



Democrat Sponsors Arkansas Relief

Council, Gas Firm Agree On Franchise

Densford Says Mains Will Be Installed Here First of July.

Wayne's city council presented a revised natural gas franchise to J. W. Densford, representative of the Midwest Natural Gas company Tuesday night, Jan. 27, and Mr. Densford accepted, making natural gas a surety for this community.

One of the revisions in the franchise extended the time for construction of a gas line system in Wayne to Oct. 31, 1931, but Mr. Densford stated that the gas mains would probably be ready for use by the first part of July.

Under the revised franchise, the city of Wayne can buy the gas system after appraisal in 1936 or in 1946. This clause, entered into the grant by councilmen advocates of municipal ownership, would give the city whatever profit might arise from operation of a gas system here.

Another stipulation put into the contract states that the BTU content of the natural gas shall not be lower than 900. If it goes lower, the city can adjust the price proportionately.

Under the terms of the accepted franchise, the gas company must put up a surety bond to keep the city free from damage for negligence on the gas company's part during the period of construction. The amount of the bond is to be determined by the council.

The franchise states that the gas company must maintain proper pressure at all times, and that failure to do so will be ground for annulment of the grant.

The original franchise stated that the natural gas company could change over to the manufacture of artificial gas if the natural gas supply became inadequate, but the accepted franchise says that in such case the gas company may be authorized by the council to change to artificial gas. This provision leaves any change entirely up to the council.

Under the approved franchise, the gas company agrees to odorize the gas at any time the council requests them to do so.

Changes in the franchise were made after extensive investigation of utility contract forms by members of the city council and city attorney James E. Brittain. Several council members stated after the meeting Tuesday evening that they believed the approved utility grant furnished ample protection to the city as well as the gas company.

How Much?

Farmers and residents of towns in Wayne county, when apprised of the plan to send a car-load of live poultry to the Arkansas starvation area have asked, "How much am I supposed to give?"

You're supposed to give whatever you feel able to donate. The committee wants at least ONE chicken or its equivalent in cash (amounting to about fifty cents) from every resident of the county. Only then will the contribution be truly representative of our territory.

Every person should give AS MANY chickens as he or she feels able to donate. It will be necessary to have 4,000 chickens to fill the poultry car. Nobody will be asked to "give 'til it hurts" but everyone will be expected to give as much as he or she feels conscientiously obligated to give.

It would be impossible to solicit the county, at least in the allotted time. Whether or not you contribute will depend entirely upon YOU. Nobody will harangue you for any money. If you want to give help, it will be greatly appreciated.

J. A. Frydenlund, who formerly operated the cigar store in Wayne now owned by C. W. Hiscox, has purchased a cigar and confectionery store at Pender. He is to take possession of the establishment on Monday, Feb. 2.

"Bunt" Fleetwood to Go With Poultry

E. E. "Bunt" Fleetwood is going to travel with some fancy chickens. As a matter of fact, he's going to travel with 4,000 of Wayne county's heaviest hens and roosters when the car-load of poultry goes to Arkansas on Saturday, Feb. 14.

Many people wisely hate to donate anything in the nature of perishable material to relief funds because they fear that their donation will be destroyed before it gets to the proper place.

"Bunt" is going to go along with the Wayne County Poultry Train to see that the chickens are fed, watered and cared for. He'll see that the poultry gets to the Red Cross Relief headquarters in Little Rock, Arkansas, and he won't leave until he is convinced that the chickens are going to be used to feed needy men, women, and children.

"Bunt" has volunteered to pay his own expenses. Not one cent of the money taken in on the relief program will go for anything except poultry.

"Bunt" will write back a detailed account of the trip and will give us a first-hand story of conditions in the drought stricken area when he returns. We're going to be sure that our contribution gets to a worthy source.

YOUNG COUPLE WED HERE WEDNESDAY

Ruth Carlson and Harold Gunnarson in Home Wedding.

Miss Ruth Carlson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albin Carlson of near Wayne became the bride of Harold N. Gunnarson, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gunnarson of near Laurel, at a pretty home wedding at the Carlson home at 5:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, Jan. 28. Rev. A. Stone, pastor of the Mission church at Concord, performed the marriage ceremony in the presence of about 50 guests. The couple were attended by Miss Eunice Carlson, sister of the bride, and by Theodore Gunnarson, brother of the bridegroom. Miss Genevieve Craig played the wedding march as the bridal party descended the stairs and proceeded to the improvised altar where the ceremony took place.

The bride was lovely in a gown and veil of white, fashioned neatly on simple, graceful lines. She wore accessories to match and carried an arm bouquet. The bridesmaid was attired in a gown of green georgette and wore hose and slippers of white. She also carried a bouquet.

The home was beautified for the occasion with decorations in which the bride's chosen colors, green and white, made up the predominating color scheme. Flowers and greenery lent their beauty and freshness to the decorative scheme.

Immediately after the ceremony, the guests extended their congratulations to the bridal couple. During this time the instrumental piano numbers, "He Leadeth Me" and "Pass Me Not O Gentle Saviour", with variations, were played.

Mrs. A. Stone and daughter, Lola, sang "Wedding Bells". Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dahlquist and Miss Vin. Gunnarson sang "He Will Guide Thee", and the Misses Phoebe and Ida Forsberg sang, "Take Jesus Along With You". Miss Linnea Erickson played a piano solo.

After the wedding, a two-course dinner was served for the bridal party and their guests.

The young couple will make their home on the Carl Gunnarson home farm southeast of Laure where the bridegroom has assisted his father the past few years with the farm work.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Creven went to Omaha Monday last week to attend the opera.

Why Wayne County Should Send Poultry

Why should Wayne county send a car-load of live poultry to the Arkansas drought area?

That is a logical question for every thinking person in the county to ask. If relief is unnecessary, then certainly it would be ridiculous to send 4000 chickens to that territory.

But relief IS necessary. Thousands of men, women and children are starving. What Wayne county is doing for them is no more than Wayne county would want if such an unfortunate condition existed here. If Wayne county citizens could see the starvation, the misery, the privation that is being undergone by Arkansas residents, they would not hesitate a moment to send all the help that they possibly could.

Yesterday morning's Sioux City Journal carried a news story to the effect that in ONE county in Arkansas 21,000 people were without food. Think of it! 21,000 people in one county of Arkansas are being kept alive only by the humanitarian impulses of more fortunate localities.

It has been estimated that approximately one-fourth of the population of the state of Arkansas is without sufficient food. The number who must rely on charity increases every day. Arkansas was hard hit this last year, and SOMETHING MUST BE DONE ABOUT IT.

The Red Cross is distributing food in the stricken areas. While Red Cross representatives wait for the government to grant official aid, citizens of the territory are coming closer and closer to death from lack of nourishment.

Will Rogers, ex-president Calvin Coolidge, and Herbert Hoover have seen the need of food relief and are

WILDCATS PLAY PERU SATURDAY EVENING

Injuries in Squad Lower Chances for Scoring Victory.

Wayne State Teachers' college basketball team will be battling an uphill fight Saturday evening when they meet the Peru Teachers at 8:30 o'clock in the college gymnasium in the second conference game of the season.

Loren Andrews, co-captain of the team, has been in bed since last Friday night with an infected knee. He has had an operation and is recovering nicely, but will be unable to play in the Saturday night game.

Lloyd Sexton, freshman center, is out of competition with boils.

Kraft of West Point, Stedry and Ambrose of Pierce, Urbanek of Clarkson and Arbuthnot of O'Neill, all members of the basketball squad are out of school this semester because of finances.

Alexander has been bothered with a bad ankle.

Sports fans say that Coach Ray Hickman could be excused for "singing the blues," but the basketball mentor at the college is going about his work determinedly, trying to build a wrecked squad into shape to take the Peru hoopers into camp Saturday evening.

Jack Denbeck III With Attack of Erysipelas

Jack Denbeck, who has been quite seriously ill for the past week with a severe attack of erysipelas, is somewhat improved. He was taken ill on Tuesday, Jan. 20. The disease is causing considerable irritation on his face and head.

FORMER WAYNE MAN DIES
Dennis Newton of Corone, Calif., former operator of a feed mill in Wayne and a brother-in-law of C. A. Berry of Wayne, died on Saturday, Jan. 24. He leaves his wife and a son and daughter.

advocating a program of support. We cannot do as much for the unfortunate Arkansans as these notables can, but WE CAN ALL DO OUR SHARE!

If YOU will do YOUR share and YOU will do YOUR share and we ALL do our bit, we can accomplish something really worthwhile—something that Wayne county can be proud of.

Wayne county has always been quick to respond to worthy charitable appeals. We are confident that this will be no exception.

A few calamity howlers have said, "You'll never be able to get the people of the county to donate 4,000 chickens to the Arkansas food relief fund. They'll talk about it, but they won't act."

County Judge Cherry, when asked how he thought the program would turn out, said, "Your program will go over the top in short order. Wayne county people are mighty fine, loyal folks, and they'll not shirk their duty when it is shown to them. You won't have any trouble at all in reaching the goal of 4,000 live chickens."

J. J. Ahern when asked his views on the question, said, "There's not one doubt in my mind but what the county will put the proposition across in great style. No one could conscientiously stand by in the face of suffering if there was any chance to offer aid, and Wayne county people will prove their worth in this campaign."

The calamity shouters have been outnumbered by the optimistic people.

How about it? Which faction is right? It's up to YOU to tell the story. EVERYONE must contribute if the campaign is to be a success.

High School Debaters Get Win from Walthill

Wayne high school's debate teams succeeded in winning decisions on both the affirmative and negative sides in a verbal battle with Walthill here Tuesday.

Max Hendrickson, Mary Norton, and Frank Claycomb represented Wayne on the negative team, and Dean Winegar, Stanley Davis and Mary Jane Morgan upheld the affirmative.

HOLD SERVICES FOR WAYNE BOY MONDAY

Lowell Heine Succumbs to Malignant Tumor in Omaha Hospital.

Funeral services were held at the Catholic church in Wayne at 10 o'clock Monday morning, Jan. 26, for Lowell Heine, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heine. The child died in an Omaha hospital on Thursday, Jan. 22, from results of a malignant tumor at the base of the brain.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Fr. Wm. Kearns, and interment was in Greenwood cemetery.

Lowell Heine was born in Wayne on Feb. 14, 1927, and was three years, 11 months and eight days old at the time of his death. The tumor had been affecting his sight, and about two weeks ago it began to affect his leg muscles, making it difficult for him to walk. His parents took him to an Omaha hospital, but efforts of surgeons were futile and the child passed away after a valiant struggle.

Besides his parents, he is survived by his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Lerner; one brother, William, two sisters, Barbara and Cleone; three uncles on his mother's side of the family; William Lerner of Royal; Walter Lerner of Wayne; and Fred Lerner of Sheridan, Wyo.; and an uncle and aunt on his mother's side of the family; Mrs. R. Smith and William Heine, both of Quincy, Ill.

Say Program Will Aid Poultry Price

"Give and you shall receive." Poultry experts say that the over-production of poultry is largely responsible for the present low prices. Too many chickens and too many eggs, they say, have caused a sharp drop in prices.

More radical marketing experts have stated that it would be a good thing for the average poultryman to destroy a part of his flock. The theory is that fewer chickens would mean higher prices and eventually greater profit.

Wayne county is an agricultural community, and poultry plays no small part in the prosperity of the community. Good poultry prices mean more money to spend, and everybody benefits.

Can it be possible that it would eventually work out to the benefit of Wayne County for every resident to send one or more chickens to the Arkansas drought area? It would seem so.

Every person in the county should "come across" with poultry to relieve suffering and starvation in the Arkansas territory. When the poultry car is loaded here on Saturday, Feb. 14, every man, woman and child in the county should be able to say, "I helped."

In helping others, we can possibly help ourselves.

Comic Opera Wins Plaudits of Audience

High School Cast Shows Skilled Direction in Show Tuesday.

An appreciative audience that filled the Gay Tuesday evening, Jan. 27, applauded enthusiastically for the Wayne high school's presentation of "The Count and the Co-ed", musical comedy with libretto by Geoffrey F. Morgan and music by Geoffrey O'Hara.

A well-balanced cast sped gracefully through an evening of hilarious comedy and tuneful music under the direction of Miss Arline Urban. Chorus routines and solo dances were directed by Miss May Gills.

Amateur theatrical directors have said that the hardest role in the world for anyone to play is a part of a character similar to the actor, and those who saw Tuesday evening's production commented favorably on direction which had made high school students seem natural in a campus comedy.

Vocal and dance numbers were more than adequate in the opinion of the audience, which seemed to be wanting "just a little more" music at the finale. "In My Delicateness Store," which had been sung previously by "Snooze" (John Kemp.)

The cast of characters included Lucille Wright, Elaine Yocum, Jeanne Wright, Margaret Phipps, Melvin Seymour, Ruby Surber, James Davies, Charles Berry, Robert Kingston, Letha Porterfield, Wilbur Porterfield, John Kemp and Josephine Ley. Mirabelle Blair served as accompanist.

Lewis and Chinn Talk at Madison Gas Meet

Prof. C. R. Chinn and Prof. J. G. W. Lewis went to Madison, Nebr., last Friday evening, Jan. 23, to speak at a natural gas mass meeting at the invitation of the Madison community club.

Professor Chinn stressed the technical side of the gas proposition, explaining the heat energy of gas and the cost per heat unit.

Dr. Lewis told the audience of his investigation of the natural gas situation in other communities and explained the general proposition of granting natural gas franchises.

Wayne County to Send Car of Live Poultry

Saturday, Feb. 14, Set as Date for Relief Contributions.

The Nebraska Democrat, believing that Wayne county, in the heart of the world's richest agricultural district, would want to do its share in relief of the terrible starvation conditions existing in the state of Arkansas, has arranged a program to aid afflicted Arkansans.

On Tuesday, Jan. 27, a representative of The Democrat went to Ray Larson, Wayne freight agent, and outlined the plan to him, as follows: Wayne county is in one of the few prosperous areas of the United States at the present time. There is plenty of food here.

Over-production of poultry has lowered prices to such an extent that poultry raisers are not making a fair profit on their labor.

Citizens of Wayne county, farmers and townsmen alike, we told Mr. Larson, would like to co-operate in sending a car-load of live poultry to the starving thousands in Arkansas.

"How much," we asked Mr. Larson, "are we going to have to pay for a poultry car and transportation?"

Mr. Larson got busy immediately, and on Wednesday, Jan. 28, received the following telegram:

"Your wire yesterday. Action Wayne county farmers very commendable. Manager Mid-western area of American Red Cross Mr. W. M. Baxter of St. Louis advises bill car live poultry to American Red Cross, Little Rock, Arkansas, care Chas. L. Thompson. Matter will be handled through Mr. Fred Sargent for free movement.

Carl R. Gray, Jr., Vice-president."

In other words, the railroad company is co-operating to the extent of furnishing transportation absolutely free.

The poultry car will be on the tracks on Saturday, Feb. 14, and all contributions are to be brought to Wayne for loading on that day.

Everyone in the county is expected to contribute either live poultry or money to buy poultry with. 4,000 (continued on last page)

The Inquiring Reporter

(Every week a Democrat reporter will ask a question of five people, picked at random. If there's any question you would like to have asked, let us know about it.)

Do you think Nebraska's state gasoline tax should be raised?

B. F. Strahan, gasoline dealer, Wayne—"Four cents is a fair tax if two cents goes to the county but I don't think the levy should be raised. A five cent tax would be too much, and would work a hardship on gasoline users."

Fred Reeg, farmer—"No, I don't believe the tax should be raised. Right now would be a poor time to add to expenditures. The present tax should be entirely adequate."

Chas. Misfeldt, gasoline dealer, Winslow—"I am not in favor of a raise. Four cents is all right, but any raise would be unfair. The four cent tax is needed, but a raise would be too heavy a burden on the people of the state."

H. H. Hachmeier, implement dealer—"No, I am not in sympathy with legislative agitation to raise the gas tax. Eventually we might be paying as much for tax as for gas."

Willie C. Kay, farmer—"We want a lower gas tax rate. We don't get much more than one cent of the present four-cent tax for use in this locality."

Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dowling were in Sioux City Sunday visiting friends. Mr. and Mrs. James Holt of West Point were visitors here last weekend.

Nels Carlson spent Wednesday afternoon last week at the Robert Stambaugh home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pilger were guests at the Clarence Kay home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Colson and baby visited M. Colson's people at Oakland Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Johnson of near Laurel spent the first of the week at the Albin Calson home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hachmeyer and children were guests of relatives in Sioux City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lake of Norfolk were Sunday dinner guests at the Clarence Kay home.

Ed Korff of Norfolk was here Monday afternoon visiting his mother, Mrs. Alvina Korff, and others.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kay and Mr. and Mrs. August Kay were Sunday dinner guests at the John Meyer home.

Dr. and Mrs. I. M. DeWalt of Wisner were callers at the Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Jamieson home Sunday evening.

Dr. L. W. Jamieson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jamieson of Norfolk, spent the weekend visiting at the Jamieson home here.

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

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Senter were in Sioux City Monday visiting their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Senter, and baby son.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph M. Carhart and son, Charles, of Randolph were visitors at the V. A. Senter home Saturday afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jackson and family drove to York Sunday and called on Mrs. Jackson's uncle, D. J. Collins, in honor of his 59th birthday.

Mrs. B. D. Powell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McFarlane of Sioux City, will spend Friday and Saturday visiting at the Powell home here this week.

Miss Rose Kugler of Sioux City visited home folks here Sunday. Miss Ida Himmerich of Randolph also was here over the weekend, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rubeck and family of Newcastle and Ivan Johnson of Newcastle were Sunday dinner and supper guests at the Charles Rubeck home here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lindsay and son, Frank, and Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Lindsay and family were Sunday dinner guests at the Russell Lindsay home in the LaPorte community.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hyatt were guests at a one o'clock dinner at the Curt E. Benschhof home at Winside Sunday. Mrs. Dora Benschhof and Jack Hyatt were also there.

Allan Perdue returned home last weekend from Lincoln where he took a mechanics' course at the aviation school during the month of January, having gone to Lincoln January 4.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Holtz of Randolph and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Holtz of Wausa were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hanks and family of this city at Sunday dinner at the Hanks home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Killian and family of Wakefield, Reynold Settell of Bloomfield and Louis Hanson of Wakefield were visitors at the Dean Hansen home Sunday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Emery were in Omaha over Sunday visiting relatives.

Miss Doris Madsen who teaches school at Center was home for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bathke spent Sunday with relatives and friends at Bloomfield.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. MacDonald of Wisner spent Sunday at the J. M. Soden home.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Granquist and family were visitors at the T. A. Straight home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Soden of Leslie precinct spent Saturday afternoon at the J. M. Soden home.

Miss Mary Lewis of Plainview, and Miss Maude Curley, Mrs. J. M. Barrett and the Misses Edith and Maxine Barrett were Norfolk visitors Saturday.

See the new low priced mens oxfords and work shoes at Gambles.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Watson and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Auker were entertained at dinner Sunday at the Charles White home.

Mrs. R. H. Banister and baby and Miss Blanche Banister spent Thursday at the Burton Nunemaker home at Allen. Mrs. Nunemaker was formerly Miss Hope Hoskinson of Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Ingwerson and son, Porrest, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beckner drove to Randolph Sunday to visit Miss Gladys Ingwerson who is teaching in the Randolph schools this term.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kopp of Emerson, Mr. and Mrs. Lee James of Pierce, and Miss Venita Kopp were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Anna Kopp. Miss Venita spent the weekend here.

Mrs. S. J. Ickler and son, Willis, went to Creighton Friday to spend the week-end visiting home folks. S. J. Ickler went to Creighton Saturday night. They all returned together Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Straight and Mrs. J. M. Bennett went to Sioux City Saturday, taking the Straights' 8-months old son to a Sioux City hospital. The little fellow had masteoid and has been quite seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivar Jensen and family spent Sunday evening at the Henry Schroeder home in honor of Mrs. Jensen's and Mr. Schroeder's father, H. D. Schroeder, the occasion being his 67th birthday which was that day.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Echtenkamp and family were guests at dinner Sunday evening at the Harvey Echtenkamp home. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Echtenkamp Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Grounke and baby were also guests there.

Mrs. O. C. Loud, Mrs. J. A. Hershman, and Mrs. J. E. Lund, and daughter, Janice, all of Newcastle, spent Tuesday afternoon at the J. M. Soden home here. The men folks attended the Ole G. Nelson hog sale at the Wayne pavilion that afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kilborn and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fox drove to the Anna Libengood who had visited Sunday evening, taking home Miss Anna Libengood who had visited friends here over Saturday and Sunday. They spent the evening visiting at the Libengood home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Bressler and family drove to Omaha and Council Bluffs, Iowa, Sunday, going to the latter city to visit relatives. They took Charlie Martin with them as far as Omaha where he is spending some time for medical treatment. John James also went with them as far as Omaha where he visited his son, Paul James, who has been at the Lord Lester hospital recuperating from a broken knee cap sustained some time ago.

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house-keeping. Dr. W. B. Vall.—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Norton and son, Elrod, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Meyers and children and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bush and daughter, Anita, were Sunday dinner guests at the C. T. Norton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Childs and Weldon Childs, of Orchard, were visitors with relatives and friends here last week-end, being guests while here at the Ray Robinson home near Wayne. Gayle is a student at the local college and remained, but the others returned to Orchard Monday morning.

Mrs. Henry Fox, formerly Miss Mary Meyers, left Saturday evening for West Point where she and her husband will operate a cafe. She was married to Henry Fox of Newcastle last September, but the wedding was not announced until about a week ago. The announcement came as a surprise to all her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anderson of Wakefield, Charlie Johnson of near Concord, Emil Briandson of northwest of Wayne, the Misses Irene and Mildred Frederickson of south of Concord, Axel Frederickson and son, Clifford of south of Concord, and the Misses Hazy, Minnie, and Opal Carlson were among Wayne visitors Saturday afternoon.

Elmer Fuller spent Friday evening at the Robert Stambaugh home. Mr. Fuller's parents homesteaded in Pottawatomie county, Kansas, in 1871 and Mrs. Stambaugh's parents bought a homestead in the adjoining county, namely, Marshall county, Kansas, in 1870. Mr. and Mrs. Stambaugh and their guest enjoyed a pleasant evening of reminiscence.

Ivar Jensen had the misfortune of having his truck turn over about noon last Friday. The accident occurred about two miles west of Wayne on the Winside road. Mr. Jensen had loaded the truck with wood and was trying to get it back onto the road from the ditch when it slipped on some ice and slid around in such a way as to over balance and tip over.

A large group of relatives and friends came to the H. C. Barleman home unawares Tuesday evening last week and surprised them in honor of their 10th wedding anniversary and Mr. Barleman's birthday. Five hundred was the diversion of the evening after which a lunch brought by the guests was served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. H. Barleman Sr. and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Barleman and son, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Barleman and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frevert, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Frevert, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Larson, Mr. Ernest Frevert and children, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Samonson and son Walter, and the Misses Olinda and Emily Euerman of Pender, and the Misses Evelyn Mark and Meta Miller of Wisner.

Wayne Carpenter spent Friday at Bloomfield.

Sam Saden was a Wayne visitor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Straight and Mrs. Bennett are staying in Sioux City.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Grantham and daughter, Maddyline, drove to Hartington Sunday afternoon to visit Mr. and Mrs. Hans Schager.

See the New low priced boys oxfords and work shirts at Gambles.

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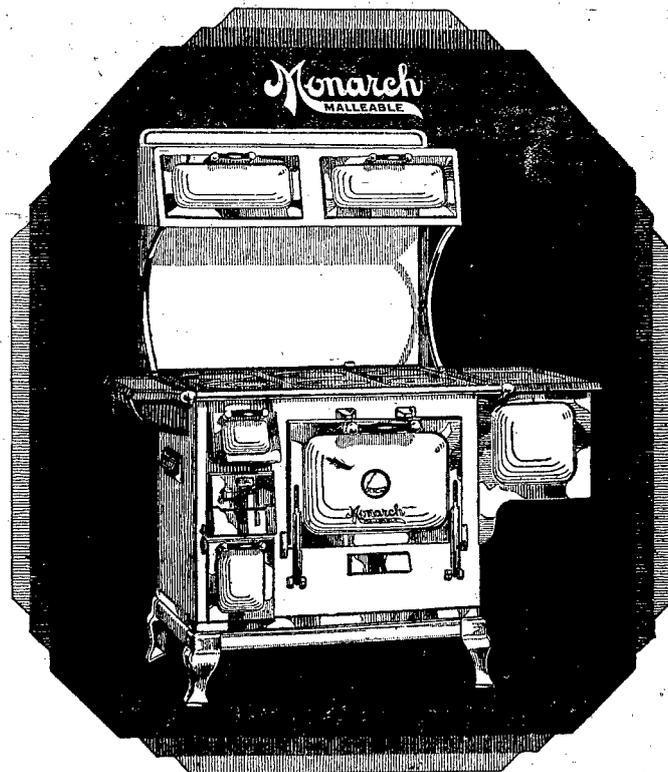
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1 Cake Flour Container 1 Cake Cover
1 Never-Stain Cake Knife 1 Coffee Container
1 Never-Stain Bread Knife 1 Tea Container
1 Cake-Bread Board 1 Toast Cover



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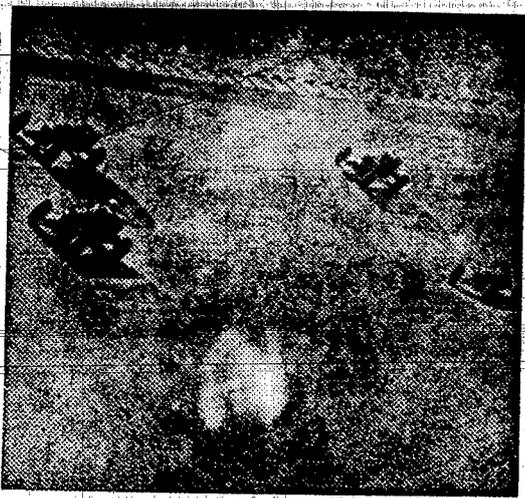
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50,000 FANS WATCHED THIS RACE. When this picture was snapped some of America's most famous auto racing drivers were clipping off an average speed of 133 miles an hour. That speed is a little too fast for most people, although we wouldn't mind having their "pickup." Many of these drivers service their cars exclusively with the same famous Diamond Ethyl super-gas and motor oils which are sold at Merchant & Strahan's Filling Stations.

East of Wayne

Mrs. Orville Erickson and Blanche spent Friday with Mrs. Luther Bard, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ring and family were Sunday dinner guests in the Ernest Hysoe home.

The Ed Sandahl, Henry Nelson and Rudolph Kay families were Friday supper guests in the Ed Larson home.

Mrs. Henry Nelson and Mrs. Ed Larson spent Wednesday afternoon last week with Mrs. F. C. Sandahl. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ring and family were Friday supper guests in the Wes Reubeck home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Reubeck and Joan spent Sunday in Vermillion, S. D. with Mr. and Mrs. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pearson and family were Sunday evening visitors in the H. Miner home.

Mrs. Clarence Pearson and daughters spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Art Hullman.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Agler were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Minnie Lessman of Wayne and spent the evening in the Ray Agler home.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Agler of Fremont spent Sunday afternoon in the Ray Agler home.

Miss Ivadell Gray spent Sunday in the Ray Agler home visiting Marian and Mildred Agler.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sorenson spent Sunday evening in the Paul Peterson home in Wakefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sorenson and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sorenson and son spent Thursday in Sioux City. The men had hogs on the market that day.

Miss Clara Sorenson spent Sunday in the Harris Sorenson home. That evening they all visited the Carl Peterson family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Long and Melvin spent Sunday in the Rudolph Kay home.

Mrs. Rudolph Kay and baby, Mrs. John Kay spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Long.

Pete Lundgren and Axel Nelson were Thursday supper guests in the Henry Nelson home.

The John Bressler family and the Ed Sandahl family spent Monday in Sioux City.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Walters spent Sunday in the Charley Walters home. They spent Monday evening this week in the Mrs. Frank Utecht home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Utecht, and Walter Utecht spent Sunday evening in the Herman Utecht home.

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

Christ Peterson was a Sunday supper guest of Frank Haglund.

The following attended a party in the John Holtorf home Wednesday evening last week: Cora and Frank Haglund, Clara Walters, Lawrence Utecht, Mr. and Mrs. Art Walters and the Richard Utecht young folks. The evening was spent socially. Lunch was served.

The Jack Soterburg, Warner Erlanderson, Russell Johnson and Nell McCorkindale families were Sunday dinner guests in the Henry Nelson home.

Mrs. Ed Larson and Earl were Saturday afternoon visitors in the N. E. Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Test, Mr. and Mrs. August Long, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Echtenkamp, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Frevert and Mr. Echtenkamp were supper guests in the Ed Larson home Thursday evening.

Mrs. August Long attended a shower in the Rudolph Long home one afternoon last week for Miss Eva Pline of Pender who is soon to be the bride of Bill Long. The following evening friends gave a shower for Mr. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. August Long were Friday supper guests in the Theodore Long home.

Mr. and Mrs. August Kay and Mr. and Mrs. John Kay spent Sunday in the John Meyer home.

Mrs. Carl Sievers spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Simon.

Mrs. Carl Sievers visited school Friday.

Glenn Sandahl spent Sunday with Jimmy Erickson celebrating his 9th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Long were Sunday dinner guests in the Ed Frevert home and Sunday evening visitors in the W. H. Echtenkamp home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Larson and Earl called in the Lawrence Ring home Sunday evening.

Read the advertisements.

Wilbur

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kay and son were Saturday evening supper guests in the Alex Jeffrey home.

Miss Lois Pierson spent Friday night and Saturday with Miss Dorothy Gildersleeve.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jeffrey and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson called Thursday evening in the Oscar Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kay and son, called Sunday evening in the George Hofeldt home.

Mrs. W. C. Cooper and Kenneth Pierson spent the week-end in the Gurney Prince home near Winside.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson and Blair Jeffrey spent Monday evening in the Alex Jeffrey home.

Mrs. Harry Lessman and Jimmy called Wednesday afternoon in the Ed Grier home.

Sunday afternoon callers in the Ed Grier home were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lessman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heilwagen and family and Mr. and Mrs. James Grier and Marjorie.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jonson entertained at a six o'clock dinner Sunday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pierson and Kenneth and Miss Lois Pierson, Mr. and Mrs. Gurney Prince, Mrs. W. C. Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jeffrey.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. George Hoguewood entertained in honor of Mrs. Wm. Hoguewood, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hoguewood, Miss Di Vita Headley and Everett Hoguewood of Ponca, Albert Anderson, Mrs. Hattie Stallsmith and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jeffrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Watson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Auker were entertained Sunday for dinner in the C. W. White home.

Mr. and Mrs. August Kruse and daughter, Marian, spent Sunday evening in the Jno. Dunklau home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Otte and family and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beckman and children spent Monday evening in the Lou Gramberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Day and Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gramberg and children spent Wednesday evening in the Will Hansen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Otte spent Wednesday at the Fred Otte home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hansen and baby were Thursday supper guests in the Dan Heitholt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Roascker and baby spent Friday evening in the Fred Otte home.

Mr. and Mrs. James McIntosh and granddaughter, Miss Lorene Lessman were Sunday dinner guests at the Fred Beckman home.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Jones from Carroll and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Day spent Sunday evening in the Frank Hicks home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beckman and children spent Friday evening in the Amos Echtenkamp home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hicks and daughter, Mary, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Day spent Friday evening in the C. J. Harmer home near Carroll.

Otto Franzen from near Randolph spent Sunday at John Schroeder's.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Meyers and children spent Sunday evening in the Fred Beckman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hansen and baby called Sunday afternoon on Mrs. J. H. Luders in Wayne.

In honor of her husband's birthday Mrs. Lou Gramberg entertained Mr. and Mrs. Will Lutt, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hansen and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Otte and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Schroeder and children, Anton Olson and children, George Otte, Henry and Herman Franzen on Sunday evening. The evening was spent playing games after which Mrs. Gramberg served lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bock and daughter Adeline called Sunday afternoon at the Otto Sabs home.

Zierman and Melvin Franzen spent Thursday evening in the Jno. Schroeder home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Franzen and children were Sunday supper guests in the Jno. Schroeder home.

Mrs. Peter Miller and Mrs. Emil Miller from Wakefield called Wednesday afternoon on Mrs. Otto Sabs.

Mildred Franzen from Wayne spent Saturday night and Sunday in the John Schroeder home.

Miss Olive Humbert, student at Wayne State Teachers' college, was a dinner guest Sunday at the Iree Reed home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Krotcher went to Omaha Tuesday last week, Mr. Krotcher going to get lenses fitted for her eyes and for further treatment. Mr. Krotcher returned home the next day but Mrs. Krotcher did not return until the first of this week.

Concord News

Keith and Kenneth Erickson spent Saturday afternoon in the Albert Nygren home.

Misses Hazel and Minnie Carlson were Thursday afternoon visitors in the home of their grandmother, Mrs. Christina Johnson.

Bobby Erwin was an all night guest of Quinton Erwin in the Thomas Erwin home Thursday.

Wednesday evening visitors in the Olaf Nelson home were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lindval of Ponca, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Nelson, and Fred Anderson. Mrs. Olof Nelson accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Lindval home to spend a couple of days.

Miss Geneva Nygren spent Wednesday evening after school in the John Nygren home.

Mrs. Wymore Wallin was a Wednesday afternoon visitor of Mrs. Arvid Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson were Monday afternoon and supper guests in the Nels O. Anderson home.

Louis Swanson was a visitor in the Olof Nelson home Sunday.

Miss Edna Ericson was a guest in the Albert Nygren home all day last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Linn were Wayne callers Wednesday.

Ivar Anderson returned from Sioux City Tuesday. He had been staying a few days with his daughter, Carol, who is at the hospital there. It is reported that she is improving.

Mrs. Nels Erickson spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. John Nygren.

Mrs. Harry Postlewait and son Roy and Harold and Fern Erwin went to Sioux City Saturday to visit Miss Doris Postlewait who is training to become a nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Bjorndlund and children of near Wakefield were Sunday afternoon visitors in the Emil Swanson home.

Mr. and Mrs. August Linke were Wayne visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hanson and daughter, Mildred, called in the Gus Carlson home, north of Dixon, Thursday afternoon.

Miss Edna Ericson spent the latter part of last week with Mrs. Clarence Ericson in Laurel.

Thursday evening guests in the Albert Nygren home were Mrs. Emil Nygren of South Dakota, and Fritz Danielson.

The Ivar Anderson family was relieved of quarantine last Friday. They stayed at the home of Anna Anderson at Wayne while their house was being fumigated.

Mr. and Mrs. John Erwin and family were Sunday supper guests in the Dave Paul home.

Miss Teckla Goldberg spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Goldberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Erickson spent Saturday in Wayne. Mr. Erickson attended tractor school there.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Nelson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pomeroy and daughter of Allen, and Mr. and



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Wayne, Nebr.

Mrs. Thad Curley and daughter of near Allen at supper Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Borg were Friday afternoon callers in the Arvid J. Peterson home.

Mrs. George Monk and daughters, Margaret and Marjorie, were visitors in the John Erwin home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hanson and daughter, Mildred, were in Allen Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Peterson entertained a number of friends and relatives at their home Wednesday evening in honor of their son Ward's birthday.

Rev. Nelson and the choir of the Mission church at Wakefield came to Concord last Wednesday evening and gave a program at the Mission church there.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shackelford were visitors in the John Erwin home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gereon Allvin and Arthur Carlson of Wayne visited in

the Nels O. Anderson home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Erickson and sons were supper guests in the Albert Nygren home Saturday evening.

George Magnuson drove to Sioux City Friday. Clarence Erickson returned home with him, after having been at the hospital for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kardell and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gail Sellon were Sunday dinner guests in the Frank Kardell home.

Birthday Party.

A number of young folks were entertained at a party in the Axel Fredrickson home Tuesday evening.

The occasion was to celebrate the birthday of Clifford Fredrickson. Games were played and a luncheon was served before the guests left.

Mrs. Tom Dunn Jr.'s uncle, John Keisting of Sioux City, was a visitor at the Dunn home Sunday.



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WAYNE MARKET REPORTS

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

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

VIEWING WITH ALARM

Silk stocking socialists, women who talk about establishing the millennium over tea cups, and better turn their ears toward Russia and the Soviet ultimatum.

There is no excuse of "looking after the home." The home living quarters, clothing and food is provided by the government.

The "work or starve" plan, if instituted in the United States, would cause quite a few starvation deaths among the people who cry the loudest against the "heavy handed dictatorial rule" of the land of the free.

So the women who do their work by "viewing with alarm" had better "view with alarm" the chance that if they keep on talking they might bring communism to America.

Incidentally, the people who are shouting for municipally owned gasoline stations should do some "viewing with alarm", too.

What's sauce for the goose is sauce for the rest of the geese, and if we have municipal gas stations, why wouldn't municipal drug stores, newspapers, grocery stores and restaurants be next in order?

EASY MONEY

Last week the papers were full of stories about Mrs. Myrtle Tanner Blackledge, internal revenue collector, who lost \$50,000 real money in a "faro swindle" after winning \$270,000 paper profits.

Women who think that professional gambling is a game should learn a lesson from Mrs. Blackledge's experience. Gambling is not, under any circumstances, a game.

When the professional augments his knowledge of the game with marked cards, crooked deals, chip coppers, card identifiers, mirror finger rings, hold-outs, and false shuffles it is obvious that the person with no knowledge of gambling methods doesn't have the ghost of a chance to win.

Magic has been a hobby of the writer's for years, and the one thing that we've learned from a personal of magic works pertaining to cards is that it would be mighty bad medicine to buck a card sharper who knows his business.

We can't show much sympathy for Mrs. Blackledge. She shouldn't have played the other fellow's game, and she's old enough to know that there is no such thing as "easy money."

JUSTICE! OH, YEAH!

Daisy DeBoe, Clara Bow's secretary, charged with grand theft, was found guilty on one of the 35 counts by a jury that had been deadlocked for 49 hours.

Eight of the jurors had been voting for acquittal and four for conviction. The verdict was a compromise.

There must be something wrong with a system of justice that will per-

mit a person to be found guilty when two-thirds of the jury are in favor of acquittal. And there is something decidedly wrong in a system that keeps a jury deliberating for 49 hours.

When we go behind the official verdict, we find that eight members of the jury—a two-thirds majority—were in favor of Miss De Boe's acquittal. Yet she was found guilty on one count that can carry a maximum ten-year prison sentence.

Freedom is something pretty serious, and when a jury system works as ours seems to work in certain instances, it is time for someone to come forward with a different way of arriving at determination of guilt or innocence.

A two-thirds majority is pretty strong in most places, but lack of a completely unified opinion puts Miss De Boe in a place where she faces ten years in prison.

ABSOLUTELY FREE

(If the newspaper should adopt the broadcasting company's methods.)

Washington, Dec., Jan. 21 (AP)—President Hoover today addressed the people of the United States as follows, but before giving the readers this inspired message, may we call attention to the highly important fact that now is the time to have your radiators tested for cold weather.

Here is what one eminent European authority has to say about having radiators tested for cold weather, says, "can be sure that his radiator is not going to freeze up on him if the weather gets sufficiently cold.

To prevent this and similar radiator troubles, such as buckling, cracking, splitting, popping, gaitre and chills-blains, I advise the constant use of No-Bust radiator compound. It protects the radiator, preserves the inner tubes, prevents chafing below the knees after the morning bath in winter and will give you more miles per cubic feet."

Now, reader, does not the word of an authority carry some weight? Do you not owe it to your wife and family—especially those kiddies of yours—to look into this radiator problem at once? Just drop a line to the No-Bust company or address this newspaper directly.

We have coming up for you in just a moment, remember, a fine speech by that prince of parliamentarians, that plumed knight of Iowa, California, London, China and the famous South American good will tour—Herbert Hoover. Pardon us just another moment, however, while we ask you a vital question. What time is it? Do you know? Do your friends know? Do they care? Well, when the gong strikes it will be exactly one and one-half minutes past 10 o'clock, central standard time.

MUSIC HATH CHARMS

Have you noticed that musicians are becoming scarcer notwithstanding the many advantages young people have over those of former generations, years ago there was little opportunity for a boy or girl to become proficient in music unless he showed unusual ability and attracted the attention of some one who gave him opportunity to take instruction necessary to develop his talent.

It is to be regretted that many young people do not take advantage of this opportunity. No doubt it is due in some extent to the many detractions that are continually contesting for the time and attention of young people. It takes study and application to become a proficient musician and unless one is willing to devote his time willingly to practice, he will never become proficient.

NO MAGIC WAND

We shouldn't like to be in Herbert Hoover's shoes. Nobody would. It is a catch bet that every time Al Smith

says his prayers he returns thanks for his providential defeat in 1928. The president is doing the best he knows how, just as Al would have done.—Omaha World-Herald

IDLE ACRES

John I. McFarland, new manager of the Canadian Wheat Pool and one of the best informed grain men in the world, says there must be a proportionate reduction in acreage among the wheat producing countries of the world.

The nations producing sugar outside of the U. S. are entering upon a plan to reduce their offering, and production of sugar. That includes Cuba, Java and European countries.

So the question comes home. The wheat grower in Canada, the sugar grower in Cuba, the wheat grower in some parts of the United States asks "What shall I do, My investment is the same and my taxes are no lower on the idle acres."

But there is another answer: It is the factory answer. Men having large investments in factories and skilled workers do not look complacently upon reduced production.

Fortunately reduced acreage in wheat in this country does not mean idle acres except in a few sections, and even in those sections reduction may come on the same theory that a specialty manufacturer cuts down production to profitable demand.

DR. MORROW'S PROPOSAL

The proposition made by Dr. J. Morrow, member of the legislature from Seward county, to abolish the state railway commission, is apt to occasion considerable discussion.

When the commission was first created something like 25 years ago it was with the idea of affording the public a medium through which it could adjust its differences with the railroads.

The railway commission has jurisdiction over telephone rates, and efforts are made each session of the legislature to place other public service corporations under its control, but thus far without success.

FAITH IN CHARLEY

If Charley Bryan has his way the code bill will be repealed in its entirety. But even if a republican legislature refuses to agree to an out and out repeal Bryan will find a way to cut expenses and make the tax dollar go much further than it has been going.

Madison Voters Favor Natural Gas Franchise

Voters of Madison, Neb., who voted on admission of the Midwest Natural gas company into their city on Tuesday, Jan. 27, cast ballots giving the gas firm a four to one majority.

The election was of an advisory nature, held as an indication of public sentiment to govern action of city officials.

SCOTT SHOTS

"SCOTTY"

No, Lizzie. Just because Doc Johnson takes care of sick pigs is no sign that he cures bacon.

Didja see the Wayne high school's operetta? If you didn't, you missed something, because it was a fine show, surprisingly well presented.

Carroll Orr went into Dr. Vail's to get his eyes examined. Doc Vail requested him to read the top line of a test card, the letters of which ran H P R T V Z B.

Carroll said nothing. A few moments elapsed, and Dr. Vail said, "Do you mean to say that you can't read letters of that size?"

Carroll replied, "Oh, I can see the letters all right, but, Doc, I can't pronounce that word to save my soul."

Some girls have two calves that only a cow could be proud of.

Herman's Lament

Backward, turn backward, oh, Time, in thy flight, And bring back the bar rooms just for tonight; Bring back the free lunch, the corner quartet, And the big nickel schooner that we used to get.

Of course, you've heard about the Scotchman who spent his honeymoon sitting at home with his wife looking at a picture of Niagara Falls while he left the water running in the sink.

Fowl Play

After the rabbit hunt a week ago, a few of the boys decided to take one of the rabbits to the Gem cafe and have it cooked.

"As a matter of fact," said Len McClure as he carved the rabbit, "I like any wild game. Do you?"

"I should say not," replied the waitress. "And I ought to slap your face."

Continual joy would be as unbearable as continual sorrow.

The bootlegger who is reported to sample his booze on guinea pigs should be a case for the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

It has been suggested that the Wickersham commission should be called the Lickersham commission.

I got into a discussion of spiritualism the other night, and it took me back to the days when I was out on the road with a lecture exposing the frauds of spirit mediums.

Magazines and scientific institutions have posted awards aggregating some \$20,000 to be given to anyone presenting any bona fide manifestation of psychic phenomena.

Spiritualists resented my little lecture vigorously. I illustrated it with various hocus-pocus stunts of the mediums, such as spirit slates, mental telepathy, mind-reading, thought prediction, tables that float in mid-air, the spirit dancing handkerchief, spirit cabinet, spirit rope ties, spirit writing, dark room seance, and transubstantiation, explaining to the audience that the feats were produced without any psychic help whatsoever and by trickery, pure and simple.

It was not uncommon for me to receive threatening anonymous letters, and in Burlington, Iowa, a heckler tried to cause trouble at one performance. I quieted him down by asking him to name any spiritualistic manifestation that I could not duplicate by means of magic.

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the audience. He left the theatre, enraged.

Here's a little poem we ran across it one of our exchanges, and we pass it along to you.

The Friend Who Just Stands By When trouble comes your soul to try, You love the friend who just stands by, Perhaps there's nothing he can do. The thing is strictly up to you, For there are troubles all your own, And paths the soul must tread alone; Times when love can't smooth the road,

Nor friendship lift the heavy load, But just to feel you have a friend, Who will stay by until the end; Whose sympathy through all endures, Whose warm handclasp is always yours, It helps somehow to pull you through, Although there's nothing he can do; And so, with frevent heart we cry "God bless the friend who just stands by."

Some of Wayne's old-timers who long loudly for return of the good old days may actually be longing inwardly for the return of the bad old nights.

When you read this, "Strange Interlude" will have come to Sioux City and gone again, but as we write these words, we are looking forward to real enjoyment in seeing Eugene O'Neill's nine-act masterpiece. Really good stage shows are such a rarity that an appearance of a good company in a fine play is something to value highly.

The secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Norfolk was dramatic critic on the Omaha Bee at one time, and he reminisced on the Mansfields, Booths, Joe Jeffersons, John Drews, and other luminaries he had come in contact with, when he spoke at the editorial association meeting a couple of weeks ago.

Gosh! He made us envious of the day when road shows came to the hinterland, and were not known only to a few of the key cities. Them wuz the days. This writer would gladly give his last three bucks any time to see a good company in a good dramatic presentation.

Have yuh ever heard about the time "Bunt" Fleewood went on a hunting trip up in Ontario? He was hurrying into camp one night and overtook the other members of the party.

"Are all the boys back from the woods yet?" he asked breathlessly. "Yes," replied one of the other hunters, "but why all your interest in the rest of us?"

"Well," said Bunt, his chest swelling with pride, "if everybody's back, then I shot a moose."

The Book Box

Ogden Nash, a decidedly "different" poet, has compiled much of his light verse into a book which is published by Simon and Schuster and sells for \$1.75.

There are such verses as: A girl who's bespectacled, Don't even get her necktied, But safety pins and bassnets Await the girl who fascinets.

I sit in an office at 244 Madison Avenue And say to myself you have a responsible job, havenyue

Why then do you fritter away your time on this doggerel? If you have a sore throat you can cure it by using a good goggeral. If you have a sore foot you can get it fixed by a chiropodist

And you can get your original sin removed by St. John the Popodist. Why then should this flocculent lassitude be incurable? Kansas City, Kansas, proves that even Kansas City needn't always be Missourible.

If you read The New Yorker magazine, you'll find Mr. Nash's work rather frequently, as the word-twisting rimester is on the editorial staff of that publication. If you read The New Yorker, you'll know right away that you want a copy of Ogden Nash's book. We think you'll want a copy of it, anyway. Yes, you and you and —no, not you, you sour-faced old crab.

Don't say the Book Box doesn't try to give you variety. Last week we started the colyum with a review of

Freidell's "Cultural History of the Modern Age." Shame on you if you skipped over it. This week we start the colyum with a review of something littenfrivaluss. Hot dawg! There are a word!

So yuh want to talk about funny poetry, stranger? Well, if yuh ask me, I'd say that Dorothy Parker and Samuel Hoffenstein are just one helluvalot better at that sort of thing than any of the other boys and girls making money by turning out laugh-rimes.

Ankle down to the bookstore or Milo's. Walk up to the counter fearlessly and say, with determination, "I want to buy a book of poetry by Samuel Hoffenstein or Dorothy Parker." Ask no questions. Take the plainly wrapped and securely sealed package home, and in the privacy of your boudoir laugh with Hoffenstein or Parker. You'll not be disappointed.

This rime-reader can remember back in the not so dim past when it was considered downright batty for a regular he-man guy to read poetry. The man who confessed to enjoying a volume of verse was suspected of membership in the Pansy brigade. There's a regular renaissance of poetic interest. Enough so that we are encouraged to remark that a volume of the poetic works of Edward Arlington-Robinson would be a thing of beauty and joy forever to anyone.

Robert Frost is another poet that we'd recommend if we didn't think you'd get tough about too much poetry in this week's Book Box. "The Death of the Hired Man" is a poignant, stirring story in monotone that alone would be worth the price of Frost's complete works.

Men—You'll go in a big way for Carl Sandburg's "Smoke and Steel" It's the kind of poetry that men can understand and appreciate. After having heard Carl Sandburg sing "Franky and Johnny" at a meeting of the Saturday Lunch club, we reached the conclusion that poets were not necessarily sissies.

It would be hard to forget the time I heard Carl Sandburg read some of his poetry in Chicago. A friend had gone with me to hear Sandburg and we were both pretty much depressed when we left the auditorium. We walked along the street, saying nothing. There was a dingy, forlorn, ragged-faced billboard across the street. I said to my friend, "Well, Bill, what did you think of Sandburg's poetry?"

"See that billboard?" he answered. "Well, I don't want anybody writing poetry about that darned hing."

It was Carl Sandburg who advised John V. A. Weaver not to rush into publication. John V. A. Weaver has written some poetry that stirs the hearts of common people. "Love Em and Leave Em" was good, common home-spun stuff that appealed to everyone.

H. L. Mencken urged Weaver to publish anything he could. Sandburg told him to wait awhile, until he was more matured. Weaver followed Mencken's advice, and he hasn't been singularly successful. You'd like any of his poetry, however.

If you want to be really up-to-date on modern verse and don't want to spend too much time reading it, get a copy of Untermyer's Anthology of Modern Verse. It's a splendid collection and is inexpensive. It's a book that you'd want to keep and re-read numberless times.

Gosh! This is the end of the colyum, and we've talked about nothing but poetry. Who started talking about rimesters, anyway?

Gretchen Teckhaus Adds Clarinet Solo to Radio Program

Miss Gretchen Teckhaus' vocal program over radio station WJAG at Norfolk on Saturday, Jan. 31, will be augmented by clarinet selections played by Bennie Kay. Miss Doris Blackmer will act as accompanist for Miss Teckhaus and Mr. Kay. The program starts at 5:30 p. m.

Miss Teckhaus' selections will be as follows: "Haunt of the Witches," by Griswold. "You," by Crosse. Serenade (German) by Schubert. "Spring's Awakening," by Sanderson. "Coming Home," by Willaby. Both Miss Teckhaus and Miss Blackmer regret that they were unable to present their regular weekly program last Saturday on account of Miss Blackmer's illness.

Local and Personal

Fred Ickoff returned from Missouri last Friday.

G. G. Haller was a Winside visitor Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Horney were Sioux City visitors yesterday.

WANTED—Dining room girl part time. Boyd Coffee Shop.—adv. J29-2t

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Fuesler of Norfolk were visitors at the E. J. Fuesler home here last Friday.

Mrs. Lowell Henney's brother, Clarence Roe of Bellevue, Iowa, was here last week-end visiting the Henneys.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Comstock were Omaha business visitors Friday and Saturday, returning Saturday evening.

Miss Maryalice Ley returned to Lincoln Tuesday after spending the first of the week visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson and son Carl Jr., of near Laurel were Sunday dinner guests at the Wm. Buetow home.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant S. Mears and Miss Alice Lister were entertained at dinner Sunday at the W. J. Breslin home.

Mrs. W. D. Hall and children went to Blair Friday to visit home folks. They returned home Monday morning.

Miss Dora Wickman spent the week end in Pender with her mother who was ill. She returned to Wayne Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Hansen and baby drove to Hartington Sunday to visit Mr. Hansen's sister, Mrs. Cyril Dendinger.

Mrs. Ralph Crockett's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ferguson of Norfolk, were visitors at the Crockett home here Sunday.

A baby daughter, Elizabeth Louise, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gulliver at 8:00 o'clock last Saturday morning. The little Miss weighed nine and one-quarter pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mears of Sioux City were visitors Thursday at the Grant S. Mears home. They came to Wayne to attend the funeral of F. H. Jones which took place that day.

Mrs. Tom Culligan, wife of Tom Culligan, proprietor of the Boyd hotel slipped some way and fell on the sidewalk outside the hotel Tuesday afternoon, severely injuring her head on the walk.

Little Margaret Ann Costerisan, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. G. W. Costerisan, has been very ill the past week with a severe attack of pneumonia. She is now much improved and doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold T. Hein of Fremont, Miss Maryalice Ley of Lincoln, Bud Muffet and little Jean Plank, both of Fremont, drove to Wayne Sunday to visit at the Rollie W. Ley and H. B. Craven homes. They were all entertained at dinner Sunday at the Craven home. Mr. Hein, Bud and Miss Jean returned to Fremont Sunday evening. The others remained for a longer visit.

Wm. Woehler was Norfolk visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted C. Jorgenson and son of Shenandoah, Ia., were visitors at the W. J. Breslin home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Brugger and daughter, Marcella, were guests at supper and a social evening at the home of Mr. Brugger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brugger, at Winside Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Buetow and daughter, Izetta Fay, and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hansen and family were entertained at a 6:00 o'clock dinner last evening at the Carl Peterson home near Laurel.

Mrs. Inez Linn and son, Clarence, of Leigh were visitors at the John McIntyre home Monday and Tuesday. They also visited at the Guy Albert home. They plan on moving to Wayne in the near future.

Miss Maude Curley of Wayne and Miss Mary Lewis went to Plainview Saturday evening to visit friends over Sunday. Miss Lewis who is teaching school at that place went with Miss Curley and others to Norfolk (Saturday).

A baby son, Eugene John, was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Volk of Williston, N. D., on January 18, 1931. The new American tipped the scales at seven and one-eighth pounds. Mrs. Volk was formerly Miss Frances Beckenhauer of Wayne.

Mrs. C. C. Herndon returned home Tuesday evening from Sioux City where she had spent the week-end visiting her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Britton, and family. She also attended the play, Strange Interlude, while there.

Dr. Young's Dental Office over the Ahern's store. Phone 307—adv. 1t.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Teed will go to Sioux City tomorrow to get Mr. Teed's sister, Miss Myrtle Teed of Ponca, who has been recuperating at a Sioux City hospital from a recent operation for appendicitis. They will take her to her home at Ponca.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Seace and family and Miss Mamie McCorkindale went to Wakefield to visit Miss McCorkindale's niece, Miss Evangeline McCorkindale, who is recuperating from an auto accident which occurred recently about two miles south of Wakefield.

Mrs. Mary Honey of La Crosse, Wisconsin is now the instructor in the English department at the local college, taking the place of Miss Florence Teager who resigned and is attending the University of Iowa at Iowa City, Iowa. Mrs. Honey formerly taught in the University of Brazil in South America.

Mrs. George Lamberson spent from Sunday until Tuesday in Fremont visiting her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Anderson, her niece, Miss Violet Anderson, and her daughter, Mrs. Halie Lamberson Bliervnicht. Miss Violet drove to Wayne with Mrs. Lamberson Tuesday. Miss Violet stayed to spend the week with Mrs. Lamberson, but Mrs. Anderson returned to Fremont.

W. A. Meyers of this city and his sons, W. H. Meyers of near Wakefield and Arthur Meyers of Dixon, went to Amerit, Minn., Friday to attend the funeral of Wm. Wischhof who passed away Tuesday night last week. Others who went were George Wischhof, George Brammer, George Reuter, Albert Sahr, W. L. Wischhof, Mrs. Fred Aevermann, Miss Laura Habermann, Gus Johnson, and Herbert Wischhof, the latter of Laurel. George Wischhof stayed with Andrew Lundin at his home at Granit Falls, Minn., until Monday.

OFFER GOOD TIME ON COUNTY POULTRY DAY

Promise Free Attractions; Merchandise Prizes to Be Awarded.

Plenty of attractions will be offered to Wayne county people on Saturday, Feb. 14, the day that Wayne county citizens send a car-load of live poultry to the stricken Arkansas drought area.

The Democrat is making arrangements to offer special street attractions which cannot definitely be announced as yet. The Wayne municipal band will offer a street concert.

Merchants have signified their intentions of co-operating with the program beyond The Democrat's fondest hopes, and prizes of value will be offered by them to the person bringing in the largest chicken, the person bringing a chicken from the longest distance, the person bringing the most chickens, the youngest contributor, the oldest contributor, and for other novel features.

The prize list is incomplete, but full announcement of prizes and their donors will be given in next week's Democrat.

Read the advertisements.

HIGH SCHOOL PEP MEETINGS POPULAR

Start Declamatory Work; to Debate Pender and Newcastle.

Pep meetings sponsored by the classes are arousing enthusiasm for the basketball games. The Sophomore class was in charge of the rally for the Wakefield game; the Juniors, for the South Sioux City game, the Freshmen have charge of the rally for the Hartington game; and the Seniors, for the West Point game.

New Members in Freshman Class—Mae and Horace Longmack are new members who have enrolled in the Freshman class this last week.

Declamatory Work Starts—All contestants who have entered in the Dramatic and Humorous sections of declamatory have begun work on their readings. Miss Verna Mae O'Neill has charge of these two sections.

The extemporaneous and oratorical sections have not yet begun work. Mr. W. A. Behl has charge of these sections.

Expression Class Interesting—Students in Expression class are working on individual readings. Those who are taking Declamatory are allowed to work on their readings in class. Next week work will be begun on dialect plays.

To Debate Pender and Newcastle—The Wayne Debate teams meet Pender here Wednesday on both sides of the question. They meet the negative and affirmative teams from Newcastle Friday.

All members of the Debate class will have a chance to participate in debates during the year.

Pictures Received—The pictures have been received this week by all the grades. These pictures were bought with the money earned at the county fair and with the money from the art exhibit, which was held at the high school recently. The Kindergarten class received "Song of the Lark"; the first grade received "Can't You Talk"; the second grade received "Little Man of the Woods"; the third grade received "Along the Canal"; the fifth grade received "Sir Galahad"; the sixth grade received "Sweetheart"; the seventh grade received "Enchanted Pool" and the eighth grade "The Mill Race."

Perfect Attendance—Pupils in the first grade having perfect attendance are: Bobby Duhy, Roland Mahnke, Donald McPherron, Paul Petersen, Harold Rachbaumer, Dorothy Beekes, Leah Jane Cauwe, Betty Jane Gildersleeve, Barbara Heine, Ruth Gene Phipps, and Betty Ann Zepplin.

Pupils in the second grade having perfect attendance are Irene Beekes, Mildred Franzen, Wilma Gene Hogae-wood, Mildred Anne Mau, Donald Powers, Violet Rhebalt, and Hallis Simmerman.

Pupils in the fourth grade having perfect attendance are: Richard Gildersleeve, Verne Newberry, Phyllis Pinkham, Wilma Stensen, and Marian Vath.

Services Tomorrow for Carroll Woman

Funeral services will be held tomorrow, Jan. 30, at the home of Miss Marie Bock, 55, who died Tuesday morning, Jan. 27. She lived on a farm near Carroll.

Miss Bock was born on Nov. 10, 1875, in Douglas county, Neb., to Claus and Magrada Bock. Interment will be in Greenwood cemetery.

Stone Altar to Mark State Masonry Birth

Nebraska's first Masonic lodge was organized in the old trading post at Bellevue in 1855. The site on which the post stood is no more. Voracious waters of the Missouri swallowed it up, but that incident does not weaken the intention of members of Nebraska lodge No. 1 to erect an altar that will commemorate the beginnings of Masonry in this state.

A monument of Vermont granite, six feet high and four feet square, in the form of a Masonic altar, has been provided by a past master of the lodge. As soon as the officers of the lodge and the trustees of the village can determine upon a suitable site for the stone, it will be placed with fitting ceremonies.

Fading glories of old Bellevue do not dim its great memories. It has been called the cradle town of Nebraska. It is the state's oldest continuous settlement. Here the most important post in the fur trading days was located. Here, in 1854, came Francis Burt to be inaugurated the first governor of the territory. Here the first mission to the Indians was founded. Its inhabitants located in their aspirations the prosperous capital of the state.

Fate was unkind to Bellevue. The capital went to Omaha. Even the county seat moved away and located at Papillion. The old court house still stands looking dreamily at the river and in the room on the second floor, which once rang with the arguments of attorneys before the court, meets Nebraska lodge No. 1. The charter of the lodge, musty with age but mellow with service, hangs on the wall. On a towering hill the vacant windows of Bellevue college flash messages of the morning and evening sun. Bellevue lives on amid its precious memories.

Wildcats Lose Game to Kearney Antelopes

Wayne State Teachers' college basketball team took a set-back in their fight for retention of conference basketball championship honors when they lost their first conference start of the season to the Kearney Antelopes last Friday evening, Jan. 23, by a score of 25 to 19. The game was played at Kearney.

Loren Andrews was out of the game with leg infection, and Alexander and Paul were also suffering with injuries.

The first half was featured by erratic play on the part of both teams and ended with the Kearney team on the long end of an 11-7 count. With three minutes of the second half left to play the score was tied at 19-all, but Kearney rallied to win.

Coach Ray Hickman says that he is offering no alibis for the loss of the game and that Kearney won, not because of injuries to the Wayne squad, but due to the fact that they hit the basket more consistently than the Wildcats did.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors and American Legion and auxiliary for their many kindnesses and beautiful floral offerings during our recent bereavement in the death of our son and grand-son.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heine, Mr. and Mrs. Antone Lerner and family.

NOTICE

Anyone desiring to donate to the Red Cross relief fund may do so by sending check either to Mrs. B. W. Huse, chairman, Mrs. H. H. Hahn, secretary or Wm. M. Orr, treasurer.



NO CLEANING AND PRESSING PROBLEM HERE! These African natives don't have to worry having their clothes cleaned and pressed. Folks in Wayne realize that Africa's a long way off, and demand skilled workmanship of the kind that Jacques gives to garments. Wise Wayne people insist on having their clothes cleaned in Jacquesol.

Farm Accident Report Shows 1361 Casualties

Farm accidents reported in Nebraska newspapers for the 19 month period to Jan. 1, 1931, show that during this time on Nebraska farms there have occurred a total of 1,361 casualties by which 1,074 people were badly injured; 180 disabled; and 107, killed.

Of these casualties 836 have occurred to farm operators or owners of farms; 406 members of farmers' families have been stricken and 113 farm laborers have been injured, disabled or killed.

Of the 180 persons disabled, 14 were farm laborers, 52 were members of farmers' families and 114 were farm owners or operators.

103 people living on farms suffered amputations. Farm machinery was responsible for 92 of these. Circular saws, corn shellers, corn huskers and shredders, threshing machines, mowers and feed grinders, in the order given, were responsible for the bulk of amputations caused by farm machinery.

General causes of all farm casualties reported in 19 months were: farm animals, 481; farm machinery, 405; falls and flying objects, 266; and miscellaneous causes, 208.

Cedar county reported more accidents than any other county in the state, and Wayne county was tied with Douglas county for eighth place with 34 accidents reported.

Former Wayne Man Dies at Long Pine

Theodore Deurig of Long Pine, Neb., died Tuesday, Jan. 27, at his home. He was engaged in the general merchandise business in Wayne for about 15 years in company with Herman Henney and Alph Furchner, under the firm name of Furchner, Deurig and company.

Mr. Deurig was born on Sept. 26, 1861, in Belmont county, Ohio. He was 69 years old at the time of his death.

He was affiliated with the Masonic lodge while a resident of Wayne and continued his activity in that organization after moving to Long Pine.

He is survived by his widow and five sons. The sons run a bottling works which Mr. Deurig owned at Long Pine.

Read the advertisements.

Will Durant Speaks at College Auditorium

Will Durant, "the man who popularized philosophy," spoke to a crowd that taxed the capacity of the college auditorium last night, Jan. 28, and convinced his listeners that he was a man of forceful personal magnetism.

Small of stature, rather mild mannered, he spoke smoothly but occasionally burst out into machine gun volleys of acidic wit. His apparent Small of stature, rather mild mannered to the interest of his lecture. He gave the audience the impression of a piercing insight into the minds of men.

If his writing is of a "popular" nature, his speaking is no less so. Doctor Durant did not "talk down" to his audience, and yet he talked on even terms with his listeners about things the audience had not understood clearly. He stressed progress in faith, and said he believed the world was heading surely toward a definite goal.

Death Takes Brother of Walter R. Weber

Jacob Weber, 65, of Florence, Neb., brother of Walter R. Weber of Wayne, died suddenly at Florence on Thursday, Jan. 21. He had often visited in Wayne and had many friends in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Weber attended the funeral which was conducted by the Masonic lodge at the Florence Masonic temple last Saturday afternoon, Jan. 24.

Jacob Weber was born at Florence on Nov. 11, 1865. He owned and operated the Florence Mills, and had spent his life in the milling business. He was a thirty-second degree Mason and a highly respected citizen.

Mr. Weber is survived by his wife, two sons, John and Lyman; two brothers, Emil Weber of Clear Lake, Iowa, and Walter Weber of Wayne; and two sisters, Mrs. Douglas Smith of Florence and Mrs. Mattie Griffin of Los Angeles, Calif.

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Around Our Town

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Richards spent Friday evening at the H. J. Mahnke home.

Robert Carpetner of Madison visited his mother, Mrs. Bertha Carpenter, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Rinks and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blison and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Mahnke Sunday evening. The evening was spent in cards.

Mrs. L. W. Kratavil's sister, Mrs. W. J. Montgomery of Norfolk, and Mrs. Blanche Bloedorn, also of Norfolk, were visitors at the Kratavil home here Monday.

Mrs. Nels Lyngen of near Wayne called on Mrs. Mary Doring Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Blodgett left yesterday for Ethan, S. D., to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Perkins and children were Sioux City visitors Friday afternoon.

Joe and Miss Ida Forsberg of near Laurel were among Wayne visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Peterson and family called in the George Fox home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Money of Alden were visitors at the Ralph Riley home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kohrt and family were Sunday dinner guests at the Emil Bargholtz home.

Miss Louise Rickabaugh of Osmond was a guest of her mother, Mrs. Alice Rickabaugh, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Blodgett and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sundell were Omaha visitors Wednesday last week.

Dr. C. A. McMaster gave a lecture before the students of one of Prof. C. R. Chih's classes Wednesday morning last week.

Carl Sundell of Wakefield and Edgar Blodgett of Wayne went to Mitchell, S. D., Friday. They returned home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McClure and little daughter, Carolyn, and Mrs. R. L. Larson and daughter, Margaret, were in Yankton, S. D., Sunday.

Miss Mildred Ross of Wakefield called at the A. W. Ross home here Sunday evening. She will come tomorrow to spend the week-end at the Ross home.

Miss Bessie Miller and Eric Mejerhenry of Hoskins and Miss Dorothy Davis of Wayne were guests at supper Sunday evening at the Wm. Buc-tow home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bush and daughter, Anita, called on friends at Coleridge Sunday afternoon. They were guests at supper and spent the evening at the Fred Hellwig home at Coleridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Blodgett and O. W. Milliken were Sunday dinner guests at the Carl Sundell home in Wakefield. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Erickson and son, Elwin, of Winside were also guests there.

Mrs. L. W. Kratavil goes to South Norfolk tomorrow to speak before the Mothers' Bible class in the afternoon and before the adult, young people's and children's class combined at the chapel in the evening. Mrs. Blanche Bloedorn, the usual instructor of the classes, will speak before the Young People's Bible class in Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Lyngen and daughter, Gwenivere, were visitors at the Edwin Olson home near Concord Sunday. Mrs. Olson is recuperating from a broken forearm she sustained about two weeks ago when she fell down the stairs at her home. She is doing very nicely and is able to do much of her work in spite of the temporary loss of the use of the arm.

WITH THE WAYNE CHURCHES

First Baptist Church
W. E. Brasted, Pastor
10:00—The church Sunday school for Bible study. Welcome to all classes. The pastor leads, only the discussion by the fine group of young people. Subject: "Christian Ministry to Physical Ills."
11:00—The morning worship hour, inspiring music, and the Communion service; with brief message, subject: "Loved to the Uttermost."
8:30—The Young people's fellowship discussion group. And its a-going issue. Tried it? Why not? Topic: "For What Shall I Live?" Well, What for? Is it worth the candle, anyway? That depends.
7:30—The good fellowship hour. Singing all enjoyed and share, led by the chorus directed by Prof. Hans-com. Why not join and help? Offer special numbers. Vital message, subject: The Heart of Christianity. What is the Heart of Christianity. If any one should ask you, what would you say?

Wednesday 7:30—The Life enrichment hour. Prayer, Bible study, witness.
Thursday 7:30—The chorus choir meets for practice at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rennick.
February 8—Evening, subject: Lincoln, Slavery, and the Liquor Question.
February 22—Washington and Entangling Alliances.
You might like to plan to hear these, hence advance notices.

First Methodist Episcopal Church
W. W. Whitman, Pastor.
10:00—Sunday school.
11:00—Morning worship with sermon by the pastor and special organ and choir music. The aim of our public worship is not merely to entertain but to minister to the spiritual growth individually and as a church. In order to accomplish this, you must have definite habits of worship.
4:30—Vesper service. The vote taken last Sunday was more than 3 to 1 in favor of Vesper services but the majority expressed a wish for the services to be held at 4:30 instead of 5 o'clock. We have decided to continue our Vesper service for a time at least at 4:30 o'clock. We plan a special feature at this service next Sunday that will be of real interest to all. Special music by the vesper choir.
5:30—Young Peoples meeting, this is always a worthwhile service for it is conducted by a most worth while group of young people.

Wednesday, Feb. 4—Official board meeting at the parsonage. Note the change in time from Monday to Wednesday.

First Presbyterian Church
P. A. Davies, Pastor
Our services for next Sunday are as follows: Sunday school, 10:00, let us be prompt in our attendance. Morning worship, 11:00. Stewardship classes, 5:45. Covered dish supper, 6:45, followed by evening program.
We are not sure in regard to our Stewardship services in the evening as we have not received word from Minneapolis office in regard to the slides we hope to use. But we are to have at least four classes and the supper. Each family bring own supper and dishes. Coffee will be provided. Would it not greatly help our Christian spirit of fellowship if as families we invite others to "sup" with us?

There will be a meeting of the Session immediately after the morning service. We appreciate the loyalty of the young people to our services. There were 40 in our two choirs Sunday night.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
W. C. Heldenreich, Pastor
10:00—Sunday school.
11:00—Morning worship.
7:00—Luther League.
Miss Clara Madsen gave an interesting address on Porto Rico at the Luther League service last Sunday night which was enjoyed by those present.
Mission study class at the parsonage this Thursday at 2 p. m.
The canvassers are out this week getting pledges for the Christian education fund in support of the college and seminaries at Fremont and Lincoln. We hope for a hearty response from all of our members.

Grace Lutheran Church
(Missouri Synod)
H. Hoppmann, Pastor
10:00—Sunday school.
10:00—Service in the German language.
11:00—Service in the English language.
Men's club meeting, Thursday evening 7:30, at the parsonage.
The Waltham League will meet Friday evening 7:30, at the chapel.

Evangelical Lutheran Church
H. A. Teckhaus, Pastor
10:00—Sunday school.
11:00—German preaching service.
7:30—Luther League meeting.

Jan. 31, Religious instruction at 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.
The ladies aid meets February 5 at the home of Mrs. W. Dammeyer. Come and worship with us.

Church of Christ
10:00—Bible school.
11:00—Worship and communion.
6:30—Christian Endeavor.
Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock prayer meeting.
Rev. Guy B. Dunning of Clearwater will speak Monday evening, Feb. 9.

Christian Science Society
Beckenhauser Chapel
10:00—Sunday school.
11:00—Services. Subject: Love. Golden-text: Jeremiah 31:3.
Wednesday evening, Feb. 4, testimonial meeting at 8:00 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

UNITED STATES COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA, NORFOLK DIVISION.
In the Matter of Jay Ralph Rundell, of Wayne, Nebraska. Bankrupt. Case No. 733.
In Bankruptcy.
VOLUNTARY Petition.
On this 26 day of January, A. D. 1931, on filing and reading the petition of the above named bankrupt for discharge, it is

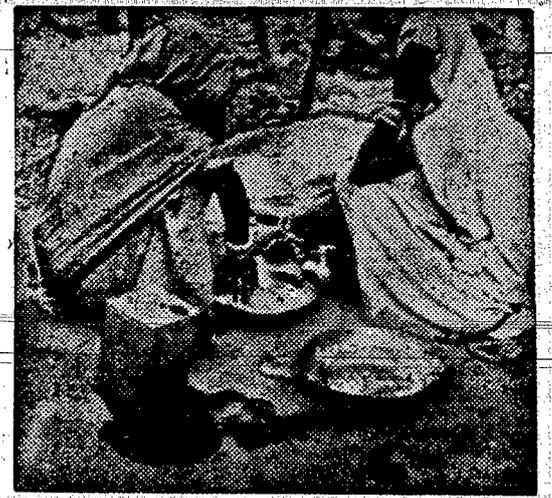
ORDERED, that on the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1931, be and the same is hereby fixed as the date on or before which all creditors of, and all other persons interested in said estate and in the matter of the discharge in bankruptcy of the said bankrupt shall file in my said office in Norfolk, Nebraska, in said district, their appearance in writing in opposition to the granting of said discharge, and also, within ten days thereafter, file in my said office specifications of the grounds of said opposition.
WITNESS my hand thereto, at my office in Norfolk, Nebraska, the day and date herein first above written.

FORREST LEAR,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES
The State of Nebraska, Wayne County, ss.
I, Bertha Berres, County Clerk of Wayne County, Nebraska, do hereby certify that at a regular meeting of the board of county commissioners of Wayne County, Nebraska, held on January 13, 1931, the following estimate of expenses was made for Wayne County, Nebraska, for the year 1931.

County General Fund\$60000.00
County Bridge Fund 40000.00
County Road Fund 50000.00
Mother's Pension Fund 2000.00
Soldier's Relief Fund 2000.00
Wayne County Fair and Agricultural Association	2000.00
Total\$156000.00

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 13 day of January A. D. 1931.
(seal) BERTHA BERRES,
J15-4t County Clerk.



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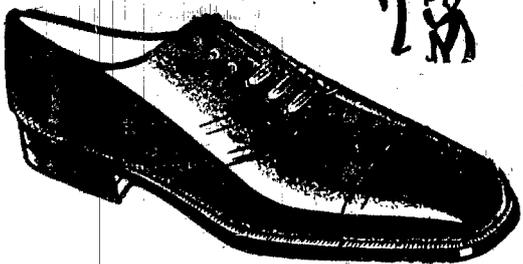
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Winside News

Mrs. Harold Neely was a business visitor in Norfolk Friday.

The yearly medical health test was given the children of the Winside school Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson spent Saturday in Sioux City.

Louise and Alma Lautenbough went to Norfolk Saturday.

Gerald Cherry spent the week-end with his parents in Laurel.

Mrs. W. C. Cooper of Wayne spent the week-end with her granddaughter, Mrs. Gurney Prince.

Mrs. E. J. Ford of Laurel is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ed Lindberg.

Herman Podoll was a Norfolk business visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carlson and Mrs. Mark Benschhof spent Sunday with relatives in Fremont.

Rev. W. Most of University Place, conducted services at the Trinity Lutheran church Sunday.

Mrs. Leona Kieffer of Sioux City came Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Rew.

Tillie Eckert who is a student at the Wayne State Teachers' college spent the week-end with her mother Mrs. Max Eckert.

Mrs. Clarence Rew and Bess and Dorothy Rew were Norfolk visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Neely and Miss Mamie Prince spent Saturday in Sioux City.

Mrs. M. Hansen was a guest in the home of her son, C. H. Hansen from Thursday until Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Paul Siman of Wayne were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Siman Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ford of Laurel

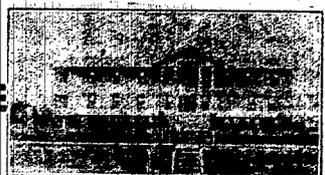
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were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lindberg.

Miss Carrie Hansen of the Lutheran Hospital in Norfolk spent the week-end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Auker had a supper guests Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Priel and Miss Florence Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hansen and family were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hansen in Norfolk.

Entertain Theophilus Aid.

Mrs. Fred Wittler was hostess to the Theophilus Aid at her home Thursday afternoon. About 25 members and guests were present. The hostess served a delicious two course luncheon.

Sunday Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Benschhof entertained Mr. and Mrs. Burt Hyatt, A. J. Hyatt, Mrs. Dora Benschhof, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Quinn and family, all of Wayne, and Mark Benschhof of near Norfolk at dinner Sunday.

Birthday Honored.

Mrs. August Basler of Hoskins entertained about a dozen guests Saturday evening in honor of her husband's birthday anniversary. Cards and a social evening were enjoyed and the hostess served lunch.

Social Circle.

Mrs. Art Auker was hostess to the Social Circle Wednesday afternoon. Election of officers was the business for the afternoon. The hostess served a delicious luncheon.

Woman's Club.

Mrs. C. E. Needham entertained the members of the Woman's club and invited guests, at her home Thursday afternoon. At the close of the business meeting, Mrs. Harry Tidrick, leader for the afternoon took charge of the meeting and the following program was given.

Song, Club—Mrs. H. E. Siman at the piano.

Paper, Mineralogy—Mrs. I. O. Brown.

Paper, Rocks, Minerals and precious stones—Mrs. Wm. Misfoldt.

Song—Club.

Mrs. Needham, assisted by Mrs. Guy Auker and Mrs. L. W. Needham served a delicious two course luncheon. Invited guests present were Mrs. I. F. Gaebler, Mrs. R. E. Gormley, Mrs. Guy Auker, Mrs. L. W. Needham, Mrs. A. H. Schmale, Mrs. Gurney Benschhof and Mrs. Harold Neely. The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. A. H. Carter.

Entertain at 1 o'clock Dinner.

Mrs. Mary Tillson and Mrs. Jack Reinbrecht entertained at 1 o'clock dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Eckles of Norfolk, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lesser of Pierce, Mrs. Wm. Johnson and son Edwin of Stanton, Mrs. Julius-Giepp of Norfolk, Oscar Clocker, Stanton, Mrs. J. G. Neely and Mrs. August Ulrich of Winside.

Twelve Wayne County Students at University

Eight of the 12 students from Wayne county attending the University of Nebraska claim Wayne as their home. Three of the others come from Carroll and one from Winside.

Robert Prescott is a graduate student and is only taking a part time course at the university.

Elsie M. Carhart, a senior, is enrolled in teacher's college. She is majoring in commercial arts and belongs to Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.

Marialice Ley, another teachers' college senior, will graduate in June. Before enrolling at the university she attended the Wayne State Teachers' college and Chicago university. She belongs to Alpha Omicron Pi social

sorority, Sigma Lambda art organization, and the Tassels, co-ed pep group.

Lorenz E. Kay, a junior in the college of agriculture, is majoring in animal husbandry and belongs to Farm House fraternity, the Ag club, the Block and Bridle club, and the junior livestock judging team. He is operating a roller skating rink at Eagle in the evenings.

Lyle W. Mabbott, another junior, is taking a course in civil engineering. He is a pledge to Alpha Theta Chi social fraternity and recently was elected to Sigma Tau, national honorary engineering, fraternity. He belongs to the American Society of civil engineers.

Kathryn Davis is a sophomore in the college of business administration and a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma social sorority.

Walden T. Felber, second year student in the college of pharmacy, is affiliated with Phi Gamma Delta fraternity and the Pharmaceutical club.

William E. Von Seggern, Jr., a freshman in the college of agriculture, is a pledge to Phi Gamma Delta social fraternity and belong to the Ag club.

Winside's only representative at the university is Mabel H. Lewis, a senior in the college of arts and sciences. She is specializing in history and is president of Alpha Delta Pi social sorority. She belongs to the upper class commission of the Y. W. C. A.

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 Wayne, Nebraska, January 20, 1931.

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120	Cornhusker Const. Co.,	dragline work	70.00
	Commissioner District No. 3—Koch		
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135	Omaha Road Equipment Co.,	repairs for tractor	46.05
	Automobile or Motor Vehicle Fund:		
	Road Dragging District No. 1—Erxleben		
136	Omaha Road Equipment Co.,	repairs for tractor	1.02
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Representing Carroll at the university are Ralph Gammell, a senior in the college of agriculture; Fred Gammell, sophomore in the college of engineering; and Donald Morris, freshman in engineering.

Grapes do well on a wide range of soils, but they prefer a well-drained gravelly loam. They require good drainage and will suffer far more from wet feet than from lack of fertile soil.

Asparagus should be planted as early as possible in spring. A rich soil is required. Prepare the piece of ground this fall by digging it deeply and in the process work in plenty of barnyard manure.

Ordinarily, a wooden building needs repainting about once every three or four years. An extra good job of painting may last six years, but it's poor business to put off painting until it is absolutely needed.

Human beings are about the only animals with a taste for ice water. Poultry and live stock on the farm don't care for it. They do appreciate warm drinking water and show their appreciation in increased profits.

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Board met as per adjournment. All members present.

Board continued checking county treasurer's books and vouchers.

No further business completed.

Whereupon Board adjourned to January 22, 1931.

BERTHA BERRES, a Clerk

COMMISSIONER PROCEEDINGS
 Wayne, Nebraska, January 22, 1931.

Board met as per adjournment. All members present.

Board having examined the books and vouchers of J. J. Steele, County Treasurer, showing collections and disbursements from July 1st, 1930 to January 1, 1931, and being fully advised in the premises, finds that he collected and disbursed as follows:

Collections:

Taxes for the year 1930	\$ 80,932.65
Taxes for the year 1929	53,704.93
Taxes for the year 1928	1,567.25
Taxes for the year 1927	43.93
Taxes for the year 1926	14.18
Taxes for the year 1925	26.95
Taxes for the year 1924	99.24
Taxes for the year 1923	10.44
Taxes for the year 1922	8.53
Taxes for the year 1921	11.99
Taxes for the year 1920	26.30
Redemption	3,919.92
Automobile License	8,778.00
Miscellaneous Collections	47,575.07
Miscellaneous Fees	28.00
Wayne Sewer	602.72
Wayne Paving	23,144.39
Carroll Paving	422.99
Carroll Paving	2,851.46
Drivers License	88.25
Protest Taxes	172.88
	\$224,031.07
Balance July 1, 1930	305,996.40
Total Collections	\$530,027.47

Disbursements:

State Consolidated Funds	\$ 21,107.78
State Auto Supervision	48.19
State Highway Funds	489.47
State Hall	63.00
County General	28,174.30
County Bridge	19,829.66
County Road	19,671.64
Road Districts	23,879.69
Motor Vehicle	13,334.80
Redemption	3,428.95
Mothers Pension	520.00
Soldiers Relief	500.00
County Fair	1,000.00
Jury	44.00
Auto Rebate	18.00
Drivers License	10.00
Protest Taxes	354.02

SOCIETY and Club



Country Club

The third and last of the series of evening parties was given at the Stratton last Thursday evening. There were 17 tables of bridge and high prizes for the series were awarded to Mrs. John Harrington and Dr. W. B. Vail.

The annual election of the Country Club officers will take place at the Odd Fellows hall Thursday evening, Feb. 5, at a 6:15 dinner party which is to be the beginning of another series of parties. The committee to serve are Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Vail, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Best, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McClure, Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Lutgen, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nuss, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hendrickson, and J. C. Nuss and daughter, Miss Helen Nuss. Note that the election will be a month earlier than usual this year.

For September Bride

Mrs. C. C. Kilborn and Mrs. Earl Fox entertained at a miscellaneous shower at the Kilborn home Saturday afternoon for Mrs. Henry Fox, formerly Miss Mary Meyers. Although the wedding took place last September, it was not until last week that the secret was made known, much to the surprise of the bride's friends. About 45 guests were present. Mrs. H. F. Wilson, Mrs. Amelia Henney, Mrs. Clara Meyers, Miss Nell Fox and Mrs. L. E. Panabaker were the winners of the guessing games. Lunch was served at the close of the afternoon. Many useful and beautiful gifts were left as remembrances.

Evangelical Theophilus Aid

The ladies of the Evangelical Theophilus aid met last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Fred Wittler in Windsor for a regular session and an election of officers. The newly elected officers are Mrs. Fred Wittler, president; Mrs. John Mann, vice president; Mrs. Henry Breg, secretary; Mrs. Walter Ulrich, financial treasurer; and Mrs. Ed Niemann, treasurer.

There were 19 members and three guests present. Refreshments were served.

Birthday Dinner

Dr. and Mrs. G. J. Hess entertained at dinner at their home Sunday in honor of their niece, Miss Evelyn Benson, the occasion being her birthday. Guests were Miss Evelyn's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Benson and her cousins, Robert and the Misses Marjorie and Margaret Benson, all of Norfolk. Miss Evelyn Benson's home is near Rapid City, S. D. She is making her home with Dr. and Mrs. Hess while attending the local college.

Clipper Club

The girls of the Clipper Sewing club met at the E. A. McGarrugh home Saturday afternoon. They worked on notebooks in which they are putting definitions of the various kinds of stitches and information as to where such stitches are to be used, and are pasting samples of the several stitches into the notebooks as illustrations of the definitions.

The girls will meet again this week Saturday afternoon at the usual time and place to continue their work on the notebooks.

Alpha Club

The Alpha club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. O. L. Randall. For roll call a foreign possession of the United States was named. Mrs. R. C. Hahlbeck led a very interesting and instructive lesson on "Our Foreign Possessions".

In two weeks, the club will meet for a social time at the B. W. Wright home. Mrs. Wright, Mrs. C. E. Gilderslove, and Mrs. D. Hall, to entertain.

St. Paul's Aid

The ladies of the St. Paul's Lutheran aid met last Thursday afternoon at the church parlors with Mrs. Frank Korff and Mrs. Alvina Korff as hostesses. After the regular business session, the ladies tied a quilt. Refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be on February 12 at the church with Mrs. W. C. Heidenreich and Mrs. Julia Lage as hostesses.

B. C. Club

The members of the B. C. club and their husbands and families were entertained at an evening party at the Harry Baird home last Friday evening. Five hundred was the diversion of the evening and scores were won by Mrs. Moses and Fred Baird and by Mrs. Fred and Earl Wiley. A two course luncheon was served at the close of the evening.

J. A. O.

The J. A. O. Kensington club met with Mrs. Howard James last Thursday afternoon. Three guests, Mrs. Joe Baker and the Misses Marie and Theresa Schueerer, the latter two of Pierce, and one new member, Mrs. R. W. Casper were present.

The club will meet next week Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Ernest Bichel.

Central Social Circle

The members of the Central Social circle will entertain at the Ray Perdue home next Thursday, February 5, at a one o'clock luncheon for the husbands. Mrs. Will Roe will be the social leader. There will be a paper on "Home Entertainment," and a round table discussion of the topic.

Methodist Aid

The ladies of the M. E. aid are meeting this Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Lambert Roe. Mrs. C. H. Hendrickson, Mrs. K. N. Parke, Miss Harriet Fortner, Mrs. Frank Siminon, Miss Nettie Craven and Mrs. Hazen Atkins are the committee.

Presbyterian Aid

There will be a regular meeting of the Presbyterian Ladies aid next Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 4, at the church, the following committee to serve: Mesdames, C. C. Herndon, John Hufford, F. M. Griffith, and A. R. Davis.

Woman's Home Missionary

The Methodist Woman's Home Missionary society will meet next Thursday afternoon, Feb. 5, with Mrs. I. H. Britell, Mrs. S. C. Fox and Mrs. A. V. Teed to assist the hostess. The mita boxes will be opened at this meeting.

St. Paul's Missionary

There will be a regular meeting of the St. Paul's Missionary society next Wednesday afternoon at the Harry McMillan home, Mrs. McMillan, hostess.

Mission Study Circle

There will be a meeting of the St. Paul Mission circle this Thursday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the parsonage, Mrs. Heidenreich hostess.

L. W. W.

The Loyal, Wayne Workers will meet next Wednesday afternoon, February 4, with Mrs. S. J. Ickler. The ladies are doing cut work.

Cameo Club

The members of the Cameo club will be entertained at an evening party this week Friday evening at the Dr. W. A. Emery home.

Evangelical Lutheran Aid

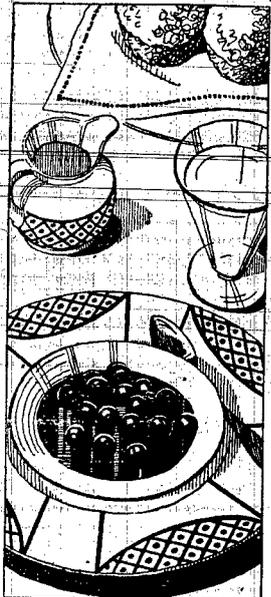
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R. N. A.

The Royal Neighbors will meet for a regular session next Tuesday evening, Feb. 3, at the Odd Fellows hall.

Better Breakfasts

Do you plan your breakfast with as much interest as you plan your dinner? Or do you just reach mechanically



for the coffee pot and toaster? It is true that breakfasts must often be hastily prepared, since most of us like to sleep as long as pos-

sible, but if a few minutes on the day before are devoted to planning the menu, and a few more minutes at dinner-time given to baking the hot breads for breakfast, it is a simple matter to consult your menu, heat your muffins or what-not, and quickly toss together the other good things that make up a breakfast.

Start the Day Right

And what a difference it makes in one's day! A tart, juicy fruit, a creamy cereal, a foamy omelet and crisp bacon, piping-hot muffins and a sweet—these things start the whole family on tip-toe ready for the rush of the day's events.

How do these suggestions appeal to you for a September morn?

Chilled Cherries
Cooked Whole Wheat Cereal, and Cream
Shirred Eggs Grilled Bacon
Pineapple Muffins Honey Coffee

Pineapple Muffins: Sift together two cups of flour, three tablespoons of sugar, four teaspoons of baking powder, one-half teaspoon of salt. Add two well-beaten eggs and one cup of milk. Add three tablespoons of melted butter and three-fourths cup of crushed pineapple which has been well-drained (you might reserve the syrup for a chilled fruit soup or a fruit cocktail). Bake in greased muffin tins in a hot oven—400 degrees for 20 to 25 minutes.*

Charges Communism

Encourages Intrigue

By Charles F. Bongardt, Professor of Law, Creighton University.

In Washington, the House communist investigating committee reports back that communism is a grave threat to the United States. There are, it finds, over a half-million communists and sympathizers in the country. Communists, it tells us, all take orders from Moscow, and the soviet industrialization program may make enough money to finance a world revolution.

In New York, the chief red organizer proclaims that the aim of his party is revolution—one that will end capitalism forever, emancipate the working classes, and tear down the American flag.

In Russia, the soviet government puts millions of people to work, pours hundreds of millions of dollars into its production program, and provides more millions to finance its distribution agencies.

Even communists, even Russian Soviets, know that society cannot exist, much less progress, without either capital or labor.

The soviet concept of ending capitalism is to destroy private capitalism and to replace it with political capitalism. It is to take the wealth of the country, unjustly, away from those who have, by a natural combination of brains, ability, and ambition, demonstrated that they are best fitted to be capitalists; from those who have no active part in government and are subject to the law. It is to give that wealth, undeservedly, to those who have no active part in government and are subject to the law. It is to give that wealth, undeservedly, to those who have demonstrated that they are best fitted to be not capitalists, but politicians; to those who control the government and are above the law.

The soviet idea of good government is to multiply a million-fold the al-

lurements for the professional office-seeker; the temptations to intrigue, election steals, and patronage; and corruption in high places.

State Forest Reserve

Has 1,900 Acres Pines

Nebraska has two national forest reserves. The one in Thomas and Blaine counties, on which the Bessey nursery is located, is the better known because it is easier reached and has greater activities due to the nursery being there.

The other reserve is the larger. It contains 115,834 acres and is set down in the middle of Cherry county, which, with a length of 96 miles and a breadth of 63, swallows it at one gulp.

There are about 1,900 acres set to pines at the rate of about 600 to the acre. There are over a million trees growing on the reserve that are from one to 16 years old, and vary in height from one to 26 feet.

The reserve was established in 1915 by the federal government. It has been constantly developed and promises to be a large source of timber for future generations. It must be kept in mind that to mature good pine lumber requires from two to three hundred years.

Each year 400,000 to 450,000 seedling trees must be planted by the ranger and his assistants. They are planted four feet apart in rows six feet apart. The closeness of planting allows for a 50 per cent loss, leaving room for the remaining trees without thinning. Every fall a double fire-guard must be plowed around the reserve and space between the fire-guards burned off for fire protection.

Mortality of seedlings averages about 42 percent. In 1916, 87 percent of seedlings planted that year lived. Yellow pines make up most of the planting, but some Jack pines have done well.

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WAYNE COUNTY TO SEND CAR OF LIVE POULTRY

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chickens will be required to fill the car.

A committee to manage the solicitation of poultry or money and to direct the campaign has been appointed, and is as follows:

J. J. Ahern, Chas. Craven, Rollie W. Ley, Fred Blair, L. W. McNatt, W. A. Hiscox, Dr. Wm. Hawkins, Perry Theobald, Dr. J. C. Johnson, Carl Wright, Homer Scace, Pearl E. Sewell, W. M. Orr, Walter Savidge, B. F. Strahan and Martin L. Ringer.

G. A. Wade, George B. Anderson, Burr Davis and F. C. Reed will have charge of music entertainment for the day. "Bunt" Fleetwood and Ray Larson compose the transportation committee.

Committees to handle the proposition in other towns in the county will be appointed the latter part of this week.

Announcements of prizes and entertainment will be made in next week's Democrat. The committee requests that live poultry donations be brought in only on Saturday, Feb. 14.

Piano Pupils Present College Studio Recital

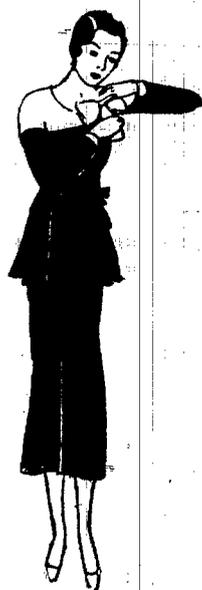
Piano pupils of Mrs. Albert G. Carlson appeared in a studio recital at the college last Thursday afternoon at four o'clock. The following program was given:

Waltz in F Major and The Picnic.—Barbara Strahan.
March of the Dolls and An April Song.—Larhylla Whitmore.
Blue Bell March and The Sleigh Ride.—Arthur Gulliver.
See Saw, The Big Bass, and The Merry-go-round.—Herbert Welch.
Dance of the Fairy Queen (duet).—Evelyn Noakes and Mrs. Carlson.
Rosetta.—Evelyn Noakes.
Playful Kittens.—Joyce Miller.
Chair Train and Off to the Hunt.—Betty Wright.
A Shady Dell and The Runaway.—Verona Hahlbeck.
At the Races.—Robert Heylman.
Dancing Sunshine.—Delores McNatt.
Etude and Indians.—Oliva Dffenbaugh.
Sunshine and Dance of the Rosebuds.—Ruth Lundberg.
A Very Sweet Story.—Mary Ellen Gulliver.

Through the Air and Fleeting Clouds.—Peggy Morris.
Dance of the June Bugs (duet).—Ruth Lundberg and Mrs. Carlson.
Class demonstration in ensemble playing, technical exercises, and note reading were also given by members of the class group.
Mothers of the participants were guests.

College High Names Honor Roll Students

Honor students at the College High school whose averages were 90 per cent or above for the entire semester just past are listed as follows:
Seniors: Kenneth Johnson and Myles Tyrrell.
Juniors: Paul Hunter, Kenyon Lewis, Sarah Jane Ahern, Janice Mae Teed, and Doris Nelson.
Sophomores: Jessie Hanson, Claire Paulsen, Llewelyn Whitmore.
Freshmen: Jack Morgan, and Marion Kearns.
Eighth grade: Robert Cunningham, Donald Wright, Charles Nichols, Glea Gifford, Ruth Hanson and Fern Van Allen.



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