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## HEAVIEST SNOW OF SEASON OVER THE ENTIRE STATE

Traffic at a Standstill in Many Localities. Heavy Wind Causes Snow to Drift Rapidly.

### FLOODS THREATEN SOUTHLAND

Reports from most every section of the state indicate the snowfall of the earlier part of the week covered the state with from four to seven inches of snow. A strong northwest wind which lasted all day Tuesday in most parts of the state has drifted the snow badly, blocking the east and west highways in many places, especially the side roads. The driver of Foltz's big truck stated he had to shovel out in one or two places Wednesday morning between Wisner and Wayne; Wright's busses are getting through on all their routes as follows: Yankton, Norfolk, Wisner and Sioux City.

In many sections of the country rail traffic is being delayed due to the heavy drifting of snow. The bitter cold accounted for many deaths on the pacific coast. A blanket of snow covers the entire state of California. In the sierra foothills, 300 automobiles were abandoned between San Andreas and Angels camp, while their occupants estimated at 1,300, sought shelter from the falling snow and bitter winds. In the Los Angeles district, similar conditions existed.

In the southland a serious flood situation impends. In Ohio Tuesday many rivers were swollen far above normal. The greatest flood menace existed at Youngstown where if the Mahoning river goes five inches higher it will force the shutdown of many steel mills. At Memphis, Tenn., the rising flood waters in the Arkansas, Kentucky and Tennessee rivers had driven many families from their homes and the rainfall of the past week continues in the Mississippi valley. In Kentucky the Ohio river has flooded lands near Calhoun, Hickman and at Fulton, Ky. and Rives, Tenn., the water at last reports had invaded the business section of the towns. Many homes and highways throughout Arkansas are flooded and the residents of the lowlands are fleeing to higher lands. The rainfall throughout this state has ranged from 10 to 13 inches during the past week.

Throughout the Rocky mountains severe cold weather is reported. Montana was the coldest place in the region although Wyoming was a close second. Basil, Montana, the coldest point, reported 32 below zero.

## Are Surprised On Their Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ash were surprised on their thirty-eighth wedding anniversary when their children came to their farm home Tuesday evening last week and literally walked in on them unaware, bringing with them a fine supper including ice cream and cake. They were their son, Max Ash and wife, their son, Ray Ash, all of this vicinity, and their son, Fred Ash and wife of Ovid, Colorado who are spending the winter with friends and relatives here. A pleasant, social evening followed.

Congratulations to you, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. and sincere wishes for many more happy anniversaries.

## Rev. Braisted Accepts Baptist Pastorate Here

The Rev. Wm. E. Braisted of Lincoln has accepted the call to the First Baptist church of this city, beginning his services in the pastorate last Sunday, January 12, when he spoke at both the morning and evening services. Members and friends of the church and community welcome him into their midst, extending to him the hearty hand of fellowship and earnest support.

## Wayne Man Surprised On Seventy-Sixth Birthday

John Krei was pleasantly surprised last Friday afternoon when his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Krei Jr. of near Sholes, came to his home here last Friday afternoon to surprise him on his seventy-sixth birthday. The family group enjoyed a pleasant, social afternoon.

## Local Agent Honored At Agency Banquet

The Messrs. T. S. Hook and J. H. Kemp of this city, Mr. Huwatt of Carroll and Mr. Wilson of Wakefield drove to Omaha Sunday to attend the State Agency meeting of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. at that city Monday and Tuesday. They returned Tuesday evening.

Monday evening they were guests at the agency banquet given at the Fontenelle hotel, and Mr. Kemp was honored as the winner of the silver cup, presented to him by the general agent for being the leader in the state in number and consistency of business for the year 1929. As winner of this honor he was chosen toastmaster at the banquet. The cup was in Wayne earlier in the year, Mr. Kemp having won it for two successive quarters. During the second and third quarters, he ranked second, so Mr. Kemp is now permanent owner of the cup. Congratulations to Mr. Kemp.

## WAYNE HIGH HAS GOOD DEBATERS

Wayne High School Debators Display Much Ability Although They Lose to Fremont and Omaha.

Although Wayne high school debaters lost all of the decisions to the Fremont and Omaha high school teams, they had a very successful trip.

The calibre of debating done by the local students was very commendable. In only two of the six encounters was it evident that Wayne had lost. The type of debating can be judged best by the fact that Thomas Jefferson high school of Council Bluffs, the state champions of Iowa in 1929 invited the Wayne debaters to debate at Council Bluffs at a future date.

The sole judge system was used in all of the debates. The judge in each debate offered valuable criticisms of the individual speakers and of the team as a whole before making his decision. In one of the best debates the judge proclaimed a Wayne debater the best on the floor.

The experience gained in debating these schools is invaluable to the Wayne debaters.

Everyone declared the trip a successful one from every standpoint.

## Hold Joint Installation Of Officers Friday Eve

The members of the Rebekah and I. O. O. F. lodges held a joint session and installation at the Odd Fellows hall last Friday evening. Miss Johanna Jensen of Winside and her staff were the installing officers for the Rebekahs, installing the following officers: Noble Grand, Eathyl Lutz; Vice Grand, Ethel Phipps; Secretary, Ida Reynolds; Treasurer, Mabel Johnson; Warden, Bonnie Mitchell; Conductor, Dora Roberts; Inside Guardian, Pauline Kilborn; Outside Guardian, Clara Henkle; R. S. N. G., Etta Buetow, L. S. N. G., Lottie Panabaker, R. S. V. G., Alice Mabbott; L. S. V. G., Stella Chichester; Chaplin, Elma Baker; and Musician, Pearl Dennis.

Henry Soules was the installing officer for the Odd Fellows, the following officers being installed: Noble Grand, O. S. Roberts; Vice Noble Grand, S. E. Bradford; R. S. N. G., Wm. Buetow; L. S. N. G., J. J. Steele; R. S. V. G., M. E. Davison; L. S. V. G., G. D. Lindsay; warden, Nels Juhlin; Conductor, Ed Miller; Chaplin, W. L. Phipps; Inside Guardian, Fritz Denking; Outside Guardian, Ole G. Nelson; R. S. S., Frank Griffith Jr.; L. S. S., Charles Buetow; Treasurer, Rollie Ley; and Secretary, Henry Ley.

## Hold American Legion Convention Feb. 11

The American Legion boys held a meeting at the legion hall last evening. Stress was laid especially on the membership drive whereby it is planned to bring the membership up to the local quota of 110. It was urged that the drive be completed, and all members in by February 11, the date of the Legion District Convention to be held at West Point.

## W. M. Fleetwood, Former Resident Here, Taken By Death Sunday, January 12th

Passes Away at His Sioux City Home at 1208 Summit Avenue Following Attack of Acute Indigestion.

### PASSES AWAY AT AGE OF 73

W. M. Fleetwood, former resident and business man here and father of E. E. Fleetwood of this city, passed away at his home at 1208 Summit avenue, in Sioux City, Iowa last Sunday, January 12, 1930 at the age of 73 years. He succumbed to an attack of acute indigestion with which he first became ill on New Year's day.

Willis Marion Fleetwood was born December 13, 1856 at Memphis, Missouri. When yet a small boy, he moved with his parents to Bloomington, Illinois where he grew to manhood. On September 24, 1879, he was married to Miss Nancy C. Lowery. Soon after their marriage, he and his wife moved to Rippey, Iowa, where seven children were born, six of whom are still living. Mr. and Mrs. Fleetwood moved to Wayne, Nebraska about sixteen years ago. Mr. Fleetwood engaged in the furniture and undertaking business with the late Edgar A. Johnson. He retired and moved to Sioux City in 1918.

Mr. and Mrs. Fleetwood celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in September, 1929.

Mr. Fleetwood was a member of the First Christian church at Sioux City where his son, Willis I. Fleetwood, well known Sioux City musician, has often acted as choir director.

Besides his widow, Mr. Fleetwood is survived by six children: W. Earl Fleetwood, Telluride, Colorado; W. I. Fleetwood, Mande R. Johnson, Mrs. G. K. Johnson, Mrs. E. A. Whitney, all of Sioux City, and Elwayne E. Fleetwood, of Wayne. One brother, Park Fleetwood of Baker, Oregon, and two sisters, Margaret Webb of Baker, and Mrs. Sarah Hinshaw of Hillsboro, Oregon, also survive him.

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon January 15 at the First Christian church at 2 o'clock, the Rev. G. D. Serrin in charge. Interment was made in Graceland Park cemetery at Sioux City.

Those from this city who attended the funeral were:

## Colson Hatchery Installs Incubator

The Colson hatcheries have been busy installing their new Smith Incubator this week. This incubator is one of the most modern machines of its kind on the markets, and is considered one of the most reliable the markets affords. It is electrically heated with steam moisture distributor. It is equipped with a cooling as well as a heating system which is operated automatically. It uses the humidifier which tempers the hot and cold air to the proper temperature as it enters the incubator.

A feature of the new Smith Incubator is that the operator of the machine does all work from the inside, instead of the old custom of working from the outside, avoiding sudden changes in temperature in filling and emptying the bins.

The capacity of this machine is 52,000 chicks, is set twice a week, hatching 10,000 chicks a week. The machine will be put in operation next Monday. Saturday will be visiting day at the hatchery and the public is invited to come in and see the machine in operation.

The Colson hatcheries also have hatcheries at West Point, Oakland and Tekamah, and they expect to hatch a half million chicks by next June. In addition to hatching chicks to sell they will do custom hatching for farmers.

## Miss Mary Tyrrell Is Week-End Visitor Here

Miss Mary Tyrrell, former student of the college here and formerly a teacher in the local grade school, spent the week-end in the I. H. Britel home here. Miss Tyrrell is in charge of the science department of the Hartington high school this year. She has many friends in this city who are always glad to see her and would like to detain her for much longer visits if it were not inconvenient for her.

## WAYNE COUNTY FARMERS GUESTS OF KIWANIS

Local Kiwanians Entertain Wayne County Farmers at Banquet and Illustrated Lecture.

The Farmers of this territory were the invited guests of the Kiwanians and business men of Wayne yesterday afternoon, at a banquet and illustrated lecture given at the Gay Theatre. Francis Flood of the Nebraska Farmers gave a very interesting illustrated lecture at two o'clock, entitled "round the world", which was greatly enjoyed by all present.

The Kiwanians met the Farmers, at the Gay Theatre at twelve o'clock and escorted them to luncheon, after which they enjoyed the lecture given by Mr. Flood.

This was the biggest affair of this kind held here for sometime.

At their regular Monday noon luncheon hour this week the Kiwanians received a report from J. C. Nuss, member of their board of directors for this district, which contains Nebraska and Iowa. He told of the plans that were outlined at the directors meeting at Council Bluffs, Iowa, last Friday for activities of the district during the coming year.

A committee has been appointed to arrange a program for the Kiwanians' Annual Ladies' Night which will be held sometime this month, and from the amount of whispering that is going back and forth the boys are determined to show the ladies a few things about entertaining.

## Farewell Surprise For Mr. and Mrs. Higgins

Friends and neighbors gave a surprise last Sunday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Higgins who are moving away soon to another state. Mr. and Mrs. Higgins and Mrs. Higgins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lindsay, were invited guests at a six o'clock supper in the home of Mrs. Julia Lage. Later in the evening, the farmers were greatly surprised when a large number of their friends and neighbors came also to the Lage home catching them unawares. A social evening was enjoyed and gifts of one half dozen table spoons and a lantern flashlight respectively were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Higgins. Mrs. Lage and Mrs. W. E. Lindsay sponsored the surprise.

Mr. and Mrs. Higgins are moving soon to Missouri where they expect to make their home permanently if they like it there. They have lived in Wayne county since they were married seven years ago, living four years in Brenna precinct and three years just west of Wayne on what is sometimes called the Art Likes place.

Mrs. Higgins grew to womanhood in the Brenna community and was formerly known as Miss Bernita Lindsay. She attended the Wayne State Normal and taught two years in rural schools, one year in Brenna and one year near La Porte.

Mr. Higgins came into the community more as a stranger but has won for himself many friends.

Their many relatives and friends in the vicinity are sorry to see them go and wish them the best of success and many friends in the community to which they are going to make their new home.

## John Kenney Returns To Detroit, Michigan

John Kenney and his wife and baby returned yesterday to Detroit, Michigan where Mr. Kenney is employed as an electrician. They came to Wayne some time last October and have been spending a few months in the home of Mr. Kenney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Kenney of near Wayne. They also visited in the home of Mr. Kenney's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Kenney of Norfolk, and in the Lloyd Weible home south of Wayne, Mrs. Weible being his sister. It has been three years since John was home and his home folks and friends in this vicinity regret his having left so soon.

He has been quite successful in his chosen work and they all wish him continued success. Success too, John, from the Democrat.

## Woodmen Are Hosts To R. N. A. Tuesday Eve.

The Woodmen entertained the Royal Neighbors at a joint installation and social time last Tuesday evening at the Odd Fellows hall. The following officers of the R. N. A. were installed: Oracle, Kate Surber; Vice Oracle, Mae Ellis; Recorder, Alice Mabbott; Receiver, Mary Rleser; Chancellor, Mary Welbaum; Marshal, Bathyl Lutz; Inner Sentinel, Hattie McNutt; Outer Sentinel, Carrie Norman; Managers, Clara Horscham and Lottie Panabaker; Musician, Pearl Dennis; Mary Miller acted as installing officer.

The following officers of the Woodmen were installed: Consul, Leonard Lenzen; Advisor, Carl H. Sund; Banker, George Bornhoff; Managers, M. S. Mallory and Oscar Jonson; Watchman, Clarence Dullerud; Sentry, Charlie Murphy; Escort, Fred Denking; Clerk, Leslie Rundell.

Following the installation, the Woodmen served refreshments, and a dance ensued.

## WAKEFIELD MAN TAKEN BY DEATH

John Baker, Former Citizen of La Porte-Community, Dies at His Home in Wakefield Monday.

Many were saddened by the news that John Baker passed away at his home in Wakefield last Monday afternoon January 13, 1930, at 2:30 o'clock at the age of nearly 80 years.

Mr. Baker was a well known farmer in the La Porte community for many years, having homesteaded in that community with his parents. About twenty years ago he moved with his wife at Wakefield where he has since made his home. He reared a large family of good citizens and was respected by all who knew him.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker celebrated their golden wedding the year before the latter's death four years ago.

Mr. Baker is survived by the following children: John, Henry, Bill, Herman, and Bertha (Mrs. Henry Brudigan), all of near Wakefield and Wayne, and by Carl Baker of near Martinsburg, Susie (Mrs. Fred Johnson) of Wakefield, and Carrie (Mrs. Fred Mathieson) of Allen. About sixty grandchildren and eight great grandchildren also survive the departed.

Funeral services are being held in Wakefield this afternoon at the home at 1:00 o'clock and later at the Salem Lutheran church.

The Democrat joins the many friends of the bereaved in extending to them the sincerest sympathy in this time of sorrow.

## Have Old Time Dance On Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Boyce celebrated their thirty-seventh wedding anniversary at their home near Carroll last Saturday evening, Jan. 11. About twenty guests, mostly friends and neighbors living near them, were present and the evening was spent in old time dancing followed by a midnight supper. It was an evening of frolicking fun much enjoyed by those present. The guests presented Mr. and Mrs. Boyce with many beautiful and appropriate gifts in honor of the event and extended their heartiest congratulations.

Guests from near this city were Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bennett and family and Mr. and Mrs. Collier Boyce and family.

## Lester E. Bellows, Is Heir To Big Estate

The death of General E. C. Bellows of Los Angeles, California, Saturday, January 4, made Lester E. Bellows of Spencer, Iowa, son of W. E. Bellows of Wayne county, one of the two beneficiaries of the estate of the deceased, amounting to \$500,000. Mr. Bellows has already received \$100,000 and will receive an annuity of \$2,300 for the remainder of his life.

## Henry Frevert Buys The E. B. Rockwell Residence

Henry Frevert purchased the Floyd B. Rockwell residence on Nebraska street last week. Mr. and Mrs. Rockwell having moved recently to Carroll, Iowa.

## BATTLE CREEK SUFFERS HEAVY LOSS FROM FIRE

One Third of Business Section Was Destroyed by Flames. Blizzard Hinders Firemen.

### LOSS SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS

A quick response by the fire departments of Norfolk, Meadow Grove and Tilden, to Battle Creek's appeal for help, perhaps saved the entire destruction of the business section of Battle Creek last Tuesday.

Firemen from Battle Creek, Meadow Grove, Tilden and Norfolk fought the fire which was driven by a terrific blizzard for four hours before it was finally brought under control.

Early estimates place the loss at 60 thousand dollars, perhaps it may run higher.

Battle Creek residents give credit to the outside fire departments for stopping the spread of flames when they ran a line of hose to the Battle Creek river, about five blocks from the fire, chopped a hole in the ice, and pumped water into the water mains thus providing water and pressure for four lines of fire hose. The firemen suffered terribly from the sub-zero weather, each quickly being a mass of ice from the water freezing upon their clothing. Citizens of the town served hot coffee to the fire fighters.

Despite the blizzard, hundreds of people from surrounding towns went to Battle Creek to assist in fighting the flames or were attracted by curiosity. Great excitement prevailed as the fire spread and for a time it was feared that the entire business section would be destroyed.

The following businesses show practically a total loss: The Valley bank, Schaeffer Grocery store, Marshall grocery store, Dr. Lund dental office, Dr. Rudloff's office, Battle Creek Mutual Fire Insurance company, and the Charles C. Zimmermann real estate office.

The Valley bank building which is a total loss, had insurance of about 15 thousand dollars on the building and fixtures. Others were partially covered by insurance.

The fire broke out shortly after 1 p. m. in rafters above the second floor of the brick veneered bank building, possibly from a defective flue. Fanned by a terrific northwest gale the flames spread swiftly to the Schaeffer and Marshall grocery store buildings, both of frame. Firemen concentrated their efforts on the Hoover drug store building, a brick structure just east of the Marshall store, and stopped the flames there. Another frame structure is just beyond the drug store.

The fire destroyed about one-third of the business section of the town.

## American Air Cadets Will Organize Soon

The organization of the local chapter of the American Air Cadets of America has been postponed until next week, due to the fact that the necessary materials have not yet arrived from New York City. Prof. E. J. Huntemer states that the materials are expected to arrive soon and the cadets will be organized and ready to go before long. He asks all those interested to watch next week's paper for full particulars.

## Large Hardware House Quits Business

Due to the unprofitable condition that has existed in the hardware jobbing industry over the past several years, and foreseeing no change at least for the immediate future the officials of The Lee-Kuntze Hardware company of Omaha, known for the past fifty years as one of the largest wholesale hardware houses of the middle west, serving a territory from Western Iowa to Utah and Idaho announced the first of this week that they will discontinue business. They are not insolvent, and are able to meet all their obligations.

## Rev. P. A. Davies Will Be Speaker Here Sunday

The Rev. P. A. Davies of the First Presbyterian church of Estherville, Iowa will speak at both the morning and evening services at the First Presbyterian church of this city next Sunday, January 19.

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

Julius Dahlberg of Concord was a Wayne visitor Saturday.

Miss Lucille Norton of New Castle spent the week-end in Wayne with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Urwier of Laurel spent Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Alvina Korff.

Willis Iekler, superintendent at Sholes, spent the week-end in this city with home-folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bathke of this city spent Sunday with friends and relatives in Bloomfield.

Miss Lucille Pritchard of Laurel was an overnight guest in the G. A. Anderson home Monday night.

**Over 200 store buying power at Gambles.**

Louis Kohlmeier of Lyons spent Sunday in the home of his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kohlmeier.

Miss Florence Beckenhauer spent the week-end in Wayne. She is teaching the third grade at Lyons this year.

Mrs. Gus Gardner and daughter, Ruth, of near Carroll spent Saturday afternoon in the Henry Bush Jr. home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Fiekle and children were Sunday supper guests in the August Erxleben home south of Wayne.

The Misses Mamie and Elinor Isom spent the week-end at Wayne. They are teaching the primary and intermediate departments in the Sholes school.

**Modern house for rent on Logan street. G. A. Wade, phone 98w, or call at Democratic office.**

Mrs. Anna Spibe, Mrs. Florence Crandell and Art Burns, all of Laurel, were visitors in the S. O. Anderson home last Friday.

Charles Rubcek went to Wakefield Saturday morning and spent the day in the home of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rubcek.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Korff and family of Hartington spent Monday in the home of Mr. Korff's mother, Mrs. Alvina Korff of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Weigle and children of Laurel were Sunday dinner guests and spent the day in the home of Mrs. Weigle's mother, Mrs. Alvina Korff.

Byron Steward, student here and staying at the C. A. Anderson home while attending school, spent the week-end in Tilden with home folks.

Attorney H. D. Addison went to Ponca Monday to attend court. From Ponca he went to New Castle to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Addison.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Kratavil left Sunday morning by auto for Battle Creek, Michigan where they plan to spend three weeks for Mr. Kratavil's health.

**Wait for spring tailored coat at Gambles.**

Wanted by a gentleman: Room and board, or room, not too far from Main and Fourth streets, also garage near by. Phone this office for appointment.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Davis and children were Sunday dinner guests and spent the day in the Edwin Davis home at Carroll. The Messrs. Davis are brothers.

Mrs. Henry Irwin and two children of near Concord were visitors in the H. B. Ames home last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Irwin was formerly Miss Alberta Luth.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ghl of Lyons and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holmquist and son of Oakland were Sunday dinner guests and spent the day in the W. H. Andresen home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Felber went to Omaha Monday to visit Mr. Felber's brother, Alfred Felber of Laurel who is ill in an Omaha hospital. They spent a couple of days there.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kal and baby of near Pender were Friday evening visitors in the Clarence Conger home. They left the baby there until Tuesday afternoon when they came for her.

Mrs. Harold Smallie's father, Charles Johnson of Plainview, came Monday evening to visit the Smallies. Tuesday morning, he and Mrs. Smallie went to Omaha to visit relatives, returning the next day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hickman spent the week-end in Lincoln. Mr. Hickman accompanying the basket ball team down there for the Cotner-Wayne and the Wesleyan-Wayne game.

Mrs. Harry Wissing and her friend, Mrs. Harvey Rice of Sioux City came Sunday evening and are spending the week with Mrs. J. H. Foster. They will return today or tomorrow. Mrs. Wissing is a niece of Mrs. Foster.

The Messrs. T. S. Hook and J. H. Kemp of this city, Wilson of Wakefield, and Huwaldt of Carroll drove to Omaha Sunday to attend a meeting of the Northwestern Mutual agency this week. They returned home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Haller returned home last Thursday from Ept Byron, Illinois where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Haller's brother-in-law, Fred Felling. They left this city Jan. 3rd and intended to stay longer but the weather here made it necessary for them to return sooner than they expected.

**Pretty Double Wedding Takes Place At Wisner**

A pretty double wedding was solemnized at the St. Paul's Lutheran church at Wisner Thursday afternoon, January 2, when Miss Olga Prawitz became the bride of William Tietjen and Miss Marie Tietjen became the bride of Theodore Otten. Rev. J. H. Tegeler, pastor of the church, read the marriage lines.

The brides were lovely in gowns of white georgette and lace, with veils of embroidered net gathered to form becoming caps and falling gracefully to the floor. Both wore white satin slippers and carried shower bouquets of cream colored roses.

The two bridesmaids were also lovely in georgette gowns, one of peach color and one of turquoise blue, and carried each a bouquet of pink roses.

The four little flower girls were also dressed in georgette, one in white, one in peach color, one in pink, and one in green. Each carried a basket of sweet peas.

William Ramm and Henry Bremermann acted as best men.

Following the wedding ceremony, the two couples received the congratulations of a great number of relatives and friends who were present, and a six o'clock wedding dinner was served; the wedding party and about 65 invited guests at the August Prawitz home which was beautified in a color scheme of white, pink and blue carried out throughout the home in the table decorations, and in the gowns of the waitresses. Pink and white carnations were used as table bouquets.

Mrs. Tietjen is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Prawitz of near Pilger and her husband is the son of Henry Tietjen, well-to-do and retired farmer of Wisner. The young couple will make their home on a farm one mile north of Pilger.

Mrs. Otten is the youngest daughter of a large family of children. Mr. Otten is the son of Mrs. J. Johanna Otten, living in Germany. Mr. and Mrs. Otten will make their home on a farm ten miles north of Clarkson.

**Report of Condition December 31, 1929**

**The First National Bank of Wayne, Nebraska**

Oldest Bank in Wayne County

Resources	Liabilities
Loans and Discounts.....\$513,988.51	Capital Stock.....\$ 75,000.00
Overdrafts..... 862.69	Surplus..... 20,000.00
United States Bonds..... 91,750.00	Undivided Profits..... 20,980.98
Federal Res. Bank Stock..... 2,850.00	Circulation..... 18,750.00
Banking House and Fixtures... 11,863.29	Deposits..... 677,699.43
Other Real Estate..... 10,000.00	
Cash and Due from U. S.....	
Treasurer..... 180,460.92	
<b>\$811,780.41</b>	<b>\$811,780.41</b>

United States Depository for Postal Savings Funds

**Officers and Directors**

JOHN T. BRESSLER, President  
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**Tonight—Thursday**  
THE ARGLE CASE

**Friday & Saturday**  
JEANNE BAOPLS in  
JEALOUSY  
ALSO COMEDY  
Admission.....10c and 35c

**Sunday & Monday**  
CLARA BOW in  
SATURDAY NIGHT KID  
ALSO SOUND NEWS & COMEDY  
Admission.....15c and 40c

**Tuesday**  
**Wednesday & Thursday**  
CHARLOTTE GREENWOOD in  
SO LONG LETTY  
ALSO COMEDY AND NOVELTY  
Admission.....10c and 35c

**Gleaned From Exchanges**

Adam McMullen, former governor, pledges his support to Senator Norris.

The public is warned to look out for a bogus insurance agent who is collecting for the Old Line Life Insurance Co., of Milwaukee. He has no license to collect, and money paid to him will be lost.—Nebr. State News in Wausa Gazette.

Last Sunday, January 12, was the 42nd anniversary of the "big blizzard" of 1888. It was the last of the really severe state-wide storms, and its death toll of human and animal life would not have been so great had conditions been then as they are now. Ever since that terrible storm any little snow flurry in Nebraska develops into a "raging blizzard" in the news rooms of eastern daily papers, the same thing being provided by some of our Nebraska "newspaper string fends" who are willing to falsify conditions in their state in order to earn a little bit by "space writing."

Randolph Johnson passed away at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Johnson of West Point, last Thursday morning. He was twenty-three years old and suffered for about two weeks with scarlet fever which resulted in an abscess of the lungs, the latter causing his death.

West Point—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harstiek Sr., prominent farmers of St. Charles township, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary at their home Wednesday evening last week. Mr. Harstiek is now eighty-six years old and his wife is seventy-two. Both are enjoying good health and are still assisting with the work on the farm.

W. F. Williams, home address undetermined was arrested at Wisner last Thursday on a charge of cashing two 100 fund checks of \$5 each on Tuesday previous at business houses in Wisner.

ing possession Monday last week. He traded his Wakefield residence in on the deal.

Carroll—About 45 guests were present at a miscellaneous shower given at the John Paulsen home Friday afternoon, Jan. 3, in honor of Miss Pauline Paulsen who is to be married soon to Everett Larson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Larson of Wayne. A friendship quilt was given the bride-to-be as a remembrance.

El Johnson of the Logan Center community near Laurel purchased the town property in Laurel belonging to Mrs. Cora Beckley of Thermopolis, Wyoming. The property is now being occupied by the Art Chederquist family who are moving to the property vacated by the J. B. Bessire family. Mr. Johnson recently sold his farm and is retiring from active work.

The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Lynch, near Decatur, was reduced to ashes Monday morning last week at about 2:30 a. m. The barking of the dogs aroused the family but the fire had then gained such headway that it was impossible to save even the contents of the home. Fire was caused by a defective chimney. Fortunately no one was injured.

State Treasurer Stebbins has certified State Superintendent Taylor that the sum of \$503,043.75 is on hand at the state treasury subject to apportionment to the various school districts. This is an unusually large semi-annual apportionment of temporary school funds.

George Bell, father of B. H. Bell of Laurel, celebrated his 82nd birthday Wednesday last week. One

Before the time to put the incubator into service for hatching, it should be cleaned and thoroughly disinfected to destroy disease organisms before eggs are placed in it. Be sure that all down and dirt have been removed from the incubator. Disinfect the interior of the machine as well as the egg trays and nursery drawers with an effective disinfectant, such as a saponified cresol solution.

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All the resources of medical science were called upon last week to save the lives of three members of a Annapolis, Md., family who were stricken with a disease scientifically known as "prussic" which is slowly sapping away the strength of the three members of the family, the secretary of Annapolis chamber of commerce. They contracted the disease New Year's day from a pet parrot which they had purchased in Baltimore two weeks previous.

Some of the most distinguished medical minds of America admitted they knew little or nothing of the disease, which is of South American origin.

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## East of Wayne

Lawrence Ring and Lenus Ring were in Sioux City Monday to look for cattle.

Herb Echtenkamp spent Monday evening last week in the August Long home.

Ralph Ring and Dean Sandahl have been out of school the past week with the flu.

Henry Nelson and family spent Thursday evening in the August Long home.

Carl Oleson and family were Friday supper guests and spent the evening in the Warner Erlanson home.

Mrs. Lawrence Ring called Friday afternoon to see Mrs. Dick Sandahl. The Sandahls have all had the flu the past week.

Mrs. Ed. Larson and Earl were Tuesday dinner guests in the Ole Nelson home at Wakefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Walters spent Sunday evening in the Mrs. Matilda Utecht home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Long and family spent Tuesday night last week in the August Long home.

Mrs. August Long attended a quilting party in the Theodore Long home Wednesday afternoon for Miss Flora Long.

Maurice, Walter and Clara Utecht, Mildred Agler, and Lester Reinwinkle spent Thursday evening in the C. V. Agler home.

Maurice, Walter and Clara Utecht attended a party in the August Long home Friday night in honor of Marion Ring who is leaving for California soon.

Miss Hilda Samuelson spent from Friday until Sunday in the Walter Haglund home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Haglund and family and Miss Hilda Samuelson were Saturday supper guests in the Elmer Haglund home.

Frank and Cora Haglund were Sunday dinner guests in the Alfred Haglund home and spent Sunday evening in the Elmer Haglund home.

Mr. and Mrs. August Long and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Long and family spent Friday evening in the Otto Test home.

Pete Lundgren and Axel Nelson helped Henry Nelson cut wood.

Mrs. Wes Reubeck went to Sioux City Saturday to see her sister. From there she went to Vermillion, S. D. to see her folks for a week or ten days.

Miss Hannah Munson spent the past week in Oakland.

Mrs. Grover Carr helped entertain Dorcas society Thursday afternoon in the Martin Ekeroth home in Wakefield.

Mr. and Mrs. August Long spent Saturday evening in the Ed Larson home.

Lester Reinwinkle spent Wednesday in the Russell Johnson home. He spent the week-end in the C. Agler home.

Ed Sandahl shipped a load of cattle this Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pearson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dahlgren were Sunday dinner guests in the Walter Herman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clemens Nimrod and family and Emil Benson spent Sunday evening in the David Nimrod home.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bard and family were Sunday dinner guests in the Dr. Nelson home in Wakefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tragez spent the first part of last week in the Luther Bard home. From there they went to Norfolk to spend a couple of days.

Nells Munson had cattle on the market this Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Larson and Earl,

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Mrs. Linnestad and Axel Nelson were Sunday dinner guests in the Henry Nelson home. Mr. and Mrs. John Donohoe were afternoon callers.

Martin Johnson has been seriously ill with pneumonia the past week and his condition is about the same at this writing. Dr. Runion of Sioux City was up to see him Thursday afternoon.

Miss Loretta Utecht is still in the hospital and last reports are that she will soon be able to return home. Mrs. Richard Utecht is staying with her.

There has been lots of colds and flu the past week in this vicinity. Nearly every family has someone sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bard were supper guests in the Herrington home near Emerson Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ola Nelson spent Wednesday in Hartington to see a doctor in regard to Mrs. Nelson's health.

Vernice Nelson spent Wednesday evening in the Rube Lindsay home.

Mrs. Paul Oleson spent Friday afternoon in the Clarence Pearson home.

## Concord News

Burdette and Geneva Nygren spent Monday evening at the John Nygren home.

Miss Ann Vollers spent the week-end at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Goldberg, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Goldberg, Miss Reekla Goldberg, and Miss Ruth Samuelson of Essex, Iowa were Sunday visitors at the S. L. Goldberg home.

Fred Anderson spent last week at the Olaf Nelson home.

Mrs. Albert Nygren spent Friday at the John Nygren home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shackelford were supper guests at the John Erwin home, Sunday.

Miss Ruth Samuelson of Essex, Iowa is spending a few days at the Luther Goldberg home. She is a sister of Mrs. Goldberg.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nygren and Raymond Erickson motored to Sioux City Friday.

Miss Lydia Weirshuser spent the week-end at her home.

Gust Hanson was a dinner guest at the N. O. Anderson home Monday.

Miss Hazel Carlson spent the first part of last week at her sister's home.

Mrs. Arthur Anderson,

Miss Ann Vollers spent the week-end at her home.

Mrs. Frank Carlson and son Vern Week in Wayne, Monday.

Mrs. Nels Erickson spent Monday with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Nygren.

Winton and Evonne Wallin were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Edwin Forsberg home.

Miss Theodora Carlson spent the week-end at her home in Concord.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Anderson were Sunday guests at the Frank Carlson home.

Miss Fern Erwin returned to Allen Sunday afternoon, after having spent the week-end at her home.

Luther League held its January meeting in the Lutheran church, Friday evening. The program consisted of reading, Ruth Juhlin; vocal solo, Hazel Carlson; and piano solo, Theodora Carlson. After business session, luncheon was served by Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson, Mrs. Arvid N. Peterson, Maurice Johnson, and Albin Peterson, all members of the League.

### GIRL DEAD 13 MINUTES IS REVIVED BY INJECTING OXYGEN

Little Rock, Ark. - Juda Campbell, 15 year old negro girl whose heart stopped for 13 minutes while she was under an anesthetic for tonsil removal, is now alive and well as a result of a new discovery in resuscitation.

The negro girl was revived after all animation had been suspended, when Dr. S. E. Hoge injected oxygen directly into her blood. Previously it has been thought that such an injection would cause death. Physicians regard Dr. Hoge's methods as a phenomenal contribution to science.

## Sholes Items

J. L. Davis autoed to Sioux City Sunday and marketed a load of stock Monday.

Mrs. Masher was a Randolph shopper between trains Saturday.

Miss Velma and Lennie Burnham were Norfolk shoppers Saturday.

Walter Kric left Friday for Sioux City where he will spend the rest of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brenner spent Sunday with Mrs. Brenner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Capple and family of Randolph spent Sunday at the Frank Lewis home.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Madson and family spent Sunday at the Chris Hanson home at Coleridge.

Donald Root of Randolph is spending the winter at the Will Root home and attending school in Sholes.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Stuckrath and family spent Sunday at the George Hausman home.

Everett Robins returned Thursday from a auto trip through Iowa, Illinois and Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kric spent Friday with the former's father, in Wayne.

T. R. Sundahl of Wayne stopped in Sholes Monday to visit friends. He was enroute to Winner, South Dakota, where he will look after land interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Tietgen were dinner guests at the Henry Lage home Sunday.

Vernie Hurlburt and W. J. Beeles of Withan, South Dakota spent the last week end in Sholes. Vernie will move to Sholes in a couple of months on the Emil Tietgen place.

E. W. Jones of Wayne was in Sholes on business last week.

George Noakes of Wayne was a guest at the C. A. Robins home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Allen and family spent Sunday at the William Benning home near Randolph.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Sellon and family of Randolph were Sunday guests at the Walter Rasmussen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Tietgen and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Burnham were hosts and hostesses at a dance for the Pleasant Hour club Saturday night. All report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones autoed to Wayne Friday on business.

### Fattening Turkeys on Range Is Proper Plan

In getting the turkeys ready for market it is a good thing to begin feeding a little night and morning about the middle of September.

The feed should be very light at first and the amount gradually increased until about ten days before marketing, when they should be given all they will consume three times a day.

In the beginning equal parts of wheat, oats and corn may be given, but the proportion of corn should be gradually increased until the last of October, when they should be fed on corn alone.

As a usual thing, results are not satisfactory where the birds are confined during the fattening period.

### Advantages of Broccoli Over Cauliflower Plant

Broccoli, says a "Vegetorial" in the Journal of the Market Garden Field station, Massachusetts Agricultural college, has two distinct advantages over cauliflower, which it closely resembles. The grower is almost certain of a crop of broccoli even under rather adverse circumstances. Then, too, after the terminal head of broccoli has been removed, side shoots continue to develop, which carries the crop through a long season, from July to freezing weather. The vegetable is increasing in popularity in this country. The variety, Christmas Calabrese, is a satisfactory one to plant.

### Mixed Fertilizers Paid in Wisconsin Corn Test

One hundred and twenty-five pounds of 4-10-6 fertilizer dropped in the hill at corn planting gave an increase of 18 bushels and gave a quality of corn that would be considered by the Wisconsin experiment station on a field near Madison. The field had recently had a crop of clover and was considered to be average corn land for that section of Wisconsin.

Prof. E. Truog, of the University of Wisconsin, says there is a real need for the determination of the right time and method of application of fertilizers. In further studies of the way to distribute fertilizers, the manufacturers of farm machines and fertilizer companies and representatives of the Mid-West experiment stations are co-operating on a plan to study the proper methods of application and distribution of fertilizers. The project has a far-reaching importance and is being watched with a great deal of interest by farmers and agronomists all over the country. Professor Truog is chairman of the joint committee.

### Mythical Giants Known to Eskimo as "Tornit"

The Tornit is a fabulous race which the Central Eskimo believe to be akin to themselves, but much taller and stronger, having very long arms and legs and being able to toss huge boulders as though they were pebbles. The Akudnirmut call them Tuniqdjuait. They lived with the Eskimo in the stone houses larger than theirs, as shown by the ruins that are still pointed out. Under their long deer-skin coats they carried lamps with which to cook the meat of seals as soon as they were killed. They could make stone implements only, no bows or knives, but these they stole from the Eskimo, who were afraid to defend their property until a young Eskimo drilled a hole in the skull of one of them who had ruined his kalak, while the giant was asleep. The Tornit then feared that they would all be killed, and secretly stole away, cutting off the skirts of their coats and tying up their hair so that they should not be recognized if pursued.

The Greenland Eskimo believed the Tornit to be a mythical race of giants who lived on the ice cap, and were seen rarely hunting at the heads of the fjords. The Labrador Eskimo, like those of Hudson bay and Baffin-Land, imagine them to be more like themselves.—Literary Digest.

### Odd Samples of Money Gathered by Collector

Licorice-soaked tobacco, condensed milk, grass mats and salt are among the curious types of the world's mediums of exchange which are included in one of the most famous collections of money in the world. Comprising more than 40,000 specimens, and covering a period of 5,000 years, these treasures took Farren Zerbe, an English numismatist, 40 years to gather. He sold them to an American.

First in the collection is a clay due bill issued in Babylon 5,000 years ago. Then there are the first coins minted, about 700 B. C., and the first paper money issued by the Chinese in A. D. 1300.

A curious contrast is that between a 31-pound copper slab, two feet long and one foot wide, once worth eight dollars in Sweden, and a South Indian gold coin no larger than a pinhead and weighing one grain. Biblical history is represented by specimens of the "widow's mite" and the shekel.

### Thugs Religious Sect

The Thugs were originally a religious sect or caste honoring the goddess Kali (wife of Shiva) by bloodless sacrifice of victims. They are known to have existed as early as 1200, but became generally known about 1800. The method was strangulation by means of a knotted cloth and they preyed mostly upon travelers. Certain castes were exempt, including washermen, sweepers, oil venders, musicians, poets, lepers, bearers of the holy Ganges water and those who had with them a cow. Neither would a true Thug kill a woman. In 1831 the British government adopted drastic measures for their suppression.

### To A Bitter Test

(San Francisco Chronicle.)  
A frantic is a man who thinks you a narrow-minded dry or a wicked wet if you don't cheer up when he talks nonsense.

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### Nation's Export Trade

#### Defiance of Old Saying

American producers have exploded one of the best geographic metaphors. They now make millions annually by "carrying coals to Newcastle." Many "coals," in fact, to many "Newcastles."

American merchants are selling all sorts of products to countries for which those same products are famous, says the National Geographic society.

Apple blossom time in Normandy is no hindrance to the sale of thousands of boxes of American apples in France. The United States also sells perfume and raisins to France, the home of flower farms and vineyards; hops and sausage to Germany, home of beer and frankfurters, and fertilizer to Chile, the world's chief source of natural nitrates.

Peru is the original home of quinine. Yet quinine leads the list of American medicinal worth \$400,000 imported into Peru annually from the United States, a country in which cinchona trees do not grow.

### Impossible to Predict

#### Approach of Tornado

Science has devised no way of predicting when or where a tornado will strike or exactly what path it will travel once it starts. Weather bureau officials recognize certain conditions that are favorable—sultry, "sticky" afternoons following mornings that are oppressive, especially in May and June, with an area of low atmospheric pressure shown on the weather map to the northwest—but the weather bureau makes no prediction of tornadoes. Even when conditions are apparently most favorable tornadoes may not occur at all and when they do appear there is no certainty in regard to what locality or even what state they will strike. Also, no successful effort has ever been made to warn cities of the approach of a tornado when it is traveling in their general direction. Wire service is always disrupted by such a storm and radio would be worthless on account of disablement of a sending station in the storm path.

### Two Rare Birds

Two six-plumed birds of paradise—so rare that living specimens have never before been seen in England—arrived recently at the London zoo from New Guinea. They carry on their heads the six long, racket-tipped spines which have earned for the species its popular name. On the breast is a metallic blue shield iridescent with green, bronze and blue. Save for a silver cushion on the forehead they are velvety black, making the turquoise blue iris of the eye very conspicuous. If they act in similar fashion to a closely allied species, the birds will throw out their body-plumes like a skirt, expand the breast-shield, erect their head-plumes fanwise, and strut about erratically.

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WAYNE MARKET REPORTS  
Following are the market prices quoted us up to the time of going to press Thursday:  
Corn .62  
Oats .34  
Butter Fat .29  
Eggs .30  
Hens .16  
Springs .15  
Roosters .08  
Hogs \$8.50 to \$9.25

J. D. Martin of Richmond, Va., has reasons for believing the old adage, "save your pennies and the dollars will take care of themselves." He received a check a few days ago for \$200.00 paid him by the Numismatic Company, Dept. 633, Fort Worth, Texas for an old copper penny.

The United States spends \$18,000,000 a year for potash imported from Europe. While the United States has made some progress in establishing a potash industry in this country the rapid increase in demand for potash in this country, especially among the farmers demands greater haste in providing a local supply sufficient to meet the demand.

P. L. Bryant, speaking at a convention of Iowa General Contractors, predicted that with the advent of improved roads, apartment home life for Iowa farmers may be expected soon. He predicted that "apartment houses will spring up from the cross roads and whole communities will sleep in a single building, a network of paved roads, connecting farms and towns, will make such a city possible.

Preteler said "the idea of an entire town living in one building with commuting farmers is not as fantastic as it might appear."

According to a survey made in 1929 by three disinterested engineers, only one out of every five sets of farm buildings in Nebraska are in good repair, 15 per cent of the farm buildings are in actual need of repair or remodeling and 40 per cent of the buildings need paint.

They traveled over 1326 miles of Nebraska roads and checked the buildings on 1863 farms while they were working on another extension project for the school of agriculture. The engineers estimate in their report it would cost \$100 per farm to put the buildings in good condition. Very little improvement has been made in buildings the past ten years because of economic conditions.

Mark Woods said to the Lion's club at Lincoln last Thursday: "You can look forward to the next five years with all confidence in the world. Some of the beneficial factors in the situation in Nebraska today, he said, were the federal farm board, the tariff on the farm products which would be a reality within four weeks, the inland waterways; and the Wall street panic.



MOST people know this absolute antidote for pain, but are you careful to say Bayer when you buy it? And do you always give a glance to see Bayer on the box—and the word genuine printed in red? It isn't the genuine Bayer Aspirin without it! A drugstore always has Bayer, with the proven directions tucked in every box.



which taught thousands to keep their money at home and put it in something they knew all about and could watch. The tariff alone Mr. Woods predicted, would save the farmers of the middle west \$6,000,000 and this money would circulate throughout the business world. Water freight rates will bring to this state industries that will make it unnecessary to ship farm products hundreds of miles for fabrication into commercial form. We are at the threshold of better times today than we have been in years.

CAPITAL VALUE OF LAND  
Research workers at the University of Illinois after three years study of 175 farms report: "So great is the influence of the man operating the farm that the capital value of the land may vary from nothing to \$252 an acre. One-third of the farms included in the study returned an annual income sufficient to pay 5 per cent interest on a land valuation of \$252 per acre. This was net income, allowing for depreciation on buildings, expense of equipment operator's salary and interest on operation capital. There were 34 farms included in this group of 176 which had no capital value, as they were farmed during the 3-year period according to the investigators. Farmers in this group did not operate efficiently enough to produce interest on any investment after the depreciation, labor and other expense had been paid. The land farmed by the two pros was appraised at practically the same value and the difference in earning was due almost entirely to the methods of the men in charge of the farms.

The capital value of land is based upon the efficiency with which it is farmed and the prices received for the products produced from the land. Therefore, the actual worth of a piece of land is dependent, to a large extent, upon how much the operator makes the land earn. In regions where large units of machinery have come into common use the capital value of land has been increased in many cases by more efficient farming.

FARM ACCOUNT BOOKS ARE BEING COLLECTED

Farm accounting books which were kept by Nebraska farmers cooperating with the agricultural extension service in 1929 are being collected. It will probably require two months to hold conferences with all the farmers and check in their books, and it will take several weeks more to summarize the books in a uniform fashion. When all this has been done each individual book will be returned to the individual farmer who kept it, together with a summary sheet and a thermometer chart. The chart will show the farmer how he compares with all phases of farming with the average of farmers keeping records in his part of the state.

Information obtained in the farm records will always be confidential. Summaries will be made public but what any man makes or loses will not be discussed with anyone but himself.

Interest in keeping track of things on the farm and studying the farming business is growing rapidly among farmers who are cooperating with the extension service. About 1000 account books were kept carefully by farmers last year. It is estimated that twice that many will be begun in 1930.

UNITED STATES HAS STANDING ARMY OF ONLY 137,529 MEN

The total number of enlisted men in the regular army today would hardly provide even adequate kitchen police details for the National Army of 1917-18-19, the annual report of Major General C. H. Bridges, adjutant general, disclosed.

Mr. Bridges set down the grand total of officers and men as only 137,529. In addition there are about 2,000 nurses, contract surgeons, and West Point cadets. Although it is generally thought that West Point supplies the greatest number of officers, this is not so. Out of 12,175 commissioned officers, only 3,757 entered the army from West Point. The number obtained from civil life was 3,372. 1,072 officers rose from the ranks, 2,229 were appointed from the officers' reserve corps and 266 were commissioned directly from the National Guard.

Willys Overland Will Manufacture Fast Truck

The New Willys Six will enter the one and one-half ton class with a 65 horsepower engine, and with speed increased with passenger cars, with the extreme power and rugged chassis construction necessary to satisfy the severest demands of modern day commercial transportation. Four speed transmission and 65 horsepower engine meet all the requirements for heavy hauling and provide unusually satisfactory performance on the highway.

WYATTS NEW AT THE COURT HOUSE

District Court is in session. Big rush is on to secure auto license before new questions arrive.

District court is in session this week. The only case that had been tried by the jury up to Tuesday noon was Geo. Hofeldt vs. C. & N. W. Ry. Co., in which a verdict was rendered in favor of Hofeldt for \$57.80 for damage to stock in shipment.

The County Commissioners met and for an hour after. After completion of reorganization the following estimate of expenses for the year 1930 was read: County general fund \$60,000; county bridge fund \$40,000; county road fund \$50,000; mothers pension fund \$2,000; soldiers relief fund \$2,000; Wayne County Fair and Agricultural Association \$3,000.

Auto License Questioner  
County Treasurer Steele and his assistants have been very busy the past week issuing automobile licenses. 1720 auto licenses have been issued to date. The general opinion among those who are applying for licenses is they are not taking any chances on being able to answer to eighteen additional questions which will be required under the new law, therefore are playing safe by getting them now.

Some of the additional questions you will be required to answer before securing automobile licenses after March 1, are as follows: Have you driven an automobile? If so what length of time? If you own an automobile, do you agree not to permit it to be driven by anyone who is not a licensed driver? Have you ever paid a fine for violating traffic laws? If so what offenses? What is the maximum speed allowed by law in the following districts: On public highways outside of city or village limits? On arterial routes, if any? Business district in the town in which you reside? Residence district in the town in which you reside? In the absence of a stop sign where two vehicles approach at right angles, which vehicle has the right of way? Is it lawful to pass another car at an intersection, both cars traveling in the same direction? Is it lawful to overtake and pass another vehicle proceeding in the same direction upon the crest of a grade or upon the curve in a highway? On approaching a railroad crossing, what precaution should be taken? Is it unlawful to enter a main highway or arterial from side road, alley or private driveway without stopping? What procedure does the law require when you hear a siren? What is the penalty for reckless driving? What is the penalty for driving while intoxicated or under the influence of liquor or narcotic drugs? Has a driver on an arterial highway exclusive rights? What is the signal to be given when you wish to turn to the right? What is the signal to be given when you wish to turn to the left? What is the signal to be given when you wish to stop? Where should an automobile license be carried?

Sunday Was Anniversary Of Big Blizzard Of 1888

Many early residents of Wayne will recall the great blizzard that occurred forty-two years ago last Sunday. Many lives were lost, and for days afterwards reports were coming in from over the state about the death and destruction that resulted from the big storm.

The storm began mildly during the forenoon of Jan. 12, with a drizzling mist in some localities and a light snow in others. About noon the storm broke forth with a mighty roar, the mist turned into snow accompanied by a furious gale. During the next half day the thermometer dropped to 20 to 25 degrees below zero and snow was piled into drifts many feet high.

Anyone caught out on the prairies was in grave danger of his life, for he could only see a few feet ahead. Children were of greatest concern to everyone, as they were at school, and the day having started mild giving no warning of what was coming.

Many have heard the stories that have been told of the bravery of the country school teachers who guarded the children that had been entrusted to their care. Some spent the night inside of the schoolhouse, with only limited fuel to prevent their freezing to death. Others attempted to reach places of safety, many of these lost their lives while others reached safety.

As reports from different sections of the state, which due to the pioneer conditions which then existed, with the few telephones then in service, mostly out of commission due to the storm, were slow in coming in and told of many deaths from the storm, in some instances entire families lost their lives in the terrible blizzard.

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WAYNE'S LATE RALLY SPILLS COTNER TEAM

Bulldogs Lead at Half But Fall Before Wildcats in Second Period Attack 37-30.

An early Cotner lead wilted before late Wayne Normal rally and Coach Moon's Bulldogs bowed to the Wayne Wildcats, 37 to 30, Thursday night on the Bethany court. The victory marked Wayne's fifth triumph out of the last six starts, the only defeat being by Morningstars. Cotner held an upper hand thruout most of the first-half which ended with the Moonmen ahead, 19 to 13. In the second half, the Wayne tossers outplayed the Cotner team.

Farrow and Andrews  
It was Farrow, a guard, and Andrews, a forward, who led in the downfall of the Cotner outfit. With the Bulldogs leading and only ten minutes of play remaining, Farrow dropped in two field goals which put the Wildcats a jump ahead of Cotner. Then Andrews slipped in a pair and Farrow followed suit to sew the game up for Wayne.

The affair was rough, twenty-five personal fouls being called on the two teams. Schwarz, giant Wayne center, led the Wildcats in scoring, with ten points. High point honors for the evening fell to Haulman of Cotner who collected thirteen points. Score: WAYNE FG FT F PT Andrews, f 3 1 2 7 Felix, f 1 1 0 3 Schwarz, c 4 2 0 10 Langfeldt, g (C) 2 0 0 4 Farrow, g 3 1 4 7 Pieper, f 2 2 1 6 Jensen, f 0 0 0 0 Eicke, g 0 0 3 0

Totals 15 7 10 37  
COTNER FG FT F PT Kitchen, f 2 1 0 5 Haulman, f 5 3 2 13 Shuman, c 0 0 1 0 Ehler, g 2 2 4 6 Murrell, g (C) 2 0 4 4 Johnson, f 0 0 0 0 Mills, c 0 0 2 0 Baker, c 0 0 1 0 Dennis, e 1 0 1 2 Chamberlan, g 0 0 0 0 Lentz, g 0 0 0 0  
Totals 12 6 15 30  
Score at half: Cotner 19, Wayne 13. Referee: W. H. Browne, Earlham. Lincoln State Journal.

WAYNE GAINS SECOND WIN OVER WESLEYAN

Coyotes Hold Wildcat Five Until Three Players Are Jerked on Personals—Score 40-29.

After holding Wayne Normal's strong basketeers to a 17-17 count at half time, Wesleyan saw three of its mainstays—Killinger, center; Captain Johnson, guard, and Dickson, guard—jerked from the game on personals and the Coyotes lost their second engagement with the Wildcats Friday night on the Wesleyan court. The score was 40 to 29.

Schwarz led Wayne's scoring with Fellers the high point getter for Wesleyan. Score:

WAYNE FG FT F PT Andrews, f 2 4 4 8 Felix, f 1 1 4 3 Schwarz, c 4 4 0 12 Langfeldt, g (c) 1 2 2 4 Farrow, g 0 0 2 0 Jensen, f 1 0 1 2 Lindamood, f 1 0 1 2 Stepy, f 0 0 0 0 Pieper, f 4 1 1 9 Eike, g 0 0 3 0  
Totals 14 12 18 40  
WESLEYAN FG FT F PT Smith, f 2 1 1 5 Gibbs, f 1 3 2 5 Killinger, c 0 1 4 1 Johnson, g (c) 4 1 4 3 Dickson, g 1 1 4 3 McFarland, f 0 0 0 0 Fellers, f 4 3 0 11 Underwood, f 0 0 0 0 Jenkins, g 0 0 0 0 Hull, g 0 0 0 0 TeSelle, g 0 1 0 1  
Totals 9 11 15 29  
Referee: Bob Sisty, Midland. Lincoln State Journal.

Cotner's defeat at the hands of the Wildcats was the first time the Bulldogs had lost a home game for many seasons. The Wayne team stayed Saturday to see Montana State and Nebraska play basketball.

TRANSATLANTIC SERVICE HAS BEEN EXTENDED

Effective Wednesday, January 15th, it is planned to extend Transatlantic service to Rome, Italy (exclusive of the yatican City) and to points in the regions or departments of Lombardia, Venezia Tridentina, Venezia Euganea, Venezia Giulia, Piedmont, Emilia, and Liguria, Italy, from all points in the United States and Cuba and those points in Canada and Mexico which now receive transatlantic telephone service.

WITH THE WAYNE CHURCHES

First Methodist Episcopal Church  
W. W. Whitman, Pastor  
10:00—Sunday school. Supt. H. R. Best has been appointed teacher of the senior class. If you are not in Sunday school elsewhere we invite you to join us.  
11:00—Morning worship with sermon by the pastor and special organ and choir music.  
4:20—Vesper service, organ recital with Miss Florence Phillips at the console. A special request has been made by Miss Phillips to repeat the number, "Melodie In F" which she played last Sunday. Special vocal numbers will also be given. We invite all to this service.  
5:30—Epworth League Devotional meeting.  
A cordial welcome to all the services of this church.

Church of Christ  
W. H. McClendon, Pastor  
10:00—Bible school.  
11:00—Lord's supper and sermon.  
6:30—Christian Endeavor.  
7:30—Evangelistic sermon.  
7:30—Prayer-meeting and Bible study every Wednesday night.  
7:30—Choir practice every Saturday night.  
Come to these services and worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.

Grace Ev. Luth. Church  
(Missouri Synod)  
H. Hopmann, Pastor  
10:00—Sunday school.  
10:00—Service in the German language.  
11:00—Service in the English language.  
7:30—The Walther League will meet Friday evening at the chapel.

First Presbyterian Church  
10:00—Sunday school.  
11:00—Preaching service.  
6:30—Christian Endeavor.  
7:30—Evening preaching service.  
The Rev. P. A. Davies of the First Presbyterian church at Estherville, Iowa will speak at both the morning and the evening services.

First Baptist Church  
W. E. Braisted, Pastor  
10:00—Sunday school.  
11:00—Preaching service.  
7:30—Evening preaching service.  
The Rev. Wm. E. Braisted, pastor of the church, will speak at both the morning and evening services.

Evangelical Lutheran Church  
H. A. Teckhaus, Pastor  
10:00—Sunday school.  
11:00—German preaching service.  
In connection with this service the newly elected church officers will be installed.  
Saturday, January 18, religious instruction as usual.

Merrill Whitman Wins In Oratorical Contest

(from the Goldenrod)  
Merrill Whitman of Wayne won first place in the district oratorical contest in the Anti-Saloon League series, between Wayne, Midland, Omaha University and Dana, held at Fremont Thursday, December 9. Merrill Whitman was winner of the local contest.

The victors in the four contests held at different points over the state met at Lincoln, Sunday evening December 12, to determine the state championship. The winner of this contest will speak at the Anti-Saloon League convention in Detroit, to which Merrill Whitman and Jeanette Lewis have gone to represent Wayne College.

FOR SALE

Pure Blood Duroc Jersey Boars, and Shorthorn Bulls.—John S. Lewis Jr. Wayne, Nebr.—adv. J2-BOW.

Chemistry Professor: "Name three articles containing starch."  
Student: "Two cuffs and a collar."

Know the Charm of PERFECT GROOMING

Our regular operators, well equipped with modern beauty devices, are at Madam's command. By regular visits to our shop you assure yourself that charm that only perfect grooming can create.

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Accidents Continue To Take Heavy Toll

For the six months ending November 5 during which the Nebraska Press Association and the Rehabilitation Division of the Department for Vocational Education have been conducting a survey of Nebraska accidents reported through all papers in the state. There have been two hundred and seventy-one persons so badly injured as to permanently disable them. Many of the 3334 other persons injured during the same period undoubtedly will become permanently disabled as a result of their injuries. What these disabilities consist of and how they happened may help others to avoid similar accidents.

Thirty lost one or more fingers. Carelessness in the use of power machinery, evenly divided between agriculture, industry and the home, was largely responsible though infections from cuts and scratches was in evidence. Most of those who lost fingers in machinery also suffered crushed hands.

Sixteen lost hands or arms. Misuse of power machinery was responsible for over half of these while motor vehicle accidents, gunshot wounds and infections removed the balance. Twelve legs were amputated. Gunshot wounds, tractor and motor vehicle accidents, trespassing on trains and infections were the causes. Two children lost both legs in mowing machine sickness.

Falls were responsible for twenty-three fractured hips, three fractured skulls, ten spinal disabilities and forty other fractures resulting in loss of use of members and other permanent handicaps.

Of the sixty multiple fractures producing disabilities, thirty-one occurred in motor vehicle collisions and cars turning over and eighteen occurred in power machinery and farm animal accidents in agriculture.

Forty-nine spinal fractures of which twelve resulted in immediate paralysis, twenty-nine occurred in automobile crashes and ten from falls.

Three cases of total blindness and eighteen of the loss of one eye resulted mostly from being struck by flying objects. Chips from hand tools was a frequent cause.

Explosions and electric shocks were responsible for eleven disabilities from burns.

Where do they go from here? What does the future hold for them? Oh! that's two hundred and seventy-one individual stories but if their futures are anything like that of the hundreds of disabled persons with whom the Rehabilitation Division has had contact, we venture the following predictions.

The man who own farms will be forced to hire more help to run their places. Much money will be spent in efforts to get well. Farms will be mortgaged again until they salvage the wreck. Then the family and the disabled father move to town. He goes into some small business without training or knowledge. The family worry along a few years. The children grew up and scatter. The disabled old man is laid on the shelf or the county and forgotten. If he is a renter or farm laborer the story may vary. The period of his effort and usefulness may be just a little shorter.

What is the answer to the problem which presents each year in Nebraska five hundred and forty-two accident disability situations?

First, prevent accidents. Make our people accident conscious by every means at our command.

Second, assist the handicapped worker to secure the training he needs to fit him for a trade or business and see that he gets a chance to use it. Don't stifle his ambition by closing on him all avenues of employment.

Read the Advertisements.

**RURAL NOTES**

Frank Kohlmeier and Miss Anna Dowdott is a sister of Mrs. Kohl.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. England spent Friday in the Edward Allvin home.

Mrs. and Mrs. Gerson Allvin were Saturday evening callers in the G. W. Albert home.

Mrs. S. J. Hale visited her daughter, Mrs. Harry Beckner of Wayne, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Aevermann and family spent Friday evening in the J. M. Soden home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Weible and son, Jack, were callers at the Lloyd Weible home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernfred Alvin and family were guests Sunday, Jan. 5 in the Max Brudigan home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Soden were Friday dinner guests and spent the day in the Clarence Corbit home.

Have those comfortable old shoes repaired at Wm. Piepenstock's—adv.

Frank Lindsay spent Sunday night in the W. E. Lindsay home. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lindsay.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Korn spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. Korn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Casper Korn.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Weeces and little boy were dinner guests Sunday in the S. J. Hale home northeast of Wayne.

Mrs. L. P. Kenney returned home Saturday after spending a couple of days in the Lloyd Weible home. She is Mrs. Weible's mother.

Those comfortable old shoes are good for a lot of service if you take them to Wm. Piepenstock's for repair.—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Anders Jorgensen and family and Mr. and Mrs. August Slahn Jr. were Sunday dinner guests in the Pete Jorgensen home.

The Misses Eulalie and Mildred Brugger of Winside and Mrs. Norbert Brugger of Wayne were visitors in the A. J. Kirwin home Saturday, Jan. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kenney came to the Lloyd Weible home Saturday evening to spend a couple of days before returning to Detroit, Mich. yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ash of Ovid, Colorado, who have been spending the winter with relatives in this vicinity, were Sunday dinner guests in the Albert Watson home.

**Extra Special low prices on men's overcoats at Gamble's.**

Mrs. John Thill returned Sunday to her home in Oldham, S. D. after spending about two months in the home of her son, Glenn Thill, and family northwest of Wayne.

Fritz and Paul Aevermann had four truck loads of cattle trucked to Sioux City Sunday. Monday, Fritz, Paul, Louis, and George Aevermann drove to Sioux City to look after them.

Mrs. Glenn Thill and little daughter returned to her home near Wayne last Thursday afternoon after spending a couple of days in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. West of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ritze and family of Winside, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beckner were Sunday dinner guests in the S. J. Hale home. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Weeces and son were also dinner guests there.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stambaugh were callers in the home of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Gerson Allvin Sunday afternoon. In the latter part of the afternoon they all attended the vesper service at the M. E. church.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bennett and family were Sunday dinner guests in the Harry Swinney home Sunday, Jan. 5, and spent the day. The dinner was served in honor of Mrs. Swinney whose birthday was that day.

**Special attention to all kinds of fillings. Robt. W. Casper, D. D. S.**

P. H. Kohl left for Cheyenne, Wyo., Colorado last Saturday on business.

Frank Soden spent Sunday in the J. M. Soden home.

Office space for rent on Main street. Call on Dr. W. B. Vail—adv.

Miss Mildred Ross of Wakefield visited home folks last week-end.

Miss Eva Glimsdal, teacher of the fourth grade in the local high school, spent the week-end with home folks at Winnetoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Whitaker moved to Arlington Monday. Mr. Whitaker is going into the shoe repair business there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray R. Larson and family drove to Homer Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Larson's aunt, Mrs. Carl Larson.

Elvin Swinney spent from Friday until Sunday, Jan. 5, in the H. W. Bennett home. Miss Mable Lang of Carroll spent Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 4th and 5th there.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Aevermann and family of Rudyard, Montana were visitors in the Fred Aevermann home northeast of Wayne Wednesday and Thursday. They came to this vicinity at Christmas time and have been spending a few weeks with relatives and friends in the vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. August Slahn Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. August Slahn Jr. were supper guests in the Pete Jorgensen home Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hammer and family came later in the evening. The guests came in honor of little Cleve Jorgensen whose eighth birthday was that day. A social evening was enjoyed.

**Lower prices on Oshkosh overalls at Gamble's.**

Guests at the Ernest Frevert home last Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. Frevert whose birthday was that day were: Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Frevert, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frevert, Herbert Frevert, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gust and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brummond and Elinor, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gilster and children and Aletha Benson. A social evening with cards was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

For first class shoe repairing take your shoes to Wm. Piepenstock, 108 Main street.—adv.

**Miss Conn's Music Students In Recital**

Miss Ardath Conn's music students will appear in a recital in the college auditorium on January 21.

**The Program**

Hills of Home ..... Fox  
Sleigh Song ..... Kountz  
Elinor Lindbergh  
Full Many A Dream ..... Henchel  
Gondola Song ..... Clarke  
If My Song Had Wings ..... Hahn  
Mildred Moses  
The East Song ..... Roge  
Come to the Fair ..... Folk  
Major and Minor ..... Spross  
Frederick Berry  
Regrava il Silenzio (from opera Lucia) ..... di Sammermoor  
Wind Song ..... Farley  
Blue Danube ..... Strauss  
Martha Markytan

**Thirty Four Cases of Parrot Fever Reported**

Federal authorities state that unofficial reports show that thirty-four cases of "parrot fever" or pistacosis in addition to three deaths have been reported in the nine states affected.

Surgeon General Cumming of the public health service Monday night telegraphed asking for co-operation in a nation wide investigation of the serious illness in the numerous cases attributed to "parrot fever." Health officials state that state cases so far have been reported in Pennsylvania, New York, Rhode Island, Maryland, Massachusetts, Ohio, Florida, California and Minnesota.

**La Porte News**

The storm which visited this section Tuesday blockaded the roads in several places.

Mr. and Mrs. August Kay spent Sunday afternoon at the John Meyer home near Winside.

Many were made sad Tuesday upon receipt of the news of the death of John Baker of Wakefield. Mr. Baker lived for many years in the La Porte neighborhood. He reared a large family of good citizens and was respected by all who knew him. Mr. Baker passed away very suddenly.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ritze and family of Winside spent Sunday at the S. J. Hale home.

Mrs. Herman Heinemann entertained the members of the Salem Lutheran Aid Thursday afternoon. Luncheon was served.

Mrs. Rollie McQuistian entertained the members of the Pleasant Valley Aid Wednesday of last week. A quilt was tied and a short program rendered. Mrs. McQuistian served luncheon at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Brudigan spent Saturday evening at the August Kay home and spent Thursday with Mrs. Mary Doring of Wayne.

Miss Gertrude Lutt who is teaching in Coleridge spent the week-end with friends in Wayne. She could not get to her home as her people are quarantined with scarlet fever.

Francis Lutt has been quite ill with scarlet fever. Mrs. Schwartz of Sioux City is caring for her. Mrs. Johanna Lutt and Louis Lutt are ill with throat trouble. Miss Vera Wheeler of Coleridge is helping care for them.

Sunday evening a group of relatives gathered at the John Sievers home in honor of the birthday of Wm. Seivers of California who is visiting here. Mr. Seivers likes California and expects to return there in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Korn entertained Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bierman, Armin and Ella, Mr. and Mrs. Casper Korn and Emma Korn, Mr. and Mrs. John Sievers and family and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gust and family, Sunday evening in honor of Rosalie's fifth birthday.

**LaPorte Community Club Entertained**

The members of the La Porte Community club entertained their husbands January 8 at the F. C. Sandahl home. A delicious luncheon was served at one o'clock by Mrs. Sandahl, Mrs. Ray Agler and Mrs. Chauncey Agler.

Mrs. E. M. Laughlin was in charge of the entertainment. In guessing how long a candle would burn Mr. Carl Sun'ell won a pair of candles by missing the time only three minutes. Mrs. Otto Lutt came nearest to estimating the number of peas in a pot and received a can of peas.

A buff orpington and a leghorn rooster were pitted against each other in an eating contest. Mrs. S. J. Hale won in her estimate of their ability.

In three contests between the men on one side and the women on the other, the men won twice. Edgar Larson and Frank Hoglund taking high score.

At the close of the afternoon Edgar Larson proposed the toast "Our Cooks." Mrs. Ray Agler responded with "Our Providers." Thirty-eight people were present. An unusually pleasant afternoon was spent.

The next meeting will be in February at the Frank Haglund home. Mrs. Ray Agler will be assistant hostess.

**Winside News**

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Associate Patron, R. E. Gormley.  
Conductress, Meta Weible.  
Associate Conductress, Ida Moses.  
Secretary, Julia Gaebler.  
Treasurer, G. A. Mittelstadt.  
Marshal, Leona Trautwein.  
Ada, Alta Neely.  
Ruth, Gussie Needham.  
Esther, Trix Prince.  
Martha, Lora Needham.  
Electa, Gladys Gaebler.  
Organist, Mabel Schmale.  
Warden, Etta Lewis.  
Sentinel, Mary Roberts.

The lunch committee, Mrs. G. A. Mittelstadt, Mrs. Minnie Morrow and Miss Louise Laufenbaugh, served at the Francis Cafe.

**I. O. F. and Rebekah Installation.**

District Deputy Grand Master, Henry Soutes and his staff at Wayne installed the officers of the I. O. F. lodge, Monday evening. Following this installation, Miss Johanna Jensen, installing officer in the Rebekah lodge, installed the Rebekah officers. There were 47 members present. Following the installation the members and visitors enjoyed an oyster supper and social hour.

**M. E. Aid Society Meeting.**

Mrs. P. C. Andersen and Mrs. Fred Erickson were hostesses to the Ladies Aid Tuesday afternoon in the church parlors.

**Womans Club Luncheon.**

Mrs. Walter Gaebler entertained the members of the Womans club at a 1 o'clock luncheon Thursday.

Following luncheon, a regular business meeting was held and the program for the afternoon, with Mrs. Mae Huffaker, leader, was carried out as follows:

Roll Call—Household hint.  
History of Alaska—Mrs. V. L. Siman.  
Resources of Alaska—Mrs. Harry Tidrick.  
Piano Solo—Mrs. H. E. Siman.  
Native People—Mrs. Fred Weible.

**FOR SALE**

**AT A BIG BARGAIN**

6 room house, lot 75x150, good small barn, coal house, good cave, nice lawn with fruit trees and other trees, has lights and city water. Located on the parentment. Payment fully paid.

**Price \$2500**

**Martin L. Ringer**

WAYNE

**Real Estate Insurance**

**Stock Shipments Of The Past Week**

Several cars of cattle and five cars of hogs were shipped out from Wayne during the past week.

Pierce and Newman, shipped three cars of cattle to Sioux City, Jan. 8; Maggoner Garrison and Abbott Commission Company, shipped two cars of hogs to Sioux City, Jan. 8; Waitt & Lake Commission Company, shipped one car of hogs to Sioux City, Jan. 8; Swanson, Gilmore & Carroll, shipped one car of hogs to Sioux City, Jan. 9; Jensen Sterba Commission Company, shipped one car of cattle to Omaha, Jan. 12; Wood Oswald Co., shipped one car of cattle to Omaha, Jan. 12; Mutual Live Stock Commission Co. shipped one car of cattle to Omaha, Jan. 13; Frank E. Scott Commission company, shipped one car of hogs to Sioux City, Jan. 13.

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS**

There were three deeds recorded during the past week as follows: Elizabeth Giese and husband to Stella Chichester, north half of east 50 feet of lots 7, 8 and 9, block 3, original township of Wayne, Nebr. Consideration \$550. Deed filed Jan. 7.

Stella Chichester to Elizabeth Giese east 50 feet of lot 9, in block 3, original town of Wayne, Nebr. Consideration \$552. Deed filed Jan. 7.

Herman Otto and wife to George Bodenstedt, all of lots 4 and 5 in block 10, in original township of Carroll, Wayne county, Nebr. Consideration \$4,000. Deed filed Jan. 7.

**Wilbur**

Otto Sabs shelled corn Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hansen and family spent Thursday evening in the Louis Gramberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Schroeder and family spent Saturday evening in the Wm. Hansen home.

Ernest Smith called Saturday at the Irve Reed home.

The Sunshine club meets with Mrs. Oscar Jonson, Jan. 30.

Keith Reed, who attends school at the college spent the week-end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hansen were Sunday dinner guests in the Arthur Heithold home near Hoskins.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hansen and family spent Sunday evening in the Fred Otte home.

Mrs. Fred Beckman has been on the sick list the past week but is much improved at this writing.

Gerald Hicks, who teaches near Hoskins spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hicks.

Herman Franzen spent last week in the home of his sister, Mrs. Fred Otte.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sabs and family and Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Meyers and family spent Sunday afternoon and evening in the Otto Sabs home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Link and son from Carroll spent Sunday evening in the Frank Hicks home.

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Mrs. and Mrs. Ed Grier and family were Sunday dinner guests in the Harry Lessman home.

Mrs. Oscar Jonson and Mrs. Wm. Wagner met Saturday evening with Mrs. Roy Pierson to plan programs for the Sunshine club for the year 1930.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunklan and family spent Friday evening in the Fred Otte home.

Read the advertisements.

**Alvin Bruce Goes To Fullerton, Nebr.**

Mr. Alvin J. Bruce, who has been employed with Robert C. Moore's local store, for the past several months, left last Monday for Fullerton, Nebr., where Mr. Moore is opening up a new store in which he will be employed. Mr. Bruce is a very efficient salesman and has made many friends here who will regret to learn of his departure for the new field and will wish him success in his new location.

**Wise Decision.**  
(Northern Goat)  
"Well, sam," asked the aviator, "how would you like a trip among the clouds?"  
"No, sah!" exclaimed Sam, fervently, "Ah stays on terra firma, an' de mo firmah de less terrah."

**ORANGE SPECIAL**

Small—for Juice and school lunch  
**3 doz. \$1.00**

Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

**Cauliflower**  
Very fine  
**12c lb.**

**Spinach**  
**2 lbs. 29c**

**Grapefruit**  
Sweet, Seedless  
**5 for 23c**

**ORR & ORR GROCERS**

PPONE 5.  
"A SAFE PLACE TO SAVE"

**OUR COFFEE PRICES ARE LOW**

In fact they are back to pre war level. Our sales indicate that they are right. Last Saturday our coffee sales were the largest in years.

**OUR PRICES:**  
CREOLE, the finest blend - 49c  
CHARM, a 50c value - 44c  
FAMILY BLEND, a real value 39c

**SPECIALS**

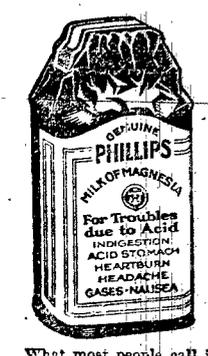
White Laundry Soap  
10 bars 42c

Hardwater Castile Soap  
10 bars 67c

Frosted Cookies  
2 lb. bag 47c

Plain Cookies  
2 lb. bag 35c

Robb Ross Fruit Jell  
5 pkgs. 33c



**Indigestion**  
Immediate Relief!

What most people call indigestion is usually excess acid in the stomach. The food has soured. The instant remedy is an alkali which neutralizes acids. But don't see crude helps. Use what your doctor would advise.

The best help is Phillips' Milk of Magnesia. For the 50 years since its invention it has remained standard with physicians. You will find nothing else so quick in its effect, so harmless, so efficient.

One teaspoonful in water neutralizes many times its volume in acid. The results are immediate, with no bad after-effects. Once you learn this fact, you will never deal with excess acid in the crude ways. Go learn—now—why this method is supreme.

Be sure to get the genuine Phillips' Milk of Magnesia prescribed by physicians for 50 years in correcting excess acids. 25c and 50c a bottle—any drugstore.

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The lunch committee, Mrs. G. A. Mittelstadt, Mrs. Minnie Morrow and Miss Louise Laufenbaugh, served at the Francis Cafe.

**I. O. F. and Rebekah Installation.**

District Deputy Grand Master, Henry Soutes and his staff at Wayne installed the officers of the I. O. F. lodge, Monday evening. Following this installation, Miss Johanna Jensen, installing officer in the Rebekah lodge, installed the Rebekah officers. There were 47 members present. Following the installation the members and visitors enjoyed an oyster supper and social hour.

**M. E. Aid Society Meeting.**

Mrs. P. C. Andersen and Mrs. Fred Erickson were hostesses to the Ladies Aid Tuesday afternoon in the church parlors.

**Womans Club Luncheon.**

Mrs. Walter Gaebler entertained the members of the Womans club at a 1 o'clock luncheon Thursday.

Following luncheon, a regular business meeting was held and the program for the afternoon, with Mrs. Mae Huffaker, leader, was carried out as follows:

Roll Call—Household hint.  
History of Alaska—Mrs. V. L. Siman.  
Resources of Alaska—Mrs. Harry Tidrick.  
Piano Solo—Mrs. H. E. Siman.  
Native People—Mrs. Fred Weible.

# Wayne Public School News

**Assembly**  
 Fern Crawford played the assembly march last week.  
 The regular teacher's meeting was held January 7.  
 The last week of the first semester ends January 17. The report cards will be passed out Tuesday noon.  
 Some changes will be made in the schedule for the next semester. General science will be taught in place of physiology. The solid geometry class will study trigonometry. The English I class will enter the English II B class. A beginning ancient history class will also be given.  
 Students are working on the opera which will be presented in the near future.  
 The debating team Ralph Jacques, Mary Jane Morgan, and Helen Hanson, met the Hartington team before the Laurel high school assembly last Thursday afternoon. No decision was given as the debate was a practice debate.  
 The debaters went to Fremont last Thursday afternoon and met the Fremont high school team that evening. From Fremont the Wayne debaters went to Omaha where they met the Central high and Technical high debate teams on Friday.  
 The second basketball game of the season was held at Randolph Friday evening.  
 Friday morning from 10:10 to 11:00 the high school classes heard the series of programs presented by Walter Damrosch. The programs are sponsored by the National broadcasting Co.  
 The freshman declamatory tryout was held Wednesday afternoon. The eleven best students were chosen to enter the declamatory contest. They are the following: Elsie Honawitz, Gladys Barnett, Kathryn Crayen, Elaine Gildersleeve, Isabel Hanson, Lucille Surber, Mary Alice Strahan, Walter Savidge, Jeanne Wright, Donald Whitman and John Von Seggern. Miss Cole, Mr. Bohl and Mr. Best acted as judges.  
 Bertha Luders is playing the assembly march this week.

**Commercial**  
 The bookkeeping class has been studying purchase and sales discount. The columnar cash book has been taken up.  
 The typing class mimeographed a magazine for the eighth grade.

**Music**  
 The high school heard the Appreciation hour given by Walter Damrosch on Friday morning, Series M, which is music inspired by legends, and Series D, dance forms, made up the program.

**Office**  
 Since the first of the year the public school has been using a system of bulletins put out by the Babson Institute. The material furnished by this Institute is placed on the bulletin board for the students' observation.  
 The purpose of such a system is to carry out an educational program to develop the citizenship and the character of the students.  
 A carnival will be held in the high school gymnasium on Friday, January 17.

**Assembly**  
 There will be a large and varied number of entertainments and there will be nothing over ten cents.  
 Two main features of the carnival will be a minstrel show and a musical extravaganza.  
 A beauty contest is also being sponsored. One entry from each class has been chosen. Votes for the contest will be sold for a penny a piece.  
 This carnival is being given by the school, yet the public is invited and urged to give their patronage.

**Athletes**  
 Wayne high first team defeated Winside first team 34 to 6 in the first game of the season. Winside second team defeated Wayne second 12 to 4 Monday January 6.  
 The basketball schedule for the season is as follows:  
 January 10—Randolph, there.  
 January 15—West Point, here.  
 January 17—Tentative, Norfolk, there.  
 January 24—Wisner, here.  
 January 27—Pierce, here.  
 January 31—Hartington, there.  
 February 3—Emerson, here.  
 February 14—South Sioux, there.  
 February 21—Wakefield, here.  
 February 28—Pierce, there.  
 All home games are to be played at the college gymnasium.

**Senior Notes**  
 The physics class is starting the study of change of state, which includes methods of finding specific heat, heat of fusion and heat of vaporization.  
 The French II class is learning some of La Fontaine's Fables for the purpose of pronunciation. They are having an intensive drill of idioms and irregular verbs.  
 The English IV class has studied the choice of words and figures of speech, and were given a test over this work last Friday.  
 The U. S. History class is drawing outlines of the campaigns of the union forces in the Civil war. They also drew maps showing where the most important battles took place.  
 The solid geometry class is working problems in review of the semester's work.

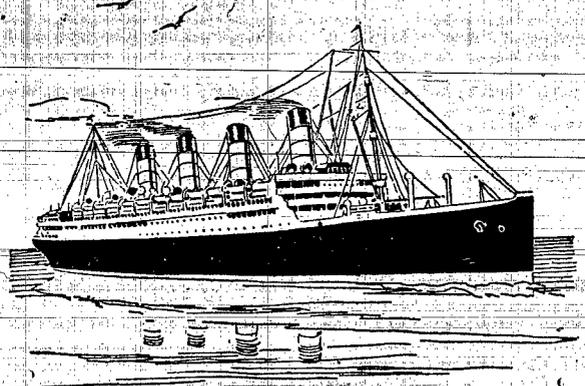
**Junior Notes**  
 The English literature class took a test over the completed Age of Pope. They will now take up the study of the Age of Johnson. Oliver Goldsmith's "The Deserted Village" will be studied in detail.  
 The Algebra II class is working on Graphs and is finishing up the semester's work.  
 The class in French is stressing the regular and irregular verbs at present.  
 The Cicero class is completing Cicero's second oration. A test will be given on the oration next week.

**Tenth Grade**  
 The students of the tenth grade English class have completed the short story books. They are writing original short stories. They are making a scrap book containing pictures of characters from their favorite short story.  
 The students of the tenth grade Latin class will have their last test of the first semester the first of next week. They will continue with the same book.  
**Ninth Grade**  
 The algebra I class has been studying the factoring of the difference of two squares.  
 The physiography class has been studying fur-bearing animals.  
 The agriculture I class has completed the study of cotton and has begun the study of tobacco.  
 The Latin I class have been finishing tests for this semester.  
 English I class has been having a drill in oral and written composition.

**TO F. M. SKEEN**  
 You are hereby notified that on the 2nd day of September 1927, I bought at private tax sale as provided by law, of the County Treasurer of Wayne County, Nebraska, Roosevelt Park Outlot No. 1 (one) of Wayne, Nebraska, for the taxes on said outlot for the years 1912 to 1925 inclusive, amounting to \$32.43 and that I have since paid the subsequent taxes for the years 1926, 1927 and 1928 amounting to \$6.49. Said property was assessed in name of F. M. Skeen.  
 You are further notified that the time in which you may redeem said property will expire on the 15th of February 1930, and unless same is redeemed by that date, I will apply to the County Treasurer of the County of Wayne, Nebraska, for a deed therefor.  
 Dated this 28th day of December 1929.  
 EDWARD PERRY, Purchaser.

**SHERIFF'S SALE**  
 By virtue of an Execution to me directed, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, upon a judgment rendered in said court in favor of the State of Nebraska, against the said F. M. Skeen, do hereby sell at public sale, to-wit: Lot Eleven (11) and Twelve (12) in Block Two (2) Bressler and Paterson addition to the Village of Winside, Wayne County Nebraska, to satisfy the aforesaid decree, the amount due thereon being \$3715.38 with interest at 6 per cent from September 22nd, 1923, and costs and accruing costs.  
 Dated at Wayne, Nebraska this 18th day of December 1929.  
 A. W. STEPHENS, Sheriff.

# Provisioning the Aquitania



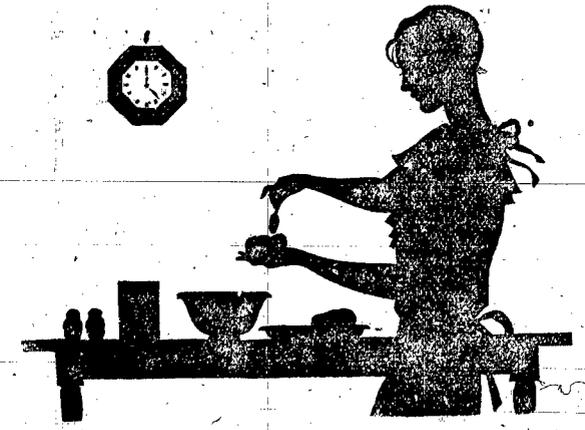
**SUPPLYING** food for 16 million meals is no soft job. This is what Catering Superintendent William H. Allison does for the Cunard fleet yearly. This amount of food would fill a train of cars reaching half-way across the United States.  
 Among the items which Supt. Allison has to think of before a single ship, the Aquitania, sails, are 50,000 pounds of meat, 50,000 pounds of potatoes, 12,000 pounds of fish and 12,000 pounds of sugar and 60,000 eggs.  
**A Week without a Cow**  
 "Everything must be aboard before she starts," says Supt. Allison, "imagine what would happen if we failed to provide the milk, for instance. There are no opportunities to replenish on the wide Atlantic."  
 Five hundred gallons of canned condensed milk are used during the six and a fraction days it takes to make the crossing from New York to Southampton in the rush season. In the days when Charles Dickens made his transatlantic trip, no one had ever heard of milk in cans. Cows were driven aboard, and the ships took on something of the appearance of floating barnyards. Gail Borden, the inventor of canned milk, made the trip in 1851, and seeing babies die of starvation because they could not drink the milk of cows tossed about at sea, he finally perfected a process which is still the basis of the world's condensed and evaporated milk industry.  
 Two hundred tins of assorted biscuits are also on the commissary list. These, as fresh as the day they were baked, bear no resemblance to the soggy biscuits which used to absorb the sea's dampness before the days of tins.\*

braska, upon a decree rendered therein at the April 1923 term thereof, in an action pending in said court wherein William McMillan was plaintiff and Henry Thielholdt and Maggie Thielholdt were defendants. I will, on the 20th day of January, 1930 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: Lot Eleven (11) and Twelve (12) in Block Two (2) Bressler and Paterson addition to the Village of Winside, Wayne County Nebraska, to satisfy the aforesaid decree, the amount due thereon being \$3715.38 with interest at 6 per cent from September 22nd, 1923, and costs and accruing costs.  
 Dated at Wayne, Nebraska this 18th day of December 1929.  
 A. W. STEPHENS, Sheriff.

**NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL**  
 The State of Nebraska, Wayne County, ss.  
 At a County Court, held at the County Court Room, in and for said County of Wayne, on the 31st day of December, 1929.  
 Present, J. M. Cherry, County Judge.  
 In the matter of the estate of Charles E. Linn, deceased.  
 On reading and filing the petition of John Magdanz, praying that the instrument filed on the 9th day of February, 1929, and purporting to be the last Will and Testament of said deceased, may be proved, approved, probated, allowed and recorded as the last Will and Testament of said Charles E. Linn deceased, and that the execution of said instrument may be committed and that the administration of said estate may be granted to Jas. E. Brittain, as administrator with the will annexed.  
 ORDERED, That January 17, A. D. 1930, at 10 o'clock A. M., is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a County Court to be held in and for said County, and show cause why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted; and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Nebraska Democrat, a weekly newspaper printed in said County, three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.  
 (seal) J. M. CHERRY, County Judge.

**Dead Stock Wanted!**  
 We pay phone calls for hogs, cattle and horses. No removal charge. Prompt service.  
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# Recipes for the Bachelor Girl



**The bachelor girl who likes to cook her own meals and occasionally have a guest has difficulties confronting her which may be summed up in the phrase: How to buy little enough food to avoid waste.**  
 But several agencies have combined to help her. Canners put out fruits and vegetables in eight-ounce cans which hold a cup and cost ten cents. Evaporated milk solves her milk problem, for it obviates the nuisance of attending to milk bottles and milk tickets and the problem of storing milk. Evaporated milk will keep well after being opened, if it is not all used at once, and the unopened cans can stand on the kitchen shelf ready at all times for use.  
**Recipes for Two**  
 Some recipes which serve two and include this time-saving milk are:  
**Stuffed Tomatoes:** Cut off stem and remove pulp of two large tomatoes. Mix two tablespoons chopped, canned okra with one tablespoon bread crumbs and season with salt and pepper. Fill tomatoes with mixture. Bake in a hot oven (450°) for fifteen minutes, then reduce heat to medium, 350°, for fifteen minutes. Make a cheese sauce by melting one tablespoon butter in a pan; add three tablespoons grated cheese and heat slowly until melted. Add one-fourth cup evaporated milk and heat until well blended. Pour over tomatoes and serve.  
**Salmon Patties:** Remove bones and skin from a half-pound can of salmon. Add one and one-half teaspoons lemon juice, cayenne pepper, one-half teaspoon salt, one egg, one-half cup bread crumbs, one-fourth teaspoon baking powder, and one-fourth cup evaporated milk diluted with one-fourth cup water. Mold into four patties. Place on an oiled tin and bake in a hot oven (425° F.) for five minutes, then reduce heat to 375° until browned.\*

# COMMISSIONER PROCEEDINGS

Wayne, Nebraska, January 7th, 1930.  
 Board met as per adjournment. All members present.  
 Minutes of meeting held December 31st, 1929, read and approved.  
 Report of Pearl E. Sewell, County Superintendent, showing a balance of \$121.10 in the Institute Fund at the close of business on January 7th, 1930, was examined and on motion duly approved.  
 Report of J. J. Steele, Co. Treasurer, showing amount of fees received by him for the quarter ending December 31st, 1929, amounting to the sum of \$29.25 was examined and on motion duly approved.  
 Report of J. M. Cherry, Co. Judge, showing amount of fees received by him for the quarter ending December 31st, 1929, amounting to the sum of \$622.40 and the payment of the same into the county treasury, was examined and on motion duly approved.  
 Report of J. M. Cherry, Co. Judge, showing amount of fees received by him for the year 1929, amounting to the sum of \$2509.62 and that the total fines and costs collected for the year 1929, amounting to the sum of \$4522.55, all of which was examined and motion duly approved.  
 Depository Bonds of the First National Bank of Wayne, Nebraska, in the sums of \$5000.00 and \$12500.00 respectively, were examined and on motion duly approved.  
 Depository bond of the Citizens State Bank of Winside, Nebraska, in the sum of \$4000.00 was examined and on motion duly approved.  
 Depository Bond of the Merchants State Bank of Winside, Nebraska, in the sum of \$75,000.00 was examined and on motion duly approved.  
 The following claims are on motion audited and allowed and warrants ordered drawn on the respective funds as herein shown. Warrants to be available and ready for delivery on January 18th, 1930.

General Fund:			
No.	Name	What for	Amount
3107	Huse Publishing Company, supplies for Co. Assessor		\$ 57.50
3350	Huse Publishing Company, supplies for Co. Assessor		12.19
3375	Huse Publishing Company, supplies for Co. Clerk		161.20
1	J. M. Cherry, Co. Judge, expense advanced for 4th quarter		16.27
2	J. M. Cherry, salary as Co. Judge for 4th quarter		475.00
3	Aletha Johnson, salary as Assistant to Co. Judge for 4th quarter		195.00
4	L. E. Panabaker, Janitor's salary for December		30.00
5	Mrs. L. E. Panabaker, laundry work at Court House for year 1929		15.00
7	Burroughs Adding Machine Company, repairing Adding machine		4.10
8	Remington Rand Business Service, Incorporated, supplies for John F. Scheel, groceries for Mrs. Carl Manthei for December 1929		1.55
12	Larson & Larson, supplies for Sheriff		14.99
13	Bellows & Davis, groceries for Humphrey Griffith for December 1929		16.76
14	Wayne Herald, printing		15.03
15	L. R. Winegar, milk for Fernie Miller family for Dec. 1929		13.75
18	Wayne Drug Company, drugs for Fernie Miller family		3.92
19	Wayne Drug Company, drugs for John Ulrich family		5.00
20	J. G. Mines, repair of clock at Court House		2.35
22	State Journal Company, supplies for Co. Judge		2.64
23	Milburn & Scott Company, supplies for Co. Superintendent		5.55
24	Mrs. H. T. Roeder, care of Mrs. H. M. Crawford from November 24th to December 24th		35.00
25	Hrabak's Store, groceries for Fernie Miller family from November 5th to December 29th		31.72
28	Chas. W. Reynolds, postage for December		10.25
29	Chas. W. Reynolds, certificates		3.75
30	Homer S. Seace, sanding table at Court House		22.40
31	Frank Erxleben, phone tolls and postage for year 1929		28.25
38	Northwestern Bell Telephone Co., December tolls and January rentals		57.45
41	Winside Tribune, printing		18.76
43	J. J. Steele, Co. Treas., postage for November and December		40.00
44	J. J. Steele, Co. Treas., express advanced		1.24
45	Herb Jenkins, Chief patrolman's salary for December on Wayne-Corroll-Sholes road		75.00
46	H. L. Brademeyer, groceries for Karl Staarm for Dec. 1929		14.85
68	Dr. C. T. Ingham, professional services for J. L. Davis family		4.50
69	Dr. C. T. Ingham, expense of telephone calls for year 1929		11.35
70	Dr. C. T. Ingham, salary as Member of Board of Health for year 1929		100.00

Bridge Fund:			
No.	Name	What for	Amount
Commissioner District No. 1—Erxleben			
21	Filo Hale, running grader, hauling plank, and bridge work		7.00
74	Concrete Construction Co., steel bridges		1278.43
General Road Fund:			
Commissioner District No. 1—Erxleben			
6	William Piepenstock, repairs for tractor		2.10
21	Filo Hale, running grader, hauling plank, and bridge work		5.40
27	Sorensen Radiator & Welding Shop, welding		2.00
32	Frank Erxleben, use of truck for county work		5.00
47	Frank Erxleben, overseeing road work		5.00
Commissioner District No. 2—Rethwisch			
42	L. C. Larsen, blacksmithing		24.75
Commissioner District No. 3—Koch			
17	Everett Witte, running tractor		21.00
71	Meyer Hendrickson, drayage		8.00
75	Concrete Construction Co., piling and bridge work		1869.33

Automobile or Motor Vehicle Fund:			
No.	Name	What for	Amount
Road Dragging District No. 1—Erxleben			
10	Carhart Lumber Co., lumber		175.64
33	E. W. Lehmkuhl, road dragging		8.24
34	Elmer Owen, erecting snow fence		2.00
35	Lowell Gildersleeve, road dragging		10.25
36	James Holt, erecting snow fence		2.00
73	Geo. Reuter, road dragging		4.00
40	Standard Oil Co., gasoline		8.30
53	Frank R. Schulz, road dragging		12.75
72	Irven C. Erxleben, hauling snow fence		1.50
73	Clarence Mann, road dragging		11.25
Road Dragging District No. 2—Rethwisch			
Road Dragging District No. 3—Koch			
3411	Smith-Hovelson Lumber Co., lumber		36.40
37	Geo. Reuter, road dragging		2.00
39	Interstate Machinery & Supply Co., grader blades		13.89
54	John H. Mohr, road dragging		3.00
55	Wm. Koepke, road dragging		6.00
56	E. O. Richards, road dragging		4.50
57	Pritchard Bros., road dragging		1.50
58	Charlie Chapman, road dragging		6.75
59	Frank Lyons, road dragging		3.35

Road District Funds:			
No.	Name	What for	Amount
Road District No. 23			
49	Bernard Dalton, road dragging		7.50
Road District No. 25			
48	Ben Cox, running grader		6.80
Road District No. 30			
50	Luther Anderson, road work		10.00
Road District No. 31			
51	Charlie Chapman, road work		15.05
Road District No. 32			
52	E. D. Morris, road work		10.00
Road District No. 61			
16	Hans C. Carstens, bri go work		3.00
Paid Over Claims:			
The following claims are on file with the county clerk, but have not been passed on or allowed at this time.			
General Claims:			
1928			
830	for \$15.45.		
1929			
409	for \$25.00, 1451 for \$23.10, 2251 for \$40.00, 2256 for \$40.00, 2838 for \$142.50, 3002 for \$30.00, 3004 for \$30.00, 3004 for \$30.00.		
Commissioner District Claims:			
Commissioner District No. 1—Erxleben			
1929			
169	for \$22.50.		
1930			
11	for \$36.30.		

Whereupon Board adjourned sine die.  
 CHAS. W. REYNOLDS, Clerk

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# LIVE STOCK NEWS

## TUBERCULOSIS IS RESULT OF FILTH

### Can Be Prevented if Proper Steps Are Taken.

That most dreaded disease of live stock, tuberculosis, is largely a filth-born infection. It can be prevented if proper measures are taken.

Experimental evidence seems to prove that very few animals of any of the species are born infected with tuberculosis," says J. W. Lumb, extension veterinarian, Kansas State Agricultural college, in telling of the scientific findings. "Animals can be prevented from acquiring the disease if proper measures are taken. The organisms are usually taken in by way of the mouth with feed and water, occasionally with the air, or by way of mucous membranes."

Available experimental records indicate that hogs acquire tuberculosis mainly through the mouth with feed and water and sometimes by way of the nostrils, according to the specialist. In the case of cattle it is acquired largely through the mouth, with feed and water, or licking each other while in contact. There is a possibility, most rarely, for the animal to acquire the disease through the nose, mucous membranes of the eyes, and through the skin.

## Cattle Are Wintered on Mixture of Grass

J. Sotola, State college of Washington, reports that there is little if any commercial production of beef on alfalfa in that state. But the college, which is in the southeastern section of the state, maintains a herd of 80 pure-bred beef cattle and for nine years the herd was pastured on straight alfalfa all through the summer, approximately 220 days.

"Our cattle are wintered on a mixture of one part cut alfalfa and three parts sunflower silage," said Professor Sotola. "The last part of April, when the alfalfa pasture is ready, we give the cattle a good feed of roughage and then immediately turn them out on this pasture, but we choose periods of clear weather so as to avoid having the cattle on wet alfalfa. During the period of nine years that we have done this we have not had a single case of bloat or digestive disturbance. The first few weeks that cattle are on green feed, they may scour slightly but soon get over the exceedingly laxative effect of succulent feed."

Another practice that may be followed is pasturing the alfalfa after one or more cuttings of hay have been taken. Professor Sotola reports that the college has harvested 1 1/2 tons of alfalfa an acre from a single cutting and then obtained 85 mature cowdays of pasture on the aftermath. By a mature cowday of pasture is meant the green feed consumed by a mature beef cow in 24 hours.

## Live Stock Facts

- There is no excuse for losing sheep and lambs from parasites.
- Supply salt at all times and water even if the sheep drink but little.
- The feeding of lambs is necessarily a speculative venture on the part of anyone.
- Fewes suckling lambs can be fed as high as three pounds of silage per day with good results.
- Even though work horses are fed plenty of grain they will not keep in good shape if their ration is not properly balanced.
- When no precautions are made against the infection of round worms, the per cent of wormy, runtled pigs will be from 30 to 60.
- During the winter months when the farm chores are not pressing, some extra profit may be made on fat hogs if sold dressed rather than on foot.
- The bull represents the cornerstone for a foundation of successful cattle production. Closely connected with him is the right kind of cows. They should represent the good, big beef type.
- Cattle that seem to have a craving for something that they do not get in their feed, may be helped by the addition of a reliable mineral where they can eat what they want of it at any time.
- Pigs need water as badly as feed, and if the water is placed in a sheltered place, they will drink more during the winter.
- The live stock producer who has stuck it out over the industry's long lean period is about to reap the reward for his perseverance.
- That age and health of the animal affect both the weight and strength of the fleece, as well as mutton production, is a fact carefully considered by the wool grower in calling his flock.

## Commuter Ready Victim of Star Salesmanship

There is an art in salesmanship. This has been observed before, but it was made plain to the commuter when he bought for the princely sum of \$20 a dilapidated car minus paint and with all the fenders buckled.

Knowing nothing about cars, as soon as trouble developed, and it wasn't very long before it did, the commuter hauled the wreck to the garage. The garage man was a salesman. He looked the car over and he didn't even smile. He handed it like a high priced purchase. Then he turned to the commuter.

"Been driving long?" he asked.

"No," the commuter admitted.

"Well," responded the garage man in a confidential manner, "I'll give you a tip. There are a lot of car thieves around. When you leave your car even for a few minutes, turn the ignition key and take it with you. To make doubly sure that nobody steals the car, turn off the gas."

The commuter's opinion of the car soared high. He hadn't considered the probability that any thief would waste his time on the wreck that he owned. If the garage man thought enough of it to warn him then it must be a good car. Probably a high-grade engine he mused. In fact, he was so impressed that when the garage man handed him a bill for \$75 for 30 minutes' work he didn't even feel annoyed.—New York Sun.

## Zinc Causes Paint to Show Color Variation

A man's puzzlement over a fence post which he had painted black, but which turned white every night, was the starting point of a program of research which has culminated in the discovery of a number of chemicals having this remarkable chameleon-like property—scientifically termed phototropy. Information regarding these chemicals has now been made public by the American Chemical society. The famous fence post was painted with a "pigment having a zinc basis." It would turn black soon after sunrise each morning, only to turn white again when darkness came. Many explanations have been given for the phenomenon, but scientists are not yet agreed as to the cause of it. They have, however, found several other substances besides the zinc sulfide, which was in the paint on the post, that will also change color with the light. Most of the known phototropic liquids are solutions of colorless derivatives of certain dyes. The solutions are practically colorless in the dark, but turn the color of the parent dye when exposed to light.

## Cat's Horny Tongue

Have you ever seen a cat draw blood from a baby's hand by merely licking it? In his article on anatomy in the Hygeia Magazine, Dr. E. C. H. Harvey explains how this is possible. The tongue of any animal is covered with thousands of tiny projections called papillae. One kind of papillae is horny and this is why the tongue can lick substances off a smooth surface. In cats this horny surface is especially thick and tough and its rigid like spines. Thus cats can rasp off with their tongues the last bit of meat from a bone and can draw blood by licking a child's hand.

## Wartime "Discipline"

Wilhelm's "Military Dictionary and Gazetteer" says: "In military and naval affairs discipline is a general name for the rules and regulations, prescribed and enforced for the proper conduct and subordination of the soldiers, etc. This is the technical meaning. In a higher sense discipline is the habit of obedience. The soldier acquires the habit of subordinating his own will, pleasure and inclinations to those of his superior. When the habit has become so strong that it is second nature, the soldier is disciplined."

## Culture

A bird's shadow is enough to be happy with, if a man is educated, or the flicker of light on a leaf, and when a song is being lived in a man, all nature plays its accompaniment. To possess one's own sense, to know how to conduct one's self, is to be the conductor of orchestras in the clouds and in the grass. The trained man is not dependent on having the thing itself. He borrows the boom of the sea to live with, anywhere, and the gladness of continents.—Gerald Stanley Lee, in "The Child and the Book."

## Seagulls Gave Warning

A pilot who landed at a south-coast port in England during the World War told how he detected a floating mine by the presence of seagulls whilst in the channel. "I observed," he said, "a ring or bunch of seagulls sitting on some floating object. On examining it more intently I saw it was a mine with prongs, and upon each prong was perched a seagull. I deviated the ship's course slightly, and so avoided a disaster."

## Wasted Bravery

Four-year-old Mary was afraid of the dark. Trying to help her overcome this fear, her mother asked her to bring baby's blanket from an adjoining room where there was no light. "Come Mary be mother's big girl," she said. "Why, if little Martha was here, she'd go." "Her ought to be here, then," was Mary's rejoinder.

## Dumb Animals Used to Inflict Death Penalty

The guillotine was used in Halifax, (Eng.) in the sixteenth century for the execution of criminals. E. H. W. Meyerstein, poet and writer, has called attention to a description of the way they had in Halifax in the sixteenth century of chopping off the heads of criminals condemned of horse, cattle, or sheep stealing. The description is given in Bishop Gibson's Additions to Camden's "Britannia" (1695). According to Halifax law: "If a felon was taken within the liberty with goods stolen out of the liberties of the forest of Hardwick, he should after three markets or meeting days within the town of Halifax, next after his apprehension, be taken to the gibbet there and have his head cut off from his body." There were provisos, that the thief must be caught in the act or have the thing stolen on him, or confess. A miserably thief being duly found guilty was brought to the scaffold and if it were a horse, ox, or any other living creature that he had stolen, that creature was to be the executioner. This was the method: The ax was drawn up by a pulley and fastened with a pin to the side of the scaffold, the beast stolen being tied by a cord to the pin. Then at the given moment, when the prisoner's head was across the block, the jurors who were present would raise each one hand, and the balliff would whip the beast. The movement of the animal would draw the pin, when the ax would drop across the neck of the unfortunate thief. If the execution was not done by a beast then the balliff or his servant had to cut the rope releasing the ax.

## Instrument of Torture Used in "Good Old Days"

At the London tower there is still kept the "oravat" or engine for locking the hands, head and feet together, and nicknamed the "Scavenger's Daughter." This was made in two parts, with a broad hoop of iron fastened by a hinge. The prisoner had to kneel on the pavement and contract his body into the smallest possible space. Then the executioner knelt on his shoulders, introduced the hoop under the victim's legs, and compressed the victim closely until he was able to fasten the ends of the iron hoop over the small of the back. The time for this torture was one and a half hours, during which period the pressure of the infamous device made the blood gush from the nose, or even it was said, from the victim's hands and feet.—Detroit News.

## Labor Not Everything

The printed record of mankind is full of comments and counsel about work. Bismarck is often quoted: "To youth I have but three words of counsel—work, work, work." Why only three? Why not "work, work, work, work"? Or why not just one word? "Work!" If the boss of the shop said what Bismarck said it would not mean much, except to the employee he said it to; but because the great Bismarck said it, it gets into the books of quotations! It is nonsense. Work is admirable, and necessary, of course. But a man may work, trebly as Bismarck advised, and still be a very useless atom in civilization. Labor is noble—every one says so. But it is not all of life.—Boston Herald.

## Miniature Books

Great quantities of tiny almanacs were sold in England, France and Germany, between 1835 and 1850. They were usually inclosed with a magnifying glass in a case which a woman could carry in her purse. The best of these, the A. Schloss series entitled the "English Bijou Almanac," are the smallest books ever made with the exception of an edition of the "Rubaiyat." The "London Almanac" was issued from 1831 until after 1850 by the Society of Stationers. It was only two and one-fourth by one and one-fourth, and elaborate bindings were common in this series.

## Just a Little

Little Jane had a very annoying habit. When mother called her she didn't like to answer. One day she was seated cozily among her dolls away upstairs when she heard that familiar summons. Not desiring to respond to mother's wishes, she didn't answer. Finally mother came slowly up the stairway only to find Jane seated there. Mother questioned: "Why, Jane, didn't you hear me call?" Jane looked up shyly, speaking innocently: "Well, mother, I think I heard just a little."

## Carp a Public Enemy

There is no estimating the damage the slovenly, rooting, lazy carp has done to our inland lakes, both in respect to driving away all other fish and in destroying the vegetation which provides food for wild fowl. The carp does his damage by rooting in the mud of the lake bottoms with his nose, killing the vegetation which provides food and shelter for the little fish and food for the wild fowl. Lakes infested with carp are always muddy.

## When Time Was Ripe

The vast wilderness of the Middle West could never have been peopled in so short a time had it not been for the romantic mood which, about the year 1800, began to gain full sway of men's minds in the nations of the North.—American Magazine.

# LIVE STOCK

## STEERS GAIN FAST WHILE ON PASTURE

### Has Many Advantages Over Dry-Lot Feeding.

Pasture for steers which are being fattened, adds to the profit obtained from them, as against dry-lot feeding, it is indicated in experiments carried on at the Ohio agricultural experiment station in 1923.

Summarizing the results of the test, Paul Gerlaugh, of the animal husbandry department of the experiment station, reports that "steers fattened while on bluegrass pasture made more rapid gains, much more efficient gains, shrank more enroute to market, sold for less money on the market, dressed 1 per cent less, but returned more profit than steers fattened in a dry lot."

In June, nine Hereford steers were turned into bluegrass pasture and fed ground shelled corn and linseed meal. Similar steers were fed in a shed and given a ration containing ground shelled corn, linseed meal, corn silage, and mixed hay. Both lots had been fed from December to June on a ration of corn silage, linseed meal, and alfalfa hay. Their average daily gain during this period was one and one-half pounds.

"From the start the pasture-fed cattle made more rapid gains although their condition did not show it. Evidently they were growing more than the dry-lot cattle. The cattle on pasture were much slower in taking hold of the grain ration. However, at the end of six weeks both lots were taking the same amount of ground shelled corn and thereafter the cattle on pasture consumed more corn than the dry-lot cattle."

"The results of the test indicate strongly the advisability of full-feeding corn to cattle on pasture and feeding long enough to obtain sufficient condition on the cattle to remove them entirely from grass cattle competition. A short feeding period on pasture will not do this."

## Herd Success Depends on Vigorous Animals

No structure is secure without a strong foundation. Likewise your success in establishing a herd of cattle depends on the strength of the foundation. Pedigree is not the main thing, although it is important.

Constitutional vigor and strong individual character are most important of all. Without these there is no dependable foundation upon which to build. These qualities are characterized by the following outstanding points: Deep heart girth, well sprung ribs and hips, well shaped and finely chiseled head, horns well set on and symmetrical, strong facial expression with large, full expressive eyes set wide apart in an ample forehead, bone enough throughout the frame, but not too much.

## Cattle Sterility Due to Some Organic Ill

Barrenness, or failure to settle, is a condition which renders the animal incapable of becoming pregnant. It may be a congenital condition due to permanent abnormal structure of the reproductive organs. When so diagnosed by a veterinarian, it is best to sell such animal for beef.

Failure to settle may also be caused by a bull that is diseased or otherwise sterile. However, it is nearly always due to germ infection of some part of the female reproductive tract. It often follows cases of retained placenta (afterbirth). The germs attack the tissues of the reproductive organs and so impair them as to make pregnancy impossible. The infection kills the male or female reproductive cells or causes expulsion of these cells because of improper nourishment.

## Sanitation Necessary for Healthy Swine

Every experienced breeder and all authorities agree that hog sanitation has become absolutely necessary, not only for reserved brood sows and pigs, but also for the entire herd of stock-ers.

Maintaining the health and steady growth of the herd by preventing losses from diseases and worms, means more pigs raised per sow, quicker maturity of the herd, and greater profits. There will be no profits if these disease losses are not stopped. Rapid increase of the various ailments common to hogs and little pigs simply means that you must protect your herd and your investment against these losses or quit the hog business.

## Shipping Cattle

When a small number of valuable animals is to be shipped it has been found to be good policy to tie the animals, and also to build partitions between the animals. Shipping show cattle brings out this type of car, and there are innumerable ways of building up the cars. Almost invariably the cattle stand crosswise of the car, and it seems that this is better able to brace themselves for the shock of the sudden stop and start of the train when they stand crosswise.

## Ant-Killer Uses Pincers for Grinding Its Victims

Among the myriad forms of animal life are to be found many that tax the credibility. One is a creature only about three inches long which bears a superficial resemblance to the spider and also to both the scorpion and the vinegerone. Frequently it is mistaken for one of these, but its correct pseudonym is ant-killer, a name the implications of which are fully borne out by its behavior toward these little insects. Its reason, writes C. T. Reed in Nature Magazine, for killing the ants, and nearly all the other small animals, chiefly arthropods, is not pure love of destruction.

After killing the insects it thoroughly grinds the bodies in its powerful and needle-like chelae, which project forward in front of the small head. Then through a toothless mouth scarcely bigger than a small pinhead, it sucks the juices from the bodies of the victims.

The ant-killer is dreaded by the Mexicans as an enemy more venomous than the rattlesnake. As a matter of fact, it has no venom and is harmless, except for the rather painful wound that it might inflict with its sharp, strong, formic acid-covered pincers. These large spider-like animals are widely distributed throughout arid tropical and semitropical regions.

## Man's Critical Faculty Potent Factor in Love

Man, as a rule, can be attracted by almost any pretty and relatively attractive woman. He can be stirred by any girl who is superficially charming, as most girls are today. But the test comes when that original attraction progresses to the place where it meets his critical faculty or instinct of self-protection. Then he says to himself, "Is this worth while?"

Men may be charmed but they are never won at first sight. When they become critical they almost invariably experience a sense of panic—that panic to which almost all of them will admit they have fallen prey during the process of falling in love. When, if they are to be really won, they must find in the girl things which reassure them and convince them that it is worth while.

The next step, therefore, depends entirely upon the girl. It is at this critical moment that she either wins or loses the game, almost entirely according to what she then offers.—Adela Rogers St. Johns in Smart Set Magazine.

## Who Built Temple Bar?

It is just upon 50 years ago that the last slopes of old Temple bar were taken away from their site, although demolition had begun 18 months before! The stones were numbered and stored in Farrington road for eight years, when the space they took up being wanted, the city corporation gave them to Sir Henry Menx, who spent several thousand pounds in removing them and re-erecting the gate in his own grounds near Waltham Cross. How many people, asks "Looker-on" in the London Daily Chronicle, could say who built Temple bar? It was erected by Wren in 1670, and stood at the City "Bar" for over 200 years.

## Light and Darkness

A man who looks toward the light sees no shadow; a man who walks toward the light leaves darkness behind him. People get in darkness by turning away from the light. They hide in obscure corners; they bury themselves in nooks, where the sun of righteousness cannot reach them; they close their blinds and shutters, and wonder that they have no light. A house may be dark, but it is not because the Light of the World does not shed beams abroad.—Armory.

## Varieties of Wheat

To most consumers, wheat is wheat, and general information stops at this point. Wheat, however, seems to be an extensive family, among the members of which are the following varieties: Turkey, Marquis, Fultz, Mediterranean, Poole, Preston, Haynes Bluestem, Red May, Red Wave, Kanred, Blackhull, Trumbull, Kubanka and Harvest Queen.

## Aviators' Dangers

The evenness of air while flying varies with the temperature. If the air is warm, or what is called thin air, it is difficult to gain altitude. In cold or dense air it is easy to gain altitude. The air over cities is warmer than over the surrounding country. It is when a flyer approaches warmer air that the plane has a tendency to lose altitude. In some places a change from cold to warm air is very abrupt. That is known as an air pocket, or bumpy air.

## School-Purpose Lands

The Continental congress, in its land ordinance of May, 1785, dedicated from the public lands which lay west of the Thirteen Colonies lot No. 16 of every township to "the maintenance of public schools within the said township." The policy of giving public lands for education has been continued—and lands and scrip have been granted to a total of 117,244,510 acres, an area nearly equivalent to that of the German republic.

# FARM STOCK

## FATTENING HOGS ON CORN ALONE

### Many Farmers Still Making Big Mistake With Swine.

Too many Minnesota farmers still make the mistake of trying to fatten their hogs on corn alone, says H. G. Zavoral, swine specialist of the Minnesota agricultural extension division, university farm, St. Paul. Hogs that are fed an all-corn ration do not get sufficient protein either to keep them gaining at the maximum rate, or to make the most economical gains from the standpoint of feed cost.

The economy of supplying sufficient protein in the fattening ration for hogs has been proven repeatedly, not only in the experience of farmers, but also in trials conducted at various experiment stations. At the Minnesota agricultural experiment station, trials carried on in three successive years showed that hogs fed corn alone made average daily gains of only .90 pounds, and consumed \$5.20 worth of feed for each 100 pounds of gain, while hogs fed corn and buttermilk gained two pounds a day at a cost of \$4.12 per 100 pounds. A third group of hogs fed corn and tankage made slightly lower daily gains than those fed corn and buttermilk, but at a lower cost. This latter group gained 1.7 pounds per day, and put on weight at a cost of \$4.00 per 100 pounds.

Mr. Zavoral recommends that for hogs on corn without skim milk or buttermilk, or with insufficient quantities of these, tankage or a mixture of tankage and oil meal be self-fed. Hogs do better when fed both plant and animal protein, the ratio being about two-thirds tankage and one-third oil meal. This mixture is also somewhat cheaper than tankage alone.

## Club Members Profit by Keeping Records

When you have chosen your breed, selected your pig, cared for it properly, fed it correctly, fitted it for show, you have not completed your pig-club work. Unless you have a record of how you fed your pig, how much you fed it, together with the cost of the feed and the amount of grain, you are not doing yourself justice. The successful live stock farmer knows the business end of hog production, and you must know how much your pig has cost.

A complete record is necessary and you should keep this in a book. The record is not hard to keep, if you use a few minutes each week and keep it up to date. Every time you mix up feed, put down the date, the number of pounds, and the cost. Once a month set down the value of the kitchen waste and milk you fed during the month. Weigh the pig once a month and set down the weight. Do this throughout the year and you will have an accurate record of what it cost to raise your pig.

## Live Stock Notes

- Rams should be fed a pound of grain a day during the breeding season.
- Water should be available at all times, as it is an essential part of the swine ration.
- There will be an increased demand and good prices for good horses within the next few years.
- The ideal roughage for growing colts is alfalfa hay, as it furnishes large amounts of protein and lime to make muscle and bone.
- Successful sheep raisers have found that right culling of aged ewes and light producers is a good practice for the immediate improvement of their flocks.
- Oats and prairie hay make a satisfactory ration, but corn and prairie hay are not good. When corn is the only grain fed, at least half the hay should be alfalfa or clover.
- It is always advisable to keep salt in reach of the cattle, and since cattle crave more than salt, put out a box of some good mineral sold by one of our advertisers.
- Failure to dock ewes tends to prevent successful mating. Docking may be done at once, with red-hot docking pincers. It is, of course, best to dock lambs when but two or three weeks old.
- The best modern idea seems to be to use a central hog house of small to medium size, and make the best possible use of individual houses.
- Beef breeding cattle should have suitable protection and adequate feed. Bred cows must not only maintain themselves but also the unborn calves.
- Early spring lambs to be fattened for market should be given grain when three or four weeks old. A creep should be built where the lambs may go to get their grain at any time.

# SOCIETY and Club

## Wayne Woman's Club

The members of the Wayne Woman's club met Friday afternoon with Mrs. C. J. Lund with Mesdames A. McEachen, Ellen Armstrong, and N. J. Juhnli assisting. The subject for the lesson study was, "The Structure of the Home—Mental, Moral, and Physical." Mrs. Robert Casper gave a very interesting paper, her subject being "Mental." She stressed the fact that the mental training of children should begin in early life, that as a child developed under careful training in the home he was better fitted for the school room later, that early training was the foundation of the entire life.

Mrs. George Crossland ably discussed the moral side of the home. She cited the fact that the old idea of teaching children that they should be seen and not heard was not the method of today's urge for out spoken ideas and individual training. Unlike most writers and speakers on the subject of building an ideal home life, Mrs. Crossland said that she had no new plan for moral training, that the best plan was God's plan and there is a working model, a solution for every one of life's problems in the Bible, a plan, which, if followed closely will build a perfect structure for the home.

Miss Esther Dewitz, physical training instructor at the Wayne State Teachers college, had for her subject the third phase of home life—physical. She said that physical perfection must be the foundation for a successful, happy, life, and she used charts to illustrate her message. She brought to her hearers the program she follows in her teaching, and the simple, straight forward way she put over her subject, showed her to be a craftsman in the modelling of physical perfection.

The program was instructive and entertaining and the members of the club feel deeply grateful for the time and study evidenced in the splendid papers written by those in the program.

The hostesses served refreshments. Guests were: Mrs. Ray Robinson, Miss Esther Dewitz, Mrs. D. Bahde, Mrs. W. C. Heidenreich, Mrs. Jason Gorst, Mrs. G. W. Wendt, and Mrs. Harry McMillan.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Nettie Call, Friday, Jan. 24.

## Minerva Club

The Minerva club met last Monday afternoon with Mrs. F. S. Berry. The main feature of the afternoon program was a talk consisting of a Review of the Past Ten Years of the History of Europe, dealing especially with the conditions as they were at the close of the war and with the efforts of the people in their attempt to adjust themselves to them and to better them. Frederick Berry sang two solos entitled, "By the Bend in the Road," by Edwards, and "Duma," by McGill. He was his own accompanist at the piano. Miss Ardith Conn was a guest. At the close of the meeting the hostess served a two-course luncheon at the small tables.

The next meeting will be a week from next Monday at the home of Mrs. E. W. Huse. There is to be an original program with original contributions which are to be brought by the different members.

## Alpha Club

The members of the Alpha club and two guests, Mrs. Eph Heckenhauser and Mrs. L. W. Jamieson, met last Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. L. Randall, hostess. Roll call was answered with a favorite Bible verse. Mrs. C. E. Gildersleeve led an interesting lesson on Religion in the Home, and there was group singing of hymns. At the close of the meeting light refreshments were served.

The club will meet again Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 28, with Mrs. B. W. Wright as hostess and Mrs. W. W. Whitman as leader of the lesson on Recreation for the Home.

## Coterie Club

The members of the Coterie club met last Monday afternoon with Mrs. L. W. Ellis for a current event program. Each member responded to roll call with a current event.

The next meeting will be a 6:30 dinner party next Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Perry Theobald, with Mrs. L. W. Ellis, Mrs. Paul Harrington, and Mrs. Warren Shults assistant hostesses. This is the party which was postponed at Christmas time on account of deaths among relatives of the Coterie members.

## Girl Scouts

The Girl Scouts met as usual last

Friday afternoon, with the exception that the girls in Patrol I, under the leadership of Miss Nevelah Whitmore, Scout Leader, met at the high school instead of the callisthenium with the rest of the scouts. Most of the time was spent in rope tying.

Next Friday afternoon (tomorrow) the scouts will meet as usual. Patrol meeting in Dean Hahn's office at the training school, and the other patrols meeting at the callisthenium.

## Kitchen Shower

The second year Junior girls of the Presbyterian church came to the Wm. Buefow home last Saturday afternoon and gave a kitchen shower in honor of Mrs. Carl Peterson whose marriage was recently announced. A social afternoon closed with refreshments followed. The girls were members of Mrs. Peterson's Sunday school class. They were Ruth Judson, Maxine Barrett, Geraldine Gamble, Betsy Von Seeger, Margaret Randall, Neva Jones, Mary Frances Wilson, and Mattie Soace, the latter being absent on account of sickness.

## Country Club

The third and last of the series of parties to be given at the Stratton will take place this Thursday evening with the following committee in charge: Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Claycomb, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Vail, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Bressler Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Art Ahern, Mrs. Jessie Reynolds, and Miss Flora Staple. Mr. and Mrs. Bressler are taking the place of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Noakes who were previously announced on the committee.

## Monday Club

The Monday club met last Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. A. McMaster for a regular session continuing the Abraham Lincoln program. Mrs. C. C. Herndon gave a paper on the Legislature and Springfield; Mrs. T. T. Jones a paper on Lincoln in Congress; and Mrs. H. H. Hahn a paper on Seeds of War, Mrs. Hahn taking the place of Mrs. O. R. Bowen. Mrs. C. S. Beebe of Wakefield was a guest.

## D. A. R.

The members of the D. A. A. met Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Paul Harrington, Mrs. R. R. Smith and Mrs. Gertrude Morris assisting. The program consisted of a debate or pro and con discussion of the Ellis Island question in which Miss Enid Conklin and Mrs. E. W. Huse were the opposing speakers. Mrs. Jason L. Gorst was a guest. The meeting was closed with refreshments served by the hostesses.

## Fortnightly Club

The Fortnightly club met Monday afternoon with Mrs. John Bressler Jr. Mrs. H. R. Best gave a couple of readings and Mrs. Jason L. Gorst sang a group of songs. An afternoon with bridge followed and refreshments closed the social session. Mrs. Best, Mrs. Gorst, Mrs. Winifred Main, Mrs. Don Larson and Mrs. L. W. Jamieson were guests.

The club will meet again in two weeks with Mrs. John C. Carhart.

## Young People's Bible Circle

The Young People's Bible circle met last Friday evening for a study in the 14th chapter of John's gospel, the circle meeting at the E. B. Young home as usual. Mrs. Young acted as discussion leader.

The circle will meet tomorrow evening at the Young home for a study of the tenth chapter of the Gospel of John. Everyone is welcome to come and join in the study of His word.

## Women's Bible Study Circle

The Women's Bible Study circle met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. A. E. Laase for a study of the current Sunday school lesson. Miss Charlotte Ziegler was the discussion leader. Miss Gertrude Horst of Elgin, returned missionary from India, was a guest, and gave a very interesting talk.

The circle will meet next Tuesday with Miss Charlotte Ziegler.

## Farwell Surprise

About 15 ladies of the Baptist church came to the H. M. Sears home yesterday afternoon and surprised Mrs. Sears. The ladies spent the afternoon in visiting and in general pleasantly. A tasty lunch closed the social afternoon.

## Presbyterian Missionary

The Presbyterian Missionary society met last Thursday at the church. The afternoon was spent in White

Cross sewing and supper for the families were served. Following the supper, there was an evening program Mrs. R. R. Larson was in charge.

The next meeting will be the second Thursday in February with Mrs. E. E. Galley, Mrs. Fay Strahan and Mrs. A. McEachen assisting.

## St. Mary's Guild

The St. Mary's Guild met at the home of Mrs. F. S. Berry last Thursday afternoon for a regular business session and election of officers. The following officers were re-elected: Mrs. F. S. Berry, president; Mrs. John Surber, vice president; Mrs. E. J. Hartmer, secretary-treasurer. A financial report of the past year was also given. The meeting was closed with refreshments.

## M. E. Foreign Missionary Society

The Women's Foreign Missionary society of the M. E. church met last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Charles E. Gildersleeve for a regular session. Mrs. J. M. Cherry had charge of the missionary lesson and Mrs. P. C. Crockett had charge of the devotionals. At the close of the meeting, the hostess served refreshments. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Eric Thielman.

## Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. Howard James and P. G. James were Sunday dinner guests in the Joe Baker home last Sunday in honor of Miss Roberta Kaker whose ninth birthday was the next day. Monday afternoon after school, Miss Rogerta had a birthday party in her school room at the city grade school, she being in the fourth grade.

## Birthday Surprise

Sixteen friends came to the Albert Johnson home last Sunday evening and treated Mr. Johnson to a jolly, good-natured birthday surprise. Mr. Johnson's birthday was on New Year's day, but because of the busy season, the party was postponed. The evening was spent socially and refreshments were served.

## Presbyterian Aid

The members of the Presbyterian aid will meet at 3:00 o'clock next Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 22, at the home of Mrs. Charles Stultheis. The following committee will be in charge: Mrs. J. H. Kemp, Mrs. Oscar Johnson, Mrs. J. Woodward Jones, and Mrs. J. M. Baird.

## A. A. U. W.

The American Association of University Women will meet next Wednesday evening, January 22, at the Administration hall at the college. This is to be a regular study meeting.

## W. C. T. U.

The members of the W. C. T. U. will hold a regular meeting tomorrow afternoon January 17, at the home of Mrs. Eric Thielman. Mrs. E. B. Michael assistant hostess.

## Harmony Club

The members of the Harmony club will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. J. R. Phipps for a social time.

## P. E. O.

The P. E. O. will hold its regular meeting next Tuesday evening, Jan. 21, at the home of Mrs. J. Woodward Jones.

## Light Bearers

The Light Bearers will meet next Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 22, at the home of Mrs. O. L. Randall.

## MANY STUDENTS WRITE ESSAYS IN STATE BAR CONTEST

(from the Goldenrod)  
Present conditions indicate that about seventy-five students will write essays on the essay contest of the State Bar Association. The topic is, "What has been the effect of the Constitution of the United States on the Economic Welfare of the People?" The essays are to be handed in for adjudging in the local contest the latter part of April. The first prize essay here will be sent in for competition in the state contest.

## NEW CLASS SCHEDULE COMPLETED THIS WEEK

The schedule for next semester's classes will be complete in about a week and will then be posted on the bulletin board in the "Ad" building. The students now in school will register for the next term on Thursday and Friday, January 23 and 24, outside of their class periods for classes will continue to meet as usual on those days. Now students will register on Monday, January 27.

## BOY SCOUT LEADER TRAINING COURSE OFFERED NEXT TERM

A course in scouting will be offered next semester; to men on the campus who are interested in the scout movement. Due to a demand for scout leaders in Northeast Nebraska, a scout official from Omaha will give instructions once a week during the entire semester. Two hours credit will be given in the course. About forty of the leading men of the campus have declared their intention of entering the class.

## Possible to Float for Days in This Garment

A suit of clothes in which it would be a "positive" pleasure to be shipwrecked has been perfected. Except for the face the costume covers the entire body like an overall. Fitted to the head is a hood like that of the conventional monk's gown, but larger and thicker.

In the material of this hood and also between the outer layer and the lining of the rest of the costume spaces are provided which can be inflated with air or stuffed with light material like spongy paper fiber.

The outer layer of the garment is waterproofed and arrangements are provided to keep water from seeping inside the suit at the wrists and neck. Thus the wearer is encased completely in a floating garment which serves both as life preserver and as protection for many hours against the cold.

The large, thick hood floats highest in the water, thus making it impossible for the wearer to "capsize" and find his head downward, as has happened with some previous life saving garments.

If the wearer makes no effort at all he will float automatically on his back, as though lying in bed, and almost as warmly.

It is claimed, however, that one advantage of the new garment is that inactivity is not necessary. The wearer can paddle himself about.

## "Friendship" Carried to Extremes in This Case

Billy Muldoon—before he gained fame as a champion wrestler and trainer of John L. Sullivan for his epic fight with Jake Kilrain—was once a New York city policeman. And thereby hangs this tale, told by Edward Van Every in his book about "The Solid Man of Sport."

Muldoon was patrolling his beat one day when several excited citizens reported to him that murder was being done in a nearby house.

Hurrying to the scene Muldoon heard groans emanating from a room, the door of which was locked. Forcing an entrance he found on the floor in a welter of blood, a young negro, to all appearances fatally wounded. Muldoon bent down and asked:

"Can you tell me who did this?"

"Yes, sah," came the faint answer. "A friend of mine."—Kansas City Star.

## Remedy for Divorce

According to an American medical man "a pint of milk per day and two oranges, eaten by a couple threatened by divorce, will straighten matters out." We already know that "an apple a day keeps the doctor away," and grapefruit is supposed to be useful in fighting flu. But the idea of curing matrimonial troubles by milk and oranges is new. Green grocers are already inviting customers to "Eat oranges and be happy at home." One of them has gone even further. He is displaying notices: "Eat our peaches if you want Him to propose"; "Plums for breakfast mean a good day's work"; "Our broccoli will bring you business success"; "A cauliflower a day means a magnetic personality."—Montreal Family Herald.

## Color's Great Influence

Man has apparently become careless about one of the most important items in his environment—color. As soon as he realizes fully the inhibitive and repressive influence of drab, uninteresting color surroundings, the vistas about him will be immediately transformed. Man has always conquered or changed conditions unfavorable to his best development. There is no reason to believe that he will not rise to the present situation and reinstate into his daily life the color which is so important to his well-being.

## Bottle Gas

Bottled gas is refined and compressed from the vapor that rises from oil wells that are in production and even from wells that have been pumped dry. It is "bottled" under the form of a low-pressure liquid which on being released resumes its gaseous form and burns in a gas jet.

This casing head gas, as it is known among oil men, is a rich natural gas. It is compressed, refined and the liquid stored in steel bottles or drums which are strong enough to withstand the low pressure of the semiliquid gas.

## From Fingers to Forks

Knives, forks and spoons in their primitive form were used from very early times. The table knife became popular after the Seventeenth century. During the period of transition from fingers to forks, knives were used for eating as well as for cutting. Forks were introduced into England in the Sixteenth century. The custom came from Italy. Queen Elizabeth was the first English sovereign to use a fork. Her nobles thought it a piece of great affectation and her example was only scantily followed.

## Odd Feeling Traced to Subtle Trick of Mind

The feeling that one has been some place before when he knows he has not is known as paramnesia. It is a common experience, and, briefly explained, the reaction depends upon a little trick of the mind manifested by a momentary loss of a sense of time and space. The individual enters into an experience or a situation, obtains a fleeting impression of this situation, then the attention is momentarily attracted to something else. The period of time may be almost infinitesimal. Then upon the return of the attention to the original situation this lapse of time is lost to the individual and the period between the two experiences seems occasionally to expand into a long period, even into the remote past. Another explanation, which is based on more recent psychological investigations, holds that one's unconscious mind sees much more than the attentive conscious one and that a situation, even to its details, may be taken in without paying direct conscious attention to it. Then a moment later when the faculties of the conscious mind are at work on the situation, the experience seems to have been experienced before. Here, again, the lapse of time between the two impressions may be greatly overestimated and expanded.

## Writer Deals Harshly With Men of Medicine

Today physicians fall roughly into classes, writes T. Swann Harding, in the Forum. First, there are those who seek to restrict their practice to comparatively few patients, charge high fees, keep regular hours, take time to search the literature of their profession and sincerely try to practice medicine scientifically—a small class, accused by many of making exorbitant charges, an accusation which, all things considered, is not true.

Second, those who take all comers, make comparatively low charges, rush madly from case to case and claim to have no time to read or attend meetings—a very large class indeed.

Third, those who rapidly sink into a slough of lassitude, have salaried appointments which amount to sinecures or in private practice do the least possible work; who are careless, deliberately unconscientious and too lazy to use their brains, read, or attend meetings, fortunately a small but yet a very nefarious class.

## Marriage's Odd Effect

Two women, who had known each other quite well, met the other day for the first time in 20 years. One was married. The other was not. The married woman was happily boasting about her boys, saying one of them was six feet tall and all were very handsome and exceptionally bright and smart. Her face fairly sparkled, and love and pride simply oozed from her.

The old maid friend was interested, and finally said: "I am glad you have such a nice family. I remember when you married Dick how you adored him, and loved to tell me how handsome and smart he was."

"Did I?" asked the woman, looking amazed, dumbfounded.

"Marriage seems to be like that," the old maid mused.—Atchison Globe.

## All Long for Money

The most universal human longing is for the possession of money. This is denied by a few, who say principle is their real goal, but the truth of the statement cannot be reasonably questioned (it is a human characteristic that certain facts we all know to be universal are almost universally denied). . . . And the surest way to acquire money is the exercise of character, honesty, industry, politeness. . . . Aristocracy of birth is not fair, and nature accepts nothing that is not fair. Besides, the best of us date back in lineage to a very bad mess. So every one has the same chance at aristocracy, and what we recognize as the greatest human achievement, the possession of money.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

## Damage Done by Poplars

The poplar, one of the most desirable of trees for the home owner because of its rapid growth on lots where no trees stand, is, unfortunately, one of the most destructive unless placed in such a way that its roots will not come in contact with water and sewer pipes or foundation walls. The roots, which are large and strong, will not adapt themselves to conditions of obstruction, but go on growing in their natural way and remove the obstruction by displacing or cracking it. Much expensive damage has been done by the roots, and for that reason, popular as the tree is, its use is always a matter of cautious planting.

## Incident Kept From Wife

An employee of a bank in the northwestern part of the city was leaving the bank for the day when a friend drove up and invited him to get in; which he promptly did.

As he neared his home he exclaimed:

"Why, I left my car in front of the bank. You see, my wife has been driving it for several weeks and this is the first day that I have driven myself. I guess just a case of temporary amnesia."

He returned later and got his machine, but he did not tell his wife.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

## Increase in the Family

Five-year-old Bobbie was spending the afternoon at a neighbor's house. The neighbor's cousin was also there.

"How many are there in your family?" asked the cousin.

"Five," replied the small boy promptly.

"Why, Bobbie?" said the neighbor, "There's only your mother, father, sister and you."

"I know," was the answer, "but we got a dog this morning."

# FARM STOCK

## BEEF CATTLE ARE FEWER ON FARMS

### Increase Seen as Prices for Meat Are Higher

The beginning of this year found fewer beef cattle on farms and ranges in the United States than at any previous time for half a century. There were then only about 24,000,000 head in the country. Under the influence of higher prices for beef, the number is now beginning to increase, according to figures collected by C. R. Arnold of the rural economics department of the Ohio State university.

In summarizing the history of the beef cycle in the United States, Arnold has found that in 1895 more than 40,000,000 beef cattle were on the farms and ranges of the country. This number declined to about 33,000,000 animals in 1904, and then started up again under the influence of strengthening prices. By 1907 the number had again risen to about 38,000,000 head. Low prices again caused a drop to about 27,000,000 head in 1914. War demands raised prices and the herds increased to a total of about 36,000,000 head in 1919. Sudden cessation of the war time demand dropped the price and numbers and prices declined together until they were exceptionally low from 1920 to 1926.

The beef cattle cycle extends over a long period of years, Arnold points out, because the number of cattle cannot be increased as rapidly as the number of hogs or sheep.

"It seems evident that we will have a larger number of cattle within the next few years, but it seems doubtful that we can expect low prices for beef cattle for at least two or three years, because the number which we have at the present time on ranges is so exceptionally low," says Arnold.

## Pure-Bred Ram Adds Pounds to Lamb Crop

An interesting experiment has been conducted by the Oklahoma experiment station.

A pure-bred ram was placed with one group of ewes averaging in weight 104 pounds. Ewes were all on the same kind of pasture and fed the same kind of feeds in the same quantities. When the lambs were born from the pure-bred they averaged 8.9 pounds.

The scrub ram was placed with the second group of ewes of the same quality and age as the first group, their weights being an average of 104.7 pounds each. These were given the same care as the first group. The lambs when born weighed only 8.1 pounds.

Although the lambs sired by the pure-bred ate no more than those sired by the scrub ram, the lambs from the pure-bred ram gained faster and weighed 103.2 pounds when sold and the lambs from the scrub weighed only 95 pounds.

The difference in dollars and cents was that the lambs from the pure-bred ram brought \$1.98 more, with no extra cost for feed or care.

## All Barns Need Plenty of Air and Sunlight

All barns should have an abundance of ventilation, sunlight and drainage. Beware of drainage toward or into the barn or yards from premises previously occupied by diseased animals of any kind. Old barns are more apt to be troublesome. Basement barns, particularly if built years ago, are likely to have floors at a level below that of the outside ground levels. This is dangerous, as it keeps such barns damp and full of bad air. Basements require a larger amount of drainage and ventilation than barns built wholly above ground and on high ground, with ample natural drainage of the surroundings. A low basement barn may easily drain an area of two or three hundred feet around it.

## Live Stock Hints

Feed only what the animals will clean up. . . . Avoid extremes in the condition of breeding stock. . . . By following the plan of creep feeding, lambs may be marketed earlier at a higher price. . . . Avoid digestive and intestinal troubles in winter by using well-cured green-cut roughage and succulents. . . . If the lambs are to be born strong and vigorous, a moderate amount of exercise is necessary for the ewes during the winter. . . . Experiments at the University of Illinois have proved ear corn ensilage to be an economical and profitable feed for beef cattle. . . . Exercise for brood sows should not be overlooked. Feeding them some distance from the sleeping quarters will help to provide it. . . . From every angle in the cattle production business, a good sire is a necessity and a good cow herd is a great help in the production of beef that will return a profit.