"Hucum?"

"You am always in debt when you know that they ain't no need of it."

—Ladies Home Journal.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

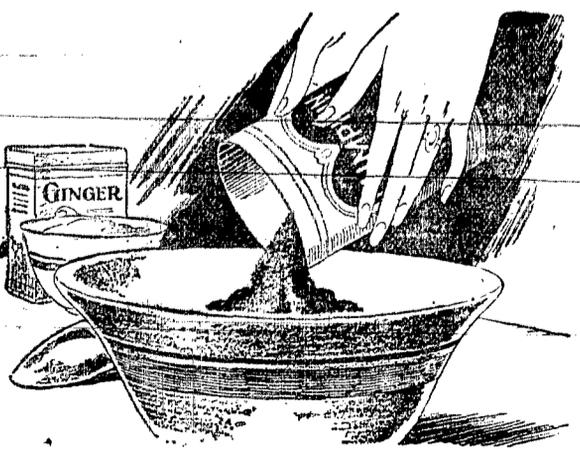
The State of Nebraska, Wayne County, ss.

### IN THE COUNTY COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of Lars Spike, 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 15th day of February, 1929 and on the 15th day of May, 1929 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 pre-

## Canned Pumpkin Pie



WINTER time is pie time, and of all the pies that tickle our palates agreeably, pumpkin is one of the most popular. But how many of my readers know of the convenience of using canned pumpkin for this delectable dish? This saves you all the preliminary trouble of scraping out the pumpkin and boiling and mashing it. Here is the recipe:

Mix two cups of canned pumpkin with one and one-eighth cups of sugar, one teaspoon salt, one and one-half teaspoons ginger and one teaspoon cinnamon. Beat three eggs whites stiffly and fold in. Turn into a pie plate lined with pastry and bake in a moderate oven, but be sure to have enough heat at first to set the crust. The pie is done when an inserted knife comes out clean. It takes fifteen minutes to

bake at 450° and about thirty minutes, or until set, at 325°. This recipe makes one large pie.

### Or Try These Tarts

Here is another recipe for Harvest Pumpkin Tarts:

Mix one cup of brown sugar, a few grains of salt, two teaspoons cinnamon, one-half teaspoon nutmeg and one-half teaspoon ginger with one cup of canned pumpkin. Add two beaten eggs and two cups evaporated milk, and pour into tart tins lined with pastry. Bake like any custard pie, having oven hot at first, then moderate. This recipe will make from fifteen to twenty tarts.

The next time you yearn for pumpkin pie or tarts buy a gold enamel lined can of pumpkin and try one of these recipes.

### RESPONSE TO INVITATIONS INSURES TOURNAMENT HERE

Plans for the basketball tournament are now being perfected. Enough teams to assure a tournament have signified their intention of coming to Wayne. There are still a few more teams who are expected to participate here this year.

Supt. Hook of Wayne High School and Professor Dale of Wayne State Teachers College are in charge of the tournament.

Teams will be classified differently this year. There will be only eight teams in each class. The records of teams will be sent to the Secretary of the Nebraska Athletic Association, where they will be classified for the district meets.

### NEIHARDT INVITED TO COME FOR OPENING OF NEW HALL

President Conn has written Dr. John G. Neihardt inviting him to be the guest of honor at the opening of the new dormitory on February 1. The plan at present is that the girls move in during the coming week-end and that open house be kept during that date. At first it was thought that the public would be invited before the girls had moved in, but was thought better to wait until the rooms were decorated.

Old Yegg—"What did you need eight men for?" In my day three men could hold up a bank."

Young Yegg—Yeah, but you didn't have all them vice-presidents to look after them.

—Ladies Home Journal.

..... W. A. A.  
 It's What You Do About Nothing.....  
 ..... Terrace Hall  
 Spaghetti ..... Freshman Class  
 The Cathedral Window. Y. W. C. A.  
 Sophomore Class Sponsors—E. J. Hunter and Miss Louise Wendt.  
 Sophomore Class President—Willard Wiltse.  
 Sophomore Stunt Committee—Helen Harrison, Rudolph Lage, Gerald Litel, Oliver Blacketer.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Nebraska, Wayne County, ss.

### IN THE COUNTY COURT

In the Matter of the Estate of Franz Reinhold, 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 8th day of February, 1929 and on the 8th day of May, 1929 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 8th day of February, 1929, and the time limited for payment of debts is One Year from said 8th day of February, 1929.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said County Court, this 11th day of January, 1929.

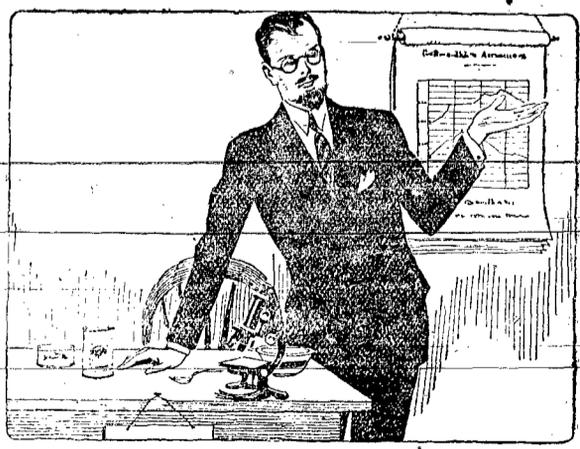
(seal) J. M. CHERRY, County Judge.

### ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES

The State of Nebraska, Wayne County, ss.

I, Chas. W. Reynolds, County

## To Protect Your Health



THE object of the Twenty-second Annual Convention of the National Canners' Association which is to assemble at the Hotel Stevens in Chicago on January twenty-first and continue in session until January twenty-fifth is primarily to exchange ideas on how to maintain and, if possible, improve the quality of all the foods that are canned in this country. Every phase of the industry is discussed at this huge convention where more than eight thousand people, interested in the commercial canning business, gathered last year, but in spite of the many major economic problems to be solved, exactly forty per cent of the formal addresses delivered at the various sessions of this Convention held in the same place last year were made by scientists from great Universities, experts from the United States Departments of Commerce and Agriculture, home economics experts in touch with a multitude of housewives, and scientists who are working directly for the Association in its own elaborate research laboratories in Washington, D. C., Seattle and San Francisco.

### Truth and Honesty

The spirit which rules this Convention was admirably expressed in a recent speech by a high official of one of the largest companies in the industry when he said:

"The whole question of the nation's food supply is a most important one. In the food products industry lies a very great opportunity and an equally great responsibility. The basis on which canned foods must be presented to the public must be truth on the label—honesty in the can."

# DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

Mary Graham Bonner  
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## THE SINGING TREES

"Of all the trees in the world," whispered the pine trees one cold night, not long ago, "we feel sure that we are the happiest."  
"That's a nice way to feel," said Mr. Moon, "but tell me why you feel that way."  
"I would be more than interested in knowing."  
"We will tell you," said the pine trees.  
Mr. Moon got right behind them, so he wouldn't miss a word they said.  
"We are useful," they began. "We are used in great yards where there are ships."  
"Oh, shipyards," said Mr. Moon, blinking wisely.  
"Yes, indeed, I know all about shipyards. Many has been the time when I have looked down upon the ships being repaired, or mended."  
"I have looked into the big ships, too. They are wonderful! Simply wonderful!"  
Mr. Moon beamed as he thought of them. "I am glad to hear you are used in shipyards," he said. "Tell me more about it."  
"From us people can obtain oil, turpentine, and other useful things—pitch, too."  
"No wonder you are happy," said Mr. Moon.  
"But more than that makes us happy," said the pine trees.  
"Do tell me all about the things that make you so happy," asked Mr. Moon.  
"People say we're handsome. And that pleases us. We want to be admired. It's natural, isn't it?"  
"Quite," said Mr. Moon. "I love to be admired myself. I like to have people like me when I'm round, or only half-round, or of a crescent shape."  
"That makes us feel better—to hear that you like to be admired, too."  
"Sometimes we fear we may become vain, and that wouldn't be nice at all. No one would love us then."  
And the pine trees sighed at the very thought—great, long sighs.  
"Cheer up," said Mr. Moon. "You will never become vain."  
The pine trees sang a little now.  
"It makes us happy, too," they said.



"No Wonder You Are Happy," said Mr. Moon.  
"because we can give pleasure all the year around."  
"It's not just in the spring and in the summer that we are green—we are evergreen—of the evergreen family."  
"To be sure it's nice to bud and burst forth into pale green leaves, then to become stronger and darker, and later on, when autumn comes, to have wonderful changing colors of red, and orange, yellow, golden, flame and all the rest."  
"We can understand how these trees can all be very happy. But we think we're the luckiest of all. We are green all the year—all the year."  
"We're popular all over the world, too, and we will grow almost anywhere."  
"We like some climates better than others, but we try to get along in any, and make ourselves get used to different places."  
"We really don't like big cities, where there are factories which blow their smoke over us. But that's about all we really object to."  
"Not much," said Mr. Moon, "you're pretty pleasant and contented, I think."  
The trees bowed politely as Mr. Moon said this, and sang him a little song:

We'll sing you a tune,  
Kind friend, Mr. Moon.  
We'll bow and we'll dance,  
And if you get the chance,  
Will you try hard to think  
That we want you to wink.  
When all this is over,  
And to ask us for more?  
We just love to sing,  
For we like everything,  
But the best thing we know,  
Is that we're green when there's snow.  
All night long Mr. Moon listened to the singing of the pine trees, the happiest trees in the world.  
And old King Snow listened too, for he said, "They're the trees that even like me."  
Apes Fond of Bananas.  
A ship recently arrived at London with over forty orang-outangs, an elephant, a tiger, and several other specimens of jungle life.  
These animals seemed to have enjoyed their sea trip immensely, if one can judge by their appetites during the voyage, for no less than 100,000 bananas were consumed by the apes alone.

## Candy Industry Goes Back to Hippocrates

Physicians among the ancient Greeks and Romans utilized the bee's honey in preparing their medicines. In fact, the manufacture of candy traces its origin back to the days of Hippocrates, father of medicine, who lived in the fifth century B. C. In those days doctors' remedies for human ills consisted of doses of bitter herbs. In order to tickle the palate of his rich patients, Hippocrates smeared a little honey on the edge of the cup containing the potion, and later on coated his pills with similar substances, thus comforting his patients and, no doubt, also increasing his fees.  
Little did Hippocrates think that he was destined to go down to fame, not only as the father of medicine—but as one of the originators of the art of candy-making.  
From this quaint origin the candy industry has progressed to such an extent that it is now one of the world's leading industries. Its production involves labor in all parts of the world and employs every means of transportation known to man.—Exchange.

## Idea of Human Flight Long in Minds of Men

The desire to conquer the air and emulate the birds is no modern fancy, but has agitated the minds of men mechanically inclined for ages. Records of a meeting of the Royal Society, held in London in 1679, give the information that "Mr. Hooke read a paper containing a description of the way of flying, invented and practiced by one Mons. Besnier, a smith, the contrivance of which consisted in ordering four wings folding and shutting to be moved by his hands before and his legs behind, by which he was, it was said, able to fly from a high place across a river to a pretty distance." One of the members of the Royal Society apparently cast some doubt upon the practicability of the invention: "Mr. Henshawe conceived that by reason of the weakness of a man's arms for such kind of motions, it would be much more probable to make a chariot or such like machine with springs and wheels, that should serve to carry one or more men in it to act and guide it."

## Chrysanthemum

The name is from the Greek chryso, meaning gold, and anthem, meaning flower. In Christian tradition, this flower is supposed to have been born on the first Christmas, being the token to the three wise men that they had reached the spot whither the star had bidden them.

It is in reality, however, of Chinese origin, and was made the official flower of Japan as early as the Fourteenth century. It symbolized perfection. It is now grown in more than 5,000 varieties, and it is so popular in this country that men have paid \$10,000 for a fresh form of the Japanese flower.

## "Woodchuck" From Indian

"Woodchuck" as applied to the groundhog, is not a compound of "wood" and "chuck," as commonly supposed. It is a corruption of the Indian word "wejack," "woodshaw," or "woodschock," a name applied to this animal by hunters, trappers and traders in the Hudson bay region. Supposedly the word is derived from the Cree "otchek" or the Chipewya "otchig," which was applied to the fisher by the Indians, but which was transferred to the groundhog by the whites. According to the bureau of American ethnology, in the fur nomenclature of the Hudson's Bay company, the skins of groundhogs have long been known as "woodchucks."

## Doing Well

A householder had trouble with the shower in his bathroom, and plumbers were called in.  
After an hour or more, hearing no sounds of activity from the bathroom, the householder proceeded to the scene of operations. Opening the door, he found the plumber and his mate seated on the bath, engrossed in a copy of the evening paper.  
"Well," he said suspiciously, "how are you fellows getting on?"  
"Fine," said the plumber, removing his pipe. "We've got a couple of winners this afternoon."—London Tit-Bits.

## Work Up to a Carpet

The junior clerk in the British navy begins his official life in a very bare office, with a hard chair to sit on, and a writing table that is nothing but a collapsible shelf. There is no place to keep his papers, no carpet on the floor.  
His next promotion is to a table with a couple of drawers, but it is not until he has gone several rungs up the ladder and in receipt of a salary exceeding £300 a year that he can claim a real desk with lockable drawers.

## Cathedral Dimensions.

The length of the cathedral of St. John the Divine (Episcopal), New York—601 feet—is greater than that of Amiens, which is 521 feet long; Cologne, which is 511 feet; Chartres, which is 507 feet, and Milan, which is 500 feet.

## French City Supplies Perfumes of Quality

The little town of Grasse of 16,000 inhabitants, picturesquely situated on the French Riviera, is the greatest center in the world for the making of soaps and perfumes.  
During the past year the quantity of flowers used for the making of perfumes reached the total of 13,000,000 pounds. Included were orange blossoms, violets, jasmine, roses, tuberose, carnations, cassia, mimosa, mignonette and wallflowers. Thirty thousand pounds of roses are required for a single quart of essence of rose.  
Called the "City of Scents," Grasse, began its perfume making away back in the Sixteenth century, when Queen Catherine de Medici sent an expert to Grasse with the purpose of "founding a laboratory." The city's busiest period is from May to July. Then visitors are shown great shallow vats of liquid—hard or some other equally basic preparation, upon which large quantities of flowers are laid, so that the greasy substance underneath may absorb any essence coming from these floral heaps.  
When this process takes place the mass of fat is boiled down and other liquids are mixed with it, liquids having special properties for strengthening and retaining the particular perfume desired. Then comes the time to bottle, pack and transport the fragrant scents. No less than 400 factories are engaged in scent making in Grasse, which gives employment to 80 per cent of the population.

## Bat Tribe Members of Animal Kingdom

Bats are animals, not birds. They suckle their young at the breast and are classed by zoologists as flying mammals. There are more than 250 species and subspecies of bats in North America alone. Some of the tropical species are blood-sucking vampires, and others are fruit eaters, although nearly all the bats of the United States and farther north are insectivorous. Usually the female gives birth to one young, but cases of twins are not uncommon. One authority says on this subject: "They never make any nests or even attempt to fix over the crannies where they hide and where the little bats are born. These helpless little things are not left at home at the mercy of foraging rats and mice. When the old bat flies off into the twilight the youngsters often go with her, clinging about her neck. At times she deposits them on the branch of a tree, where they hang, sheltered by the leaves."

## Novel Coined Phrase

The Jewish people are not often referred to as children of the ghetto, although the expression is the title of a very well-known novel by Israel Zangwill. Zangwill, a successful English novelist, wrote "Children of the Ghetto," a study of modern Jewish life, in 1902. He died in 1923.

Ghetto means the Jewish quarter in a European city. Ghettos have not existed, except in Russia and Poland, for about fifty years. Jewish people now living may have had grandfathers who were children of the ghetto but are not in any sense children of the ghetto themselves.

## Movements of Waves

Roughness of waters depends to a large extent upon prevailing weather conditions as well as configuration of the coastline and of the ocean bed. The ocean as a whole is not necessarily rougher than a small body of water forming a sea. Many inland lakes may become extremely rough during a prevailing storm. For instance, the English channel, a narrow and partially inclosed body of water, is known to be one of the roughest in the world. Undoubtedly waves attain a greater height in the open-ocean during a storm.

## At Sunday School

The five-year-old son of a South side resident had just returned from the ever eventful first Sunday school class and was being questioned as to what he had learned during the course of the morning.  
His mother asked: "What did the teacher say to you this morning, Charles?"  
The youngster pondered a moment before answering. Then he looked up finally and said: "The teacher said to keep still."—Indianapolis News.

## On the Ark

Noah (in cabin): "Water, water, not a thing in sight but water. I think I'm going mad." Mrs. Noah (entering from aviary): "Oh, there you are, dear. The dove just brought in a postcard for you." Noah: "Great! We're in touch with the outside world at last. What does it say?" Mrs. Noah: "It's from your Cousin Fanny and she just writes: 'To Big Boy Noah—Oceans of love.'" (They had dove for dinner).—Kansas City Times.

## Far From Perfect

"Why don't you call me a donkey and have done with it? You've hinted at it long enough," said the nepecked husband.  
"It wouldn't be quite true," replied Mrs. Meek.  
"I suppose not. I haven't ears long enough for that animal."  
"Oh, yes, you have. You don't need longer ears."  
"What do I need then?"  
"Two more legs and a better voice."

## Dispute Over Origin of Frontier Weapon

Two slightly different stories appear to have been passed down to posterity concerning the origin of the bowie knife, famous as a weapon in the days of Texas independence, says a writer in the Detroit News. One of these tales has it that the weapon was made by Jesse Cliffe, blacksmith, an employee of Rezen Bowie, father of the man generally known as the inventor.  
Some time after the invention of the knife James engaged in an altercation with Maj. Norris Wright which resulted in Wright shooting at James. The latter was saved when a silver dollar in his pocket deflected the bullet. Drawing his own pistol, James aimed at Wright but the trigger snapped. His father then gave James the knife, saying, "This will never snap."  
The other story of its origin gives to James Bowie entire credit. He is said to have made a model of the knife and a Louisiana blacksmith fashioned it for him. Major Wright appears in both stories, although in the second he is supposed to have shot Bowie in the leg. It was this circumstance, the second tale contends, that led James always to carry the knife on his person thereafter.

## Shoes Discarded by South Sea Islanders

A party of 24 South Sea Islanders from the islands under Japanese mandate arrived in Tokyo recently on a sightseeing tour of the country. It was their first trip away from their native habit.  
They were barefooted when they arrived their class on a Japanese vessel at Yokohama. Among the petty dealers who met the ship was a shoemaker who soon convinced the entire party as well as their gaurdians that they would need shoes before they had gone far in Japan.  
Orders were taken for 24 pairs, and without measurements the entire lot was delivered on the ship before they disembarked. The natives succeeded in donning the shoes, but by the time they had walked the distance from the pier to the railway stations to get to Tokyo they were howling with pain.  
It was the first time they had worn shoes and their new footwear, in addition, was ill-fitting and mishapen. To a man, the natives, once boarding the train, took off their shoes and refused to wear them again while they were in Tokyo.

## Couldn't Fool Langtry

At the zenith of her stage career Lily Langtry displayed a business acumen that made her manager feel about as useless as the varnish on an adding machine. The manager, Edward Michael, in a book of reminiscences, relates of those bygone years that the English actress had "A Napoleonic genius for detail and when planning a theatrical campaign, and, indeed, in all business matters, few things escaped her." He adds that "she was as thorough in financial as in other details and knew to within \$100 or \$150 what her credit balance was at any moment. Furthermore, by some process of mental calculation she would estimate the worth of the house to within a few dollars on the rise of the curtain."

## Sundown

A woman who recently had occasion to visit one of the cemeteries called the superintendent and inquired:  
"Is the cemetery open this afternoon?"  
Being informed it would be open, she asked: "Will it be open until late?"  
The superintendent replied: "It will be open until sundown."  
The woman again inquired: "Will that be according to daylight saving time or standard time?" And the superintendent replied:  
"My dear madam, the cemetery association cannot change God's time."—Indianapolis News.

## Individual Progress

If the popular saying, "There is nothing new under the sun," is surely not strictly true, nevertheless it is quite accurate to state that progress due to any one man is comparatively small. Humanity moves forward at a slow pace, but the thousand-fold accumulation of short steps forward has altered the face of the world. This progressive revolution has only been possible because men have had a thorough knowledge of the accomplishments of their predecessors.—Scientific Monthly.

## Significant Number

Forty is a number that has been regarded as peculiarly significant. The idea may have originated with readers of the Bible, who notice that Moses was 40 days on the mount, Elijah was fed 40 days by the ravens, the rain of the flood fell 40 days, another 40 days elapsed before Noah opened the window of the ark, 40 days was the period of embalming, Jonah gave Ninevah 40 days to repent, the Lord fasted 40 days, and He was seen 40 days after His resurrection. Old English law also featured many 40-day periods.

## Ancient America

Recent discoveries in the Isthmus of Panama lead to the conclusion that the region probably was the most populous in the ancient world. Many large cities have been discovered in ruins in the jungles.

## Great Minds Attuned to Nature's Temples

There is a sincerity in nature, and, in the free out of doors, things really are most often what they seem, despite the vagaries of mirage and the deceptions of distance occasioned by atmospheric clarity.  
The artificial needs a particular setting. The sunshine and the stars and the blue vault of heaven are honest. The groves were Divinity's first temples because they were and remain the most fitting temples in which the Universal Spirit may be worshipped. In the groves, on the mountainsides, by the shores of the seas we find dignity and peace and repose—the something which appeals directly to the soul. There is there nothing of the garish, nothing of the vulgar, nothing of the trivial and small, no distracting roughness of harmony to hold us to the commonplace experiences of life.  
So Socrates went speaking in the open, as did the vagabond Villon when coining his immortal melodies, as did Goldsmith and Walt Whitman—and many another who got close to the heart of the Spirit of Nature.  
So Jesus—Man of the open spaces—spoke from the mountain and the field and from under the trees; by the brookside, and where the murmur of the sea waves filled the mind and the soul with thoughts of harmony—Cincinnati Enquirer.

## Early Friction Match of Primitive Design

The "Portable Fire Box," as it was called, was one of the earliest forms of "instantaneous lights," and was invented in Italy in 1788. Similar to it was the "Promethium Match," patented by Samuel Jones, an Englishman, in 1828. A minute quantity of sulphuric acid sealed in a tiny glass vesicle, surrounded by a compound of chlorate of potash, was inclosed in a paper spill. When the glass vesicle was broken, either by the hammer supplied with the "match" or with the teeth, the acid inflamed the potash and ignited the paper.  
Despite the many claimants, the honor of inventing the first real "friction match" of the kind with which we are familiar today belongs to John Walker, a Stockton-on-Tess chemist. In 1826 he was selling his friction lights for a shilling for a hundred, and twopence for the box. The match was pressed between the fingers in a piece of sandpaper.

## Listen to It Grow

If you wish to try an unusual experience find a clump of eulalia on the first really warm day of spring, when the trees are leafless, the ground bare, and the thermometer hovers between 70 and 80. Then stand quietly and listen to it grow. You will soon hear a sharp click among this hardy, tall-plumed plant that grows on lawns in all parts of the country. It will sound as loud as a snap of your fingers. New shoots are trying to push between the stalks of last year, and the flinty hardness of the dead culms holds them back. Youth will not be denied. The shoots shoulder their way between the bases of the old canes, expanding quickly in the spring sunshine. The strain increases until the old wood gives way with a snap.—Nature Magazine.

## New Yellowstone Geyser

Many people are in the habit of regarding geysers as stable institutions like mountains and lakes. But such is not the case. Geysers come and go with little notice. This is proved by the fact that recently one of the largest geysers in the world opened up in Yellowstone National park. Twice a day the new geyser spouts a terrific stream of water about 75 feet high and continues for three hours. Its crater is 100 feet wide, 120 long, and 8 deep. It is near the famous Excelsior geyser which ceased to spout in 1888.

## Must Be Right to Endure

I am not discouraged. Things will right themselves. The pendulum swings one way and then another. But the steady pull of gravitation is toward the center of the earth. Any structure must be plumb if it is to endure, or the building will fall. So it is with nations. Wrong may seem to triumph. Right may seem to be defeated. But the gravitation of eternal justice is toward the Throne of God. Any political institution which is to endure must be plumb with the line of justice.—From the last speech of John P. Altgeld.

## Too Late

Cecil's mother made it a rule that if he came to the dinner table late he was not to speak during the meal. The other day, as soon as he entered the room, he began, "I say, mother," but his mother quickly reminded him of the rule.  
"But, mother—" he persisted.  
"Not a word," said the stern parent.  
When dinner was over, his mother asked what he wanted to say.  
"Oh, I only wanted to say baby was filling father's socks with condensed milk."

## One More Letter

"Have you got those letters stamped and ready to go?" asked dad as he pulled on one coat sleeve in the morning.  
"Yea, here y'are." The letters were given to him and he headed for the door to go when he was stopped by a command from his wee daughter.  
"Wait, daddy," she piped, "here's a letter I undressed."

# POULTRY

EARLIEST HATCHED CHICKS ARE BEST

## Experiment Shows the April Pullets Produce Good Eggs

Reports from poultrymen in Colorado show that the tendency to earlier hatching is gaining a foothold among successful breeders. Early-hatched chicks make better winter layers, they have found, and the rapid development in the early-hatched chick results in more economical production of broilers.  
The cold weather of this season of the year seems to give much greater development in a short period of time while those that are hatched late and grow during the warm weather are slower in their development. Cold weather seems to retard the sexual development, thus holding back egg production until warmer weather, according to observations of Charles E. Keen of the poultry department at the Colorado Agricultural college.  
If pullets are raised from late-hatched eggs and pushed for production, they attain a sexual maturity before the body maturity is attained. Then the first eggs produced will be small and continue so until body maturity is completed.  
In the case of light breeds, such as Leghorns and Anconas, these small birds which have been forced break down under heavy production and go into a winter neck molt and often a full molt. With the larger breeds there may be less of this trouble with the late-hatched birds, but they are harder to force into laying. It takes approximately five months to mature a Leghorn or Ancona pullet and approximately seven months to mature Rhode Island Reds, Rocks, Wyandottes and other birds of the larger breeds. They should be laying not later than November 1 and not earlier than September 1 for best results.

## Mash Essential Part of Ration for Layers

The mash is an essential part of the hen's diet, for she cannot make eggs economically from grains alone. In the mash should be included some of the common by-products such as wheat bran, middlings and gluten feed. These feeds are palatable and furnish relatively cheap vegetable protein.  
The hen must be supplied with enough animal protein either included in the mash or fed in addition to it. Some of the more common home supplies of animal protein may consist of skim milk, buttermilk or some form of waste meat and, in the summer, insects that the hen can find on the range.  
Repeated tests at the Wisconsin and other experiment stations have shown that hens cannot find the necessary amount of animal protein on the range to make profitable egg production possible. Even in the summer unless the hens have all the milk they can drink it will pay to have some additional animal protein in the mash. In the winter the hen will not drink enough milk to supply her needs and some addition should be made.

## Ventilation of Poultry House Is Big Problem

The ventilation of the poultry house is a much discussed problem and many times local conditions are responsible for troubles. Sometimes the location of the house is such as to interfere with the usual results. However, if the walls of the house became damp last year it is an indication of too little fresh air. There are two methods of ventilation which are quite common. One is the use of muslin frames which may be closed at night and opened during the day. In-house 14 to 16 feet deep one should have one square foot of cloth frames for every foot the house is long. Deeper houses require more while narrower houses require less. Even with muslin frames one must not be persuaded to close them too tightly as this may result in too little ventilation at night. Their use requires discretion as does any other plan for ventilation.

## Feed Heavily

January and February are the months when all flocks should be fed heavily, says T. S. Townsley, extension poultry specialist of the Missouri College of Agriculture. By January 1 most of the pullets ought to be mature and ready to lay, while the majority of hens should be through the molt. Consequently with proper feed egg production ought to pick up rapidly during January and February and reach its maximum during March and April.

## Give Hens Chance

Poor housing of farm hens during the winter plays a big part in keeping the production of the average Illinois hen down to about 50 eggs a year. It takes contented hens to keep the winter egg basket full and poultrymen who do not insure the contentment of their fowls are apt to get high egg production only during the natural laying season in the spring. It will be profitable for chicken raisers to spend money in repairing the old hen houses.

# Winside News

Mrs. Mary Reed and daughter, Ruby were in Sioux City Tuesday and Mrs. A. H. Carter and Mrs. Chas. Needham were in the city the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Christensen and Miss Hattie Koplin of Norfolk were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Koplin.

Supt. C. A. Jones, Raymond Wylie, Hamer and Robt. Wilson accompanied the high school basketball team to Carroll Friday evening to play the high school team at that place. The Carroll team were too fast for our boys defeating them by a score of 13 to 3.

Lloyd Kalstrom had an accident Tuesday forenoon while driving the Gaebler and Neely truck in the west edge of town. While turning a corner the truck overturned throwing Lloyd thru the top and clear of the car, the car overturning and was almost a complete wreck. Driving a little too fast and an ice pavement caused the accident.

The Home Department met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Mark Benshoof, hostess and Mrs. Geo. Gaebler as lesson leader. Seven members and two visitors were present. The hostess served a two course luncheon. The next meeting is February 5th with Mrs. George Gaebler hostess and Mrs. L. R. Kelder as lesson leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hornby, Ed Hornby and Elsie Hornby drove to Howells Monday to attend a hog sale. Mrs. Herbert Moss was called to Sioux City Tuesday by the serious illness of her niece who was operated on in a Sioux City hospital.

The Eastern Star installed their newly elected and appointed officers at their regular meeting Monday night. Mrs. Minnie Mittelstadt was installing officer, the newly appointive officers who were installed are: Chaplain, Mary Wilson; Warden, Etta Lewis; Sentinel, A. H. Schmale; Pianist, Mrs. H. E. Simon; Marshall, Mrs. H. G. Troutwein; Esther, Mable Lewis; Electa, Gladys Gaebler; Ada, Alta Neeley; Ruth, Gussie Needham; Martha, Laura Needham. After installation exercises, the lunch committee served lunch. Twenty-six members were present.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hamm entertained about fifty friends and neighbors at a party at their home Friday evening. The time was spent in dancing and cards. The Brugger and Jensen orchestra furnished the music. The hostess served luncheon.

Clarence and Bess drove to Excelsior, Springs, Missouri, Monday with their father S. H. Row where the latter will take treatment for inflammatory rheumatism.

**EDITORS MEET AT NORFOLK**  
 Northeastern Nebraska newspaper men met in their annual midwinter session at Norfolk last Friday and Saturday, and had a good time, and profitable and interesting meeting. Ex-Attorney General Spillman, now a resident of Norfolk addressed the gathering, and praised the rural press for the many good things they had done for their communities, and gave

**Don't Make a Toy Out of Baby**  
 -Babies Have Nerves-  
 By RUTH BRITAIN



Much of the nervousness in older children can be traced to the overstimulation during infancy, caused by regarding baby as a sort of animated toy for the amusement of parents, relatives and friends. Baby may be played with, but not for more than a quarter of an hour to an hour daily. Beyond that, being handled, tickled, caused to laugh or even scream, will sometimes result in vomiting, and irascibility causes irritability, crying or sleeplessness.

Fretfulness, crying and sleeplessness from this cause can easily be avoided by treating baby with more consideration, but when you just can't see what is making baby restless or upset, better give him a few drops of pure, harmless Castoria. It's amazing to see how quickly it calms baby's nerves and soothes him to sleep; yet it contains no drugs or opiates. It is purely vegetable—the recipe is on the wrapper. Leading physicians prescribe it for colic, cholera, diarrhoea, constipation, gas on stomach and bowels, feverishness, loss of sleep and all other "upsets" of babyhood. Over 25 million bottles used a year shows its overwhelming popularity.

With each bottle of Castoria, you get a book on Motherhood, worth its weight in gold. Look for Chas. H. Fletcher's signature on the package so you'll get genuine Castoria. There are many imitations.

the editors and the finger print method of finding criminals much credit for keeping crime at a minimum. He was generous in his praise of the press, and the aid it had been during his term of office in upholding a high moral standard in the communities of the state.

At the business session Saturday morning officers were elected as follows:

Emil Von Seggern, editor of the West Point Republican, was chosen president of the Northeast Nebraska Editorial association Saturday morning at that organization's closing convention session in Norfolk. He succeeds Nathan Pont of the Stanton Register.

D. C. Sutherland, editor of the Burt County Herald, Tekamah, was elected vice-president, and J. P. O'Furey, editor of the Cedar County News, for the eleventh consecutive year was named secretary of the association.

The editors went on record as favoring that all radio advertising broadcast, be announced as such together with an announcement concerning the cost of the advertisement and by whom it is paid. The editors feel that there is some misrepresentation being made in paid radio announcements in that the listener is not aware a definite charge has been made for such announcements.

**Resolutions Passed**  
 The following resolutions were passed:

"This association emphatically denies and disputes the claim of alleged farm or agricultural publications regarding their ability to give complete coverage of local fields because of the manner in which their subscriptions are secured, which places those publications practically on the free distribution basis. We urge our members and all publishers of country weeklies the wisdom of refraining from making combination offers or acting subscription agents for this class of mediums."

Another resolution commended Editor O'Furey of the Cedar County News for his ten years of faithful and efficient service as the secretary of the organization. The state association members of officers were also recognized as having been of great aid in placing the newspapers of the state high in efficiency as a supporting element for presenting the truths about our great state in a proper light before the world.

The Norfolk people were also recipients of grateful acknowledgement of the debt their hospitality had placed on the members of the association under their hearty and cordial welcome on this and other occasions.

## WHAT EDUCATION COSTS IN TAXES

According to a bulletin sent out by the state university, one fifth of the tax money gathered by the state goes to the university, and that paid 53 per cent of the cost of the institution, the other 42 per cent being 36 per cent in fees from the students and 6 per cent from the federal government which is in part payment for the costs of the department of agriculture.

The question of salaries of instructors is coming up for some adjustment, and information sent out says that the average salary of 330 members of the faculty of the institution for the closing year was \$2,701. Leaving out the members of the faculty holding full professorships the average salary of 243 others is \$2,235, and there is a call for an increase, on the plea that eastern colleges are taking the best of the faculty; paying a higher salary, but at much higher living cost. So, really, what the eastern colleges seem to be accomplishing is to induce some of the strongest and best educators of the university staff to pay more for their living, whether it is really worth it or not. The professors of the eastern colleges seem to have the same desire for added compensation as those of Nebraska, and for the same excuse—the high cost of living. Over at our house, we learned some moons ago to try to make the cost of living come down till the income would meet it, and perhaps leave a little margin for an emergency. Would like to see that plan tried by a lot of public officials.

The athletics are and have been paying their way from gate revenues and other surces that are charged up to that department. The big stadium was built by private subscriptions and receipts for the use of it.

Outside of the agricultural department at Lincoln are the stations for experiment agriculture work at North Platte, Mitchell, Valentine and Curtis. Then there is the state Hatchery department that is in a part educational—at least fish is considered a brain food.

There are four normal schools and some reform institutions. Also schools for the blind and the deaf. Beside this we have a penitentiary full of people who have not had the advantage of a training which should teach them that "honesty is the best policy," and more profitable.

## WITH THE WAYNE CHURCHES

**First Methodist Episcopal Church**  
 William W. Whitman, Pastor  
 What's the matter with the churches of Wayne? will be the theme for our service next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Write out your answer and place it in the collection plate next Sunday or hand the pastor. We would like to have your answer to this question.

The Sunday school session at 9:45 precedes this service. We have a well organized Sunday school and a splendid group of teachers. No one is too old or too young to belong to the Sunday school.

Evening services in charge of the young people will be held at 7:30 o'clock with the following order of service, Clarence McClellan, presiding. Piano Solo: Reading, Miss Genevieve Wright. Saxophone Solo, Maurice Wright. Lesson led by Miss Genevieve Craig. Pipe Organ Solo, Miss Louise Hickenbaugh.

Intermediate League 6:30. Topic: Some People who have Helped Make Our Church. Leader, Clarence Brown. A cordial welcome to all the services of our church.

**First Baptist Church**  
 Rev. A. C. Downing, Pastor  
 Sunday school 10.  
 Morning worship 11.  
 Sermon subject: "The Masterpieces in Art and Their Message to Us." In this sermon the pastor will use as illustrations a picture by Hunt and one by Bida.

Young People's at 6:30 p. m.  
 Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Using again the pictures we will continue the message on "Gospel Triumphs in Darkest Africa." It is very gratifying to note the increase in attendance at these evening services.

**Church of Christ**  
 W. H. McClendon, Pastor  
 Bible school 10:00.  
 The Lord's Supper and sermon 11.  
 Christian Endeavor, Alice Shields, leader, 6:30.  
 Evangelistic sermon, theme: "The Value of a Soul." 7:30.  
 Exposition of the Bible School lesson, Wednesday evening 7:00.  
 Prayer meeting and Bible study in 7th chapter Romans 7:30.  
 An attractive and comfortable place to worship; you are welcome.  
 Special music at each service and congregational singing.

**First Presbyterian Church**  
 Fenton C. Jones, Pastor  
 10 Sunday school.  
 11 Morning worship. Sermon, "The Modern Jonah."  
 6:30 Christian Endeavor meeting for young people.  
 7:30 Evening worship. This is Men's Night. The service is sponsored by the Men's Brotherhood class. There will be good music by men. There will also be a short talk on "Bald Headed Opportunity." A men's meeting with a cordial welcome for ladies also.

**Evangelical Lutheran Church**  
 H. A. Teckhaus, Pastor  
 Sunday school 10 a. m.  
 English preaching service 11 a. m.  
 The following new elected church officers will be installed next Sunday: Henry Wittler, president; Jake Reag, vice president; Herman Sund, secretary, Ed. Damme, treasurer.  
 January 25th, choir practice 4:30.  
 January 26, Saturday school 1:30.

**St. Paul's Lutheran Church**  
 W. C. Heidenreich, Pastor  
 Sunday school 10:00 a. m.  
 Morning worship at 11:00.  
 Luther League 7:00 p. m.  
 Devotional hour, election of officers fellowship hour. All young people especially invited.  
 Catechetical class every Saturday at 1:30 p. m.  
 The public is invited to all of our services.

**Grace Ev. Luth. Congregation**  
 (Missouri Synod)  
 H. Hopmann  
 Sunday school at 11 a. m.  
 Service at 11 a. m.  
 The Walther League will meet Sunday evening 7:30 at the chapel.

**"Her Very Best"**  
 A lady motorist, whose car had swerved across a suburban street and crashed through a plate glass window, was being questioned by the local police sergeant of the accident. "Surely on such a wide street as this," said the interrogator, "you could have done something to prevent this accident." "I did," the delinquent assured him, quite earnestly. "I screamed as loud as I could!"  
 Father—(at 2 a. m.) "Is that young man asleep, Peggy?"  
 Daughter—"Hush, Dad He has just asked me to marry him and make him the happiest man in the world."  
 Father—"Just what I thought. Wake him up."

# FARM POULTRY

## COD LIVER OIL HELPS HENS LAY

### Much Needed in Winter as Substitute for Sunshine.

Cod liver oil is an important item in winter rations for poultry because it helps to maintain egg production, prevents lameness, and helps them to lay strong-shelled eggs. It contains vitamins A and D which promote growth and maintain vitality and disease resistance, says the State College of Agriculture at Ithaca, N. Y.

Cod liver oil is essential to hens that are closely housed during winter. Vitamine D in the oil is a substitute for direct sunlight, according to poultrymen at the college, who say its use, therefore, is most desirable during winter and early spring when direct sunshine cannot be used or when little is available.

This oil, which is the richest known source of these vitamins, is usually fed for its vitamine D; although vitamine A is present in the oil, it is not so important as vitamine D because yellow corn and leafy green feeds contain enough of vitamine A to meet the ordinary requirements of poultry. Poultrymen may use the cheaper grades of cod liver oil because they are less expensive and contain the essential vitamins in the same quantity as in the other grades. In feeding cod liver oil during winter and early spring, add 1 per cent of oil to the dry mash portion of the poultry ration. Roughly, this is slightly more than one pint of cod liver oil to 100 pounds of mash. This quantity of oil in the mash will provide approximately one-half of 1 per cent of oil in the whole ration of grain and mash.

## Satisfactory Rations for the Laying Flock

According to the test work conducted at Wisconsin and other stations, satisfactory corn belt rations for the laying flock must contain plenty of yellow corn, some form of milk and leafy green feed, or a green feed substitute like fine green alfalfa or clover hay, to furnish vitamine A. Vitamine D, the ultra-violet ray factor, is equally important. To get it in sufficient quantities during the winter and early spring months requires the use of cod liver oil or a good deal of direct sunshine or sunshine received through a glass substitute that really admits the ultra-violet rays. Professor Halpin recommended the use of all three—cod liver oil in the laying mash, an open shed or yard for good weather, and effective glass substitute windows.

## Making Mash Palatable Is Problem for Keeper

Making a dry mash palatable so that the laying flock will eat it in sufficient quantities is one of the problems of the farm flock keeper. That is one of the virtues of commercially mixed mashes. The manufacturer has put various ingredients together that will not only produce eggs but that taste good to the hens even though they are receiving a liberal grain ration. Putting in plenty of ground yellow corn and not overdoing the ground oats and bran portions helps make the mash more popular with the hens.

Corn gluten feed when added to the mash makes it more palatable. In a recent bulletin of the Illinois experiment station, they also call attention to the fact that corn gluten feed increases palatability of mash.

## Poultry Hints

- \*\*\*\*\*
- Feed oyster shells to poultry.
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- Grit, oyster shell and plenty of drinking water are necessary in the production of eggs.
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- Feed a ration that includes a good egg mash, some hard grain and some green feed, and good, clean water.
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- If several ordinary shipping crates are available, it is possible to fill these with the hens that are to be culled before starting with the work.
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- About four o'clock in the afternoon the hens should have all the grain they will clean up. The mash hopper should be kept open all the time.
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- During the winter birds should eat one and one-half to two times as much scratch grain as mash, but they must eat sufficient mash to produce eggs.
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- In all cases the amount of grain varies with flock conditions. Heavy breeds consume more feed than light breeds.
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- Culling out the "boarder" hen reduces the extra feed bill and also brings in extra money through sale of nonproducers.
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- Poultry houses which are too high are usually cold and drafty in winter. This may be remedied, easily and cheaply, by putting in a straw loft.

## Sweetness Found in Life's Little Things

It is as great a mistake to expect too little of life as to expect too much. No one is immune from trouble and no one has a monopoly of it, even if self-pity—a most insidious form of mental indulgence—sometimes appears to suggest it.

So many of the sweetest things of life come almost unnoticed. We look forward, says the London Chronicle, all the year to our holidays, but often despise the hours of leisure which, perhaps, are really more important to our well-being.

Retrospection will sometimes make clear how much quiet pleasure a single day has brought—a letter by the morning's post, a word of encouragement which has formed an undertone of harmony to the melody of toll, a child's gratitude for some trifle, even the welcome of our dog "with the soul in the shining eyes of him."

There are, of course, days when duties pall, when friends seem to fall us, when we grow weary of ourselves. There are times of disappointment and bitter sorrow. Yet, on the whole, it is a glad truth that—

In small measures life may perfect be.

## Officer's Dignity Cut No Figure With Pat

A young man who had spent three years at different C. M. T. C.'s was reminiscing. He told several of his experiences in the camps and wound up by relating the following:

"We were all scared to death of an officer that first day in camp, but not so with 'Pat,' whose name, by the way, was Abraham Levinski. The general rode up on his horse to observe the procedure of our being mobilized into service. On his appearance officers snapped to attention and we remained motionless until the general gave the customary 'At Ease.'

"Pat" stepped out of line with a camera in his hand and took the general's horse by the bridle and turned it around. The horse shied back and "Pat" turned it around again. Then he stepped off about ten paces, and with much deliberation focused the camera on the puzzled officer.

"Now, smile," "Pat" soothingly requested, while the company broke into a roar, joined by the general on the horse."

## A Land of Faery

A most marvelous sunset this evening, outside the Bab Djedid. The vast plain in its arid desolation gave the impression of a desert, flooded with the gold light of the level sun. The clouds hung over the many mountains of Trozza and Serd, impregnated with purple and rimmed with bright gold. It was a land of faery, dissolving under the enchantment of the sun, whose power drew forth such fantasies in blue, red, green and yellow. Behind us lay the walls of the city, in the rosy light of evening, which fell upon towers and cupolas. Then in the still air, as the world faded under an emerald sky, came the clear voice of the muezzin calling the faithful to prayer, while through the gates the shepherds slowly led in their flocks.—From the Diary of Russell Beresford.

## Inventions by Women

One woman had the idea to make silver forks and spoons with a curving handle, which prevented their slipping into the plate, such a good idea that it is strange no one ever thought of it before. The traveler who finds his portable desk a joy has a woman to thank for the invention. A woman's saucer for metal containers is an invention in practical demand for hotel storerooms and an important safety device. The same woman invented also a handy needle threader to use on sewing machines.

## Love of Open Inherent

The impulse to get into the open is primitive in us. We love the breath of the spaces not cluttered with houses and rank with the odors of civilized life. Under the stars and the moon we can think clean thoughts. From the busy fields we can drink inspirations unknown to the office and the counting house. In the song of the winds we may hear the cradle lullabies of our infancy or the strange melodies which thus come, different and alone, to the individual soul.—Kansas City Times.

## Gentle Hint

A Los Angeles sportsman returning from a fishing trip to another county reports finding the following proclamation tacked to a tree:

"Notus  
 "Trespassers on this here property will be prosecuted to the full extent of two dogs that ain't overkindly disposed to strangers, and adouble barrel shotgun which ain't loaded with pills.  
 "I'm gettin'—tired of ye."

**Business Disaster**  
 Robert, seven years old, out riding with his parents, passed the local drug store, which had just changed bands. "What has happened to Mr. Brown?" he was asked.  
 "Oh," replied Robert casually, "he's out of business; he went bank-robbed."

**Guess Again**  
 "Buying movement follows early nervousness." That sounds like a stock market note, but it merely refers to the fellow who finally has made up his mind to buy the ring—New Orleans Times-Picayune.

# Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

## RABBIT AND SQUIREL

Mrs. Squirrel sat up in a tree and Mrs. Rabbit was down below.

She had only her usual fur coat on and though it was a cold day she did not seem to feel very cold.

Mrs. Squirrel kept jumping from tree to tree to keep warm but she always came back to hear anything Mrs. Rabbit was saying.

Mrs. Rabbit was an interesting talker, and Mrs. Squirrel enjoyed listening to her.

She loved gossiping and chattering and talking, did Mrs. Squirrel, and Mrs. Rabbit loved it just as much.

Mrs. Rabbit was a little bit more curious than Mrs. Squirrel, but at times Mrs. Squirrel showed almost as much curiosity.

Just now they weren't saying anything very special but they were enjoying themselves.

Creatures don't always have to say anything very special in order to enjoy themselves.

"Cold day, isn't it?" said Mrs. Rabbit pleasantly, as she wiggled her



"Cold Day, Isn't It?" Said Mrs. Rabbit.

nose, flapped her eyes, and looked at Mrs. Squirrel.

"I don't feel the cold if I keep moving," said Mrs. Squirrel.

"I don't really mind it myself," said Mrs. Rabbit.

"What's the news?" she asked, after a moment. "Tell me the gossip."

"I'm pining to hear some. I've not seen anything interesting in quite awhile."

"I haven't seen anything myself," said Mrs. Squirrel. "It was hoping you would have some news to tell."

"No," said Mrs. Rabbit, "I haven't any."

"I only know that Mr. and Mrs. Skunk and the young Skunks are still living under the back steps of your house."

"They're quite like it there, I'm told. They say it's a nice old house, and that should please the owner of the house more than it does—for the owner of the house is so pleased with the house that other compliments should be acceptable."

"And I've heard that we're to have an early spring. I don't know whether that is true or not. One never knows about such things."

"Well," said Mrs. Squirrel, "you're not very full of news, and it hardly keeps me warm just to hear these things, so I think if you will excuse me, I'll take some exercise."

"Then I'll have a little meal."

"All right," said Mrs. Rabbit, "don't mind. If I didn't stay here and chatter I might find something interesting myself."

"I think I'll go for a walk."

So the Squirrel and the Rabbit said a polite good-by to each other, and each went off in a different direction.

## RIDDLES

- What has a head, but no ears or eyes? A pin.
- What plant stands for the figure four? IV Ivy.
- What is it that never gets out of its bed? A river.
- What bird would one expect to see on Halloween? An owl.
- Why are bed clothes like trains? Because they go over sleepers.
- Who takes charge of the lights on Halloween? Jack O'Lantern.
- Which animals would you expect to find on Halloween? Bats and black cats.
- Why is a tight boot like an oak tree? Because it produces a cork (acorn).
- Why is St. Paul's cathedral like a bird's nest? Because it was built by a Wren.
- What is that which works when it plays and plays when it works? A fountain.
- Why is not a distance at sea measured by miles as it is on land? Because it is knot.
- What becomes of molasses taffy when an only son eats it? It vanishes into the empty heir (air).
- Add the letter S to nine, and make it equal only two-thirds of its original value. S added to IX (nine) is six.