

## Winnebago Is District Hoop Meet Champ

### Defeats Waterbury by 21 to 12 Count in Fast Cage Game

Winnebago high school's "cheap big injuns" tossed baskets from every part of the floor to smother the fast, clever Waterbury team by a count of 21 to 12 in the championship game of the district high school basketball tournament.

The largest crowd that ever gathered in Wayne to witness a basketball tournament cheered the Indians' smooth playing from start to finish. It was evident that the crowd was "with" the Winnebago team.

The victory for the Winnebago school was a surprise, inasmuch as Waterbury had won three previous games handily by one-sided scores and Winnebago had been barely able to eke out a two point margin over Wayne college high.

Waterbury had relied throughout the tournament on a long-shot game, and had sunk baskets from back of the center of the floor. Waterbury's accurate basket tossers were not functioning Saturday night as they had in previous games, and the ball simply refused to go through the hoop for them.

Winnebago guarded the Waterbury aces closely, and the Waterbury team had trouble in getting the ball into their territory.

Winnebago sent a large delegation of rooters, who cheered their team on to the accompaniment of tom-toms.

Walthill high school garnered third place honors Saturday evening when they took Wayne college high into camp by a 30 to 18 count. The Wayne team had evidently burned themselves out in an effort to defeat Winnebago in the afternoon game. The locals were "all in", and could not cope with the fresher Walthill team.

Winside won the consolation championship by defeating Rosalie in the Saturday evening opener.

Winnebago won a silver plaque, Waterbury won a smaller silver plaque, Walthill won a bronze plaque, and Winside won a smaller one.

Winnebago, Waterbury and Walthill are eligible to participate in the regional tournament which will be held in Wayne Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 5, 6, and 7.

## Rites Monday for Pneumonia Victim

### Chris Lieb is Buried in Middle Branch, Neb., Cemetery.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon, Feb. 23, at 2:30 at the Lutheran church at Middle Branch, Neb., for Chris Lieb. Mr. Lieb passed away last Saturday morning, Feb. 21, in a local hospital from pneumonia. He was 29 years old at the time of his death.

Chris Lieb was born in Pottawatomie county, Iowa, in 1902. His parents moved to a farm near Orchard, Neb., when Chris was two years old, and the deceased spent most of his life in the vicinity of Orchard. In 1922 he was married to Dorothy McCoun, and three children were born to the union: LeRoy, 8, Lyle, 5, and Maxine, 2.

The Lieb family moved to Wayne about a year ago, and Mr. Lieb had been employed as a truck driver.

Burial was in the Lutheran cemetery not far from Middle Branch.

In addition to his widow and children, Mr. Lieb is survived by his father and mother, two brothers and three sisters.

## Wakefield to Debate Wayne This Afternoon

Wakefield's high school's debate team failed to show up last night for their verbal joust with Wayne, and the inter-school debate will be held this afternoon. The subject of debate is "Resolved, that nations should disarm except for forces needed for police forces." Wayne high will debate Pierce tonight.

## Voters Will Meet Monday Evening

Candidates for membership on the Wayne board of education will be nominated at a caucus at the city hall Monday evening, March 2, at 7:30 o'clock. Two candidates will be nominated, to take the places of L. A. Fanske and A. T. Cavanaugh whose terms expire. Membership on the school board would be for a three year term.

Immediately following the caucus for election of school board members, ward caucuses will be held for each ward to select candidates for membership in the city council. Three nominees will be selected, to take the places of retiring councilmen Ernest Bichel, W. S. Miller and B. F. Strahan. Membership on the council would be for a two year term.

All voters are eligible to attend the caucuses.

## Wayne Lady Passes Eighty Year Marker

### Mrs. Mary L. Brittain One of County's First Citizens.

Monday, Feb. 23, was the eightieth milestone in the life of one of Wayne county's oldest pioneers, Mrs. Mary L. Brittain.

Mrs. Brittain came to Wayne county in 1876 from Illinois with her husband, the late Judge Brittain, and settled at La Porte, before Wayne was even started. La Porte was the county seat, and the county was, for the greater part, a vast expanse of prairie. There were no railroads, and no highways as we now think of them. Wisner was the end of the railroad, and it was to that town that Mrs. Brittain and her husband had to go to do any real buying. Mrs. Brittain's husband was the first lawyer in Wayne county.

Mrs. Brittain remembers the Indians and their visits to La Porte, but says that little trouble was ever caused by them.

The Brittain family moved to Wayne when the railroad came to the county. The county seat was removed from La Porte to the new town of Wayne. Mrs. Brittain's daughter, Edna, now Mrs. A. W. Stewart of Minneapolis, was the first white child born in Wayne.

Mrs. Brittain has lived in Wayne continuously since 1881, the year that the town started. She has seen our community grow from a handful of pioneers to a city of over 3,000 inhabitants.

Despite her advanced years, she is active in social and club work, the a member of the Woman's club, the Eastern Star and the Minerva club. She is a member of the Presbyterian church.

The community joins with her children and relatives in wishing her many more happy birthdays.

## WAYNE COUPLE MARRIED SATURDAY

### Miss Ida Barleman Weds Dr. L. B. Young at Sioux City.

Miss Ida Barleman and Dr. L. B. Young, both of Wayne, were united in marriage Saturday morning at 11:30 at the Riverside Methodist church in Sioux City. Rev. John D. Madison, a boyhood chum of Dr. Young, performed the ceremony. The bride was attired in a navy blue ensemble suit and carried a bouquet of bride's roses.

Immediately following the wedding, the newly married couple went to Omaha for a short trip. They returned to Wayne Monday evening and are at home at the Young residence at 521 Nebraska street.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barleman of Wisner. Doctor Young has been a member of the dental profession in Wayne for about 12 years.

Ten pastors attended an all-day special meeting of the Niobrara presbytery at the Presbyterian church in Wayne Tuesday, Feb. 24.

## Bunt's Own Story—"Slow Freight Thru Arkansas"

By E. E. "Bunt" Fleetwood (Editor's note—This article, prepared by Mr. Fleetwood for The Democrat, tells the story of the Wayne County car-load of poultry which went to Texarkana, Ark. It is published by request of hundreds of Wayne folks who want to know more about "Bunt" and "Red" Perrin's trip south with Wayne county's contribution to drought relief.)

Gratitude—that's the big thing about Arkansas' and Texas' reception of Wayne county's contribution to the drought relief. Never has it been my pleasure to see anyone so genuinely grateful for help as those people down in the "dried out" area were.

But perhaps I'd better start at the beginning of the story. Sunday morning, Feb. 15, I thought I would have to act as valet to a car-load of chickens without any help. "Red" Perrin was willing to donate his services, but didn't feel that he could afford to pay his carfare back from Texarkana to Wayne.

When Wayne business men heard that Red would go, they got to work Sunday morning and in about an hour had raised enough money to pay Red's carfare back home from the south. I was tickled to death to have help in handling the car, and called him up and told him to get ready.

Sunday afternoon we shoved off for Texarkana. Neither one of us had ever been in Arkansas before, but we were on our way. We were routed by way of Omaha and Kansas City. The trip was rather uneventful, as any of you will know who have ever handled a car of chickens. We had plenty of work to keep us busy, feeding our poultry and keeping the car

clean. We'd been kidded a lot before we left about "setting lousy," but there was nothing to it. Poultry mites won't live on a human being. True, they may crawl around on your hands for a little while, but they'll soon give up and strike back home to Biddle.

When we got to Texarkana Wednesday night, we discovered four dead chickens. We were quite jubilant over the small loss and sent wires back to Wayne to let the home folks know we hadn't killed all the donations. The next morning we discovered one more dead chicken, and three that we had to kill. Eight chickens lost wasn't a bad record, in our estimation.

Wednesday night, when we got into Texarkana, we got our first glimpse of southern hospitality. The people treated us wonderfully. We were invited to stay at private homes, and the Red Cross offered to pay for our hotel rooms, but we had seen enough by that time to know that the Red Cross had other things to do with its money besides pay for hotel rooms, so we declined. We even passed up an opportunity to stay at a very wealthy woman's home, because we wanted to get cleaned up and wanted a chance to rest.

Thursday morning, the Red Cross was all ready to start in on the car-load of poultry. Their organization is remarkable, and everything was all set to make the distribution as efficient as possible.

The Red Cross has the name of every prominent person in every township, or parish, as the southern-

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## Wildcats to Play Two Games With Chadron

Wayne State Teachers' college Wildcats meet the Chadron Teacher hoopsters in two games on Friday evening, Feb. 27, and Saturday evening, Feb. 28. Both games will start at eight o'clock.

Coach Ray Hickman promises above-average curtain raisers for both games. Friday evening at seven o'clock, the Beemer Independents will meet the Carroll All-Stars for the Independent championship of northeast Nebraska. Each team has won from the other once.

Saturday evening at 7:15 o'clock, the Bonecrushers, a college alumni quintet, will meet the Mystery Five.

## Well-?

With considerable comment anent the celebration of Wayne's fiftieth anniversary, it becomes more apparent than ever that Wayne should have a commercial club. Such an organization would be the logical group to handle the Golden Jubilee celebration and would make it a civic endeavor.

Some restricted membership organization will undoubtedly take charge of the Golden Jubilee, which will be to the credit of that society—but the fact remains that a commercial club would be the proper group to handle it.

There's been lots of TALK about starting such an organization. Let's have some ACTION! Let's have a commercial club NOW, so that it can make the Golden Jubilee celebration a community proposition.

## Sheriff Stephens Puts Ban On Slot Machines

Nickel slot-machines will be a thing of the past in Wayne county if Sheriff Archie W. Stephens has his way about it. The sheriff started a drive against the gambling devices last Friday, Feb. 20, and ordered every business place having one of the machines to put it out of commission.

Sheriff Stephens said, when interviewed by a Democrat reporter, "We don't want to cause any unnecessary trouble, and are warning those who have slot machines to quit operating them. If the warning is not heeded, the machines will be confiscated and the operators will be liable for heavy fines."

The campaign against the machines is not solely a Wayne campaign, but is being enforced all over the country.

Sheriff Stephens said that, while no formal complaints had been lodged with him against operation of the game of chance machines, it had come to his attention that high school students were giving the gambling contrivances a heavy play.

The Democrat finds, upon investigation, that most of the slot machines in Wayne are not locally owned, and are put into places of business on a commission basis by an organization which has a string of slot machine devices throughout the state. Just

who is at the head of the organization, The Democrat has been unable to determine. Ownership of the machines is regarded as a highly profitable "racket," since the odds against winning on the contrivances are highly in favor of the machine owner.

The organization that owns the machines is organized along lines similar to those of bootlegging racketeers, and is prepared to oil wheels, grease palms or pay hush money when necessary to keep the highly profitable nickel extractors in operation.

The fact that a campaign is being waged against the machines in Wayne county is evidence that Sheriff Stephens is not interested in bribes, and that he is not afraid to do what he deems to be his duty.

Information from a reliable source is to the effect that the police-protection organizer for slot machines in a nearby city reaps a harvest of \$75 a day—fifty cents a day from 150 machines.

Local business men with slot machines operating in their places of business say that they do not care whether the contrivances are permitted to operate or not. The machines, they say, do not belong to them and they merely secure a space rental fee for the space taken up by the slot machines.

## What They Think

G. A. Wade, Wayne County Democrat, Wayne, Neb.  
My Dear Mr. Wade:

I am writing to thank Wayne county for the car of poultry, the eggs, and the clothing sent by your people to the Texarkana chapter of the American Red Cross.

Our chapter has jurisdiction in two counties, Miller county, Arkansas, and Bowie county, Texas, and we have been busy giving your contributions out to the drought sufferers and they are most appreciative.

Thanking you again, I am,  
Very truly yours,  
Mrs. A. J. Kezer,  
Chapter Chairman.

"The first carload of relief supplies destined for the two counties arrived Thursday via the Kansas City Southern, which 'deadheaded' a car of chickens consigned to the Texarkana Red Cross from Wayne, Nebraska. The poultry, gathered together under the direction of the editor of the Wayne Democrat, is to be used in rehabilitation of rural flocks. The car was crammed with big, fat chickens, some three thousand in number; and country committeemen are coming in to take them back to their communities and distribute them, a few at a time, among needy residents."—Texarkana Gazette.

## Purse Snatchers Active In Wayne

### Thieves Grab Pocketbooks from Two Wayne Residents.

Wayne, not to be outdone by Chicago, Sioux City or Omaha, has two purse snatchers working in the community. At press time today, the elusive pocketbook grabbers had robbed two women but had fared meagerly on both ventures.

The latest case of purse snatching was reported Sunday night, Feb. 22, by Miss Opal Wingett, a Wayne State Teachers' college student. Miss Wingett said her purse was taken from her Sunday evening at about 7:30 o'clock. She reported the loss immediately. The thieves were two young fellows, she said. One of them was about 5 feet, 6 inches tall and the other slightly taller, according to her description. They wore black suits and light caps.

Miss Wingett said that her purse, a black leather one, contained a dollar bill and keys to her locker.

Local police authorities are certain that the thieves are the same ones who robbed Miss Arlene Urban last week, and think that one of the purse snatchers is a high school boy and the other one lives on a farm near Wayne.

Miss Urban, on Wednesday evening, Feb. 18, was walking to her rooming house in company with Miss May Gillis. The high school teachers were confronted by two men who grabbed a valuable purse from Miss Urban. Police were called but were unable to find any trace of the two men.

Miss Urban said that the purse was taken from her at Fourth and Pearl streets. She and Miss Gillis chased the men until the thieves disappeared in an alley between the homes of A. T. Cavanaugh and Jas. Miller.

The stolen purse, an imported Chinese handwork one, was found on the lawn at Miss Urban's rooming house the next morning, minus the money it had contained.

## Local Careers Meet Yankton Tomorrow

Wayne high school's basketball team will meet Yankton high tomorrow evening, with a large delegation of Wayne boosters accompanying the team.

A slight change in the high school basketball schedule was necessitated by cancellation of the Wayne-Stanton game last Tuesday.

All sports have been discontinued at Stanton for the remainder of the school year, but to personal conduct of several of that school's athletes.

## Thieves Pull Two Jobs In Wayne County

### Fleer Store at Winside Loses Goods Worth \$300 to \$400.

Two Wayne county places of business were broken into late Saturday night or early Sunday morning. Both burglaries were reported to Sheriff A. W. Stephens Sunday morning.

Herman Fleer's general merchandise store at Winside was burglarized to the extent of between \$300 and \$400 some time early Sunday morning. The burglars had made entrance through a basement window, having smashed the window pane to gain admission. The thieves got away with a number of silk dresses, dress goods, and other merchandise with an aggregate value as yet undetermined, but estimated to be somewhere between \$300 and \$400.

Sheriff Stephens, working on meagre clues, got out a couple of search warrants Monday, but was unable to connect anyone with the crime.

The Wayne depot was broken into late Saturday night or early Sunday morning, but the burglars did not fare so well. They took the cash drawer out of the ticket office, and it is believed to have contained \$00 pennies. Tickets were not molested.

Ray Larson discovered the burglary when he came down to the depot Sunday morning, and reported it immediately to the sheriff. The depot robbers had gained entrance to the ticket office through the conductors' register window.

Sheriff Stephens had three "floaters" under surveillance for the depot job, and held the vagrants in the county jail from Tuesday morning until Wednesday morning. He could find no evidence to link them up with either break-in, so he let them out of jail Wednesday morning with an admonition to keep moving.

## Funeral Rites Today For Carroll Resident

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 this afternoon at the Methodist church in Carroll for Charles Everett 55, who passed away shortly after mid-night Wednesday morning. Rev. David Simpson will read the funeral rites. Committal will be at Lyons, Nebraska.

Charles Warren Everett was born on June 30, 1886, at Lyons, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Everett. He had lived at Carroll for seven or eight years and had been engaged in the hardware business there. He is survived by his widow and three children.

## 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 Wayne should have a commercial club?

Chas. Carhart, Lumberman.—"I certainly do."

L. W. McNatt, hardware dealer.—"Yes, indeed. Nebraska towns smaller than Wayne have found commercial clubs highly advantageous. Wayne needs a commercial club."

J. C. Nuss, variety store proprietor.—"Wayne should be ashamed that it doesn't already have one."

Fred L. Blair, clothing dealer.—"I certainly believe Wayne should have a commercial club. It would be a fine thing. We could increase Wayne's population 500 in the next five years."

W. A. Hiscox, hardware dealer.—"Yes, I think Wayne should have a commercial club. It would be a decided asset to the town."

## Local and Personal

Mrs. P. T. Becker spent yesterday in Sioux City.

Arthur Kruse of Allen was among Wayne visitors Saturday.

Ed Carlson of Wakefield was among Wayne visitors Tuesday morning.

Miss Marian Anderson of Winside, here, spent the week-end with home folks there.

Miss Margaret Whitman of Dochester plans to visit home folks here this week-end.

Henry Isom of near Dixon was among Wayne visitors Saturday. He returned home Sunday.

Ralph M. Carhart of Randolph attended the Nebraska Lumberman's convention at Omaha last week.

Miss Maryalice Ley, student at the Nebraska state University at Lincoln, visited home folks here last week-end.

Miss Doris Madsen of Center visited home folks here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zepin and family were in West Point Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bichel spent Sunday at the D. H. Kay home at Wakefield.

For Sale—By owner, well improved 4 1/2 acre tract in Wayne. Address Box 36, Wayne, Neb.—adv.

Attorney and Mrs. H. D. Addison were guests at the Gurney Henshoof home at Winside Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gunnarson of near Laurel were callers at the Albin Carlson home Thursday evening.

Miss Elsie Mae Carhart, student at the state university at Lincoln, visited home folks here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Thompson, Mrs. Eric Thompson, and Miss Clara Madsen spent Saturday in Sioux City.

Arthur Chichester—who works for the Bell Telephone Co. at Norfolk visited home folks here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Albin Carlson and family were guests at dinner Sunday at the Carl Gunnarson home near Laurel.

R. B. Hanks of Wausa spent the week-end with his family here.

Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Perry spent the week-end with relatives at Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shackelford of Concord were visitors at the Dean Hanson home here Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Petersen and baby were visitors at the George Fox home near Wayne Sunday afternoon.

Miss Venita Kopp of Emerson spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Anna Kopp, and family of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Haller of near Winside were visitors at the G. G. Haller home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Carsten and family of Wisner were guests at the J. M. Soden home here Sunday afternoon.

Dr. Young's Dental Office over the Ahern's store. Phone 307—adv. 11.

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Dotson and son spent Sunday with Mrs. Dotson's mother, Mrs. Fannie Martin, at Enola.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wingett of Carroll were visitors in the C. A. Andersen home here last week Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hyatt were visitors at the Tony Olson home Sunday afternoon. They were also there Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Korff and children went to Fremont Sunday to visit Mrs. Korff's brother, Lee Brewster, and wife.

F. W. Ferguson and daughter, Gwen, of Norfolk, called on Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crockett and Mrs. E. W. Ferguson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Johnson and Catheryn Thomas of Wakefield were visitors at the T. A. Straight home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Parker spent Sunday evening at the B. M. Soden home. Frank Soden of Wisner spent Sunday night there.

Mrs. George P. Berres' aunt, Mrs. Louise Brocker of Plainview, left Saturday after an extended visit at the Berres home here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jamieson and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Dunn of Norfolk called at the Dr. L. W. Jamieson home here Sunday afternoon.

Miss Tina Belle Killion of Wakefield spent last week-end visiting at the Dean Hanson home and attending the district basketball tournament.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Phurber of Craig and Foy Cross of Tekamah were day. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cross who guests of Mrs. S. X. Cross here Sunday spent a week visiting Mr. Cross' grandmother, Mrs. L. V. Gregoire at Craig, returned to Wayne Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Kroger and Mrs. Grace Johnson of this city and Mrs. James Holt of West Point went to Newcastle to visit Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kroger and their baby girl who arrived last week. The little daughter has been named Mary Lou.

Wallace and Kenneth Johnson of this city, Lawrence and Walter Utech, and John Holtorf went to Lincoln Sunday to visit Lester Re-winkle who was injured in a motor-cyclic crash recently. He is doing very nicely and expects to be able to be taken home this week.

Lyle Phillips and Mr. Bollag of this city were Sunday dinner guests at the F. L. Phillips home. That afternoon they and Irwin Phillips, went to Sioux City to visit Lyle's sister, Miss Gladys Phillips, who is at the Lutheran hospital there recuperating from an operation she underwent Thursday.

Office or store building for rent on Main street. Dr. Vail.—adv. F12-11.

A car load of food stuffs, including eggs, flour, lard, butter, smoked meats, potatoes, canned vegetables, canned milk, canned fruit, oatmeal, cereals and beans, was shipped from Pilger last week. The car was billed direct to Arkadelphia, Ark., a community of 5000 people, where there is much suffering and want.

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Admission ..... 10c and 35c

Sun. Mon. & Tues.  
GARY COOPER IN  
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A ZANE GRAY STORY

Admission ..... 15c and 40c

Wednesday & Thursday  
NANCY CARROLL IN  
STOLEN HEAVEN

Admission ..... 10c and 35c

At The Crystal  
Saturday & Sunday  
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ALSO COMEDY

Admission ..... 10c and 30c

MATINEE AT CRYSTAL SAT.  
MATINEE AT GAY SUNDAY

The people in and near Thurston shipped 850 sacks of flour to the victims of Matador, Texas, Tuesday morning last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren McCool and Mrs. Carl Lindvall, of Ponca, were visitors at the Wm. Beutow home Monday afternoon.

The John McIntyre family of this city moved last week to the residence on the corner of 7th and Main streets known as the old Bentley place.

### See the new Hollywood Ties at Gamble's.

Miss Alice Berry and Miss Esther Wingett of Sholes were visitors at the C. A. Berry home Monday evening. Miss Alice also spent the week-end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Val C. Hrabak and the former's brother, Ira Hrabak, called at the Burl Craig and Howard Hrabak homes Wednesday evening last week.

Miss Anna Thompson and Mrs. Eric Thompson, of Wayne, and Mrs. Vern Larson of Emerson were visitors at the John Kay home in Omaha Tuesday last week.

Miss Lillian Whitmore who teaches in the Bancroft schools and Miss Nyeulah Whitmore who is principal of the Wynot schools visited home folks here last week-end.

Two of Mrs. Roy Beeks' brothers, Louis and Thomas Hatch, of Yuma, Colorado, arrived here Sunday night to visit at the Beeks home a couple of days. They left Tuesday for Iowa to engage in spring work.

Mrs. M. C. Sorensen went to Hartington Saturday to visit at the home of her brother, Deward Erickson, where she visited over Sunday. Mr. Sorensen went to Hartington Sunday to accompany her home.

Miss Gertrude Ross of Winnebago came Friday to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Emma Baker, and her cousin, Miss Gwendolyn Mulvey, at whose home she visited over Sunday. She also attended the basketball tournament.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rubeck and family of near Newcastle and Ivan Johnson of Wakefield spent Sunday visiting at the Charles Rubeck home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Page of Pilger were visitors at the home of Mrs. J. M. Barrett Friday. Mrs. Barrett returned home with them for a visit.

P. G. James and Frank Ahlvers were entertained at dinner Sunday at the Joe Baker home in honor of Frank whose birthday was the previous Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Oak and son, Rodpey, and Miss Mildred Bolton, all of Bloomfield, and Russell Miller of Lawton, Iowa were guests at dinner Sunday at the T. C. Bathke home here.

Mrs. James Kilmer of Winnebago came Friday to visit at the C. A. Andersen home and to attend the district tournament. Mr. and Mrs. Andersen took her home by auto Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Colson and baby and Mrs. Colson's sister, Miss Frances Lindahl, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Colson's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Penlerick, at Dixon.

### Dandy boy's work shirts 49c at Gamble's.

Mrs. Halle Blevens of Fremont was a guest of home folks here over the week-end. She has been re-elected as instructor in the Central High at Fremont with a substantial increase in salary.

Mr. and Mrs. George Yaryan and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Roberts and children of Carroll spent Sunday evening at the C. A. Andersen home. Carl Bark of Wakefield was also a visitor at the Andersen home that evening.

Mrs. Emma Baker and her granddaughter, Miss Gwendolyn Mulvey, of this city, and the former's granddaughter, Miss Gertrude Ross of Winnebago, were guests at dinner Sunday at the Art Herscheid home near Winside.

Mrs. Ralph Rundell came Sunday from Dakota City where she had spent the week with her daughter, Mrs. Lov Beerman. She is leaving today or tomorrow for her home at Denver, Colorado, after spending most of this week with home folks here.

Electricity has become the housewife's most reliable, convenient and satisfactory servant. One of its outstanding uses is in the electric range. This has brought about a new era in cooking, because electricity has changed the business of preparing food from guessing to an accurate science.

In 1895 the first electrically-cooked banquet was given in honor of the Lord Mayor of London. The first activities in the United States took place about 1900 when a fireless cooker with electric heating units was manufactured in Toledo. It was not until 1909 that a range which stood up and cooked for any length of time was put in the market.

Developments in the electric range have eliminated many objectional features. Outstanding among these have been slowness in operation cost of operation and initial cost. These objections have been eliminated in the development of the up-to-date Monarch electric range.

Cost of operation has been greatly reduced by elimination of the unsatisfactory slowness of the range. This has been accomplished by using the radiant type of surface burner. This unit is equipped with a wire, a composition of nickel and chromium, which provides a satisfactory electrical resistance and is impervious to corrosive influences.

Efficiency is further enhanced by use of a Parmount heat resisting insulation block. It holds all the heat on the bottom of the cooking utensil and prevents downward radiation of heat. This enables the housewife to perform one-third of a cooking operation with heat turned on and two-thirds on stored heat using no current.

The Monarch oven has been improved. Heat is stored in the oven by means of a two inch insulation wall throughout. It requires only a small amount of current after the oven has once been pre-heated.

Price of electric ranges, when compared with other types of ranges of similar finish, construction and capacity, is found to be little if any, higher.

By scientific methods used, food is more digestible and nourishing. Elimination of practically all water in electric cookery enables the housewife to carry the valuable minerals and vitamins to the table instead of the sink.

Electric cookery means less work and worry under more favorable conditions. It is free from excessive heat, fumes and soot.

It is convenient. Automatic time and temperature controls add additional convenience. It is much cleaner than other methods, since it eliminates combustion. There are no coal, wood or ashes to handle, no oil reservoirs to fill or wicks to clean, no pots and pans to scour. Saving in food is due to waterless cookery.

Electric ranges provide healthier conditions in the home. Air remains pure because there is no combustion, no valuable oxygen is taken from the air, and no poisonous gases are added to it.

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**BUNT FLEETWOOD TELLS  
STORY OF ARKANSAS TRIP**  
(continued from page one)

ers call them. It had been announced that a car-load of poultry was coming from Wayne county, Nebraska, and instructions were given how to get the poultry. If any person wanted to get some of the chickens, he had to get signatures of three of the "approved list" in his parish, recommending that chickens be given to this person. The fellow who wanted a donation then took his affidavit to Red Cross headquarters in Texarkana. Red Cross headquarters checked on the reliability of the recommenders, and called them up to ask further about the need of the petitioner. Then the one who wanted poultry filled out an affidavit telling how large a family he had, how big a crop he had had, and telling everything but whether his grandmother preferred spinach to cauliflower. Really, the Red Cross was POSITIVE a family needed help before any aid was given.

If the case was deserving, the Red Cross authorities signed the affidavit and sent the applicant to the poultry car. The boys in charge of giving out the chickens signed the affidavit and had the applicant sign it again. One family got four hens and one rooster—the largest donation anybody received.

The Red Cross is taking care of 4200 families in the two counties which Texarkana has jurisdiction over.

Right here and now, before I go any farther with this story, I want to say that the Red Cross is doing wonderful work. I've heard lots of people say, "If you give money to the Red Cross, 95% of it will go to Red Cross officials and five percent of it to real charity work." If I ever hear anybody say anything like that again, I'll call him a liar, because statements to that effect are not true.

Most of the Red Cross workers in Texarkana are donating their time and are forgetting about their business entirely in an effort to help the needy.

Mrs. A. J. Kezer, in charge of Red Cross work there, is a wealthy woman who has forgotten everything except relief of the unfortunate. She has dipped deeply into her personal fortune whenever she had to in order to help worthy drought victims. Everybody has that same spirit. They're giving everything they can to aid the unfortunate farmers.

The Red Cross is making every nickel count. There are a few paid workers, and they work harder and earn less than they would in any other line of endeavor. They have to live, but it is a safe bet that they would live better if they secured the positions they would be capable of holding in other fields.

Nobody is given money. If a family is starving and has to have food-stuffs, the family is given an order on a grocery store for enough food

to keep them alive. Never have I seen anyone so grateful as the drought sufferers seemed to be. I guess that when a man is really starving, he can be mighty appreciative. Never as long as I live will I forget the faces of the people who came down to our poultry car to get chickens.

Nearly half of those who got chickens were negroes. The Red Cross recognizes no color line nor does it distinguish between creeds. The negroes, some of them, were awfully funny to us, because we'd never seen the typical southern backwoods negroes.

One little old wizened up colored lady came to the car with an order for a hen. Her hair stuck out from an old aviator's helmet in tight little pig-tails. She was toothless and shiny.

Her order said that she was supposed to get a chicken and she got it. Then she asked the Texarkana men who were supervising the unloading of the car to sign her order for her.

"You'll have to sign it," they said. "You can't keep the chicken unless you sign the order."

"But ah cain't write," the little old lady protested.

"You'll have to sign it or no chicken," they told her. They winked at me, so I knew it was all in fun.

The poor old lady's face was just about clouded with tears when she came over to me. "Please, Mistuh Man, won't you sign this foh pooh old woman?"

"Sure, I'll sign it," I told her. "How do you spell your name?"

"Ah don't know, mistuh," she answered. "Mah names Peeney Saffrony."

So I signed her slip with the name spelled the only way I could figure out to spell it.

The first fellow who got a chicken order impressed me as much as anyone who got a donation. He had come to town early, because he had heard about the free chickens, and he wanted to be sure of getting some. He was a white fellow, a big, long lean lanky farmer, and as good natured as they come.

"Howdy, mistuh," he said. Is this what you-all give the free chickens?"

"This is the place," I told him, and a grin spread from ear to ear on his homely face.

I got started visiting with him. "Just how are things out in your part of the county," I asked him. "Do you have enough food and clothing?"

"Star's food goes, we mostly gets along on greens an' corn pone. These is the on'y clothes I got."

The clothes he was wearing looked like they wouldn't stay on his back if he jumped down from the poultry car very hard.

I got an idea. Bill Assenheimer had sent down three suits of men's clothing. The suits were new—never worn—but were old fashioned. This fellow was a tall one, so I had my

doubts, but I told him to reach up to the top of the car and haul down the box. He did, and I pulled a coat out. His eyes glistened.

"Try it on," I told him. He did. The result was such that I had a hard time to keep from grinning. He looked up with sincerity written all over his face and said, "It jst fits fine, Mistuh." The sleeves lacked about two inches from fitting his wrists.

"Yes, it is a good fit," I replied. "See how the pants are." The pants were distinctly "high-water" for him. "I was scared to death I was going to decide the suit didn't fit well enough, so he talked at great length about what a fine fit the suit was."

I visited with him, and he told me that he had five children. Two of them were going to school, where the Red Cross saw to it that they got a little soup. The other three weren't attending school because they didn't have any shoes or sufficient clothing to appear in public.

Later, Red saw the fellow up the street with a crowd around him. He was telling all his farmer friends about the "Nebraska boys." He really orated about what fine folks we were and said, "Yes, suh, Bob, they give me a forty dollah suit of clothes." He kept talking about his "fohty dollah" suit of clothes. Later, when I looked him up, he confided in me that it was the first suit he had had since 1927. I gave him a postage stamp and told him to write Bill Assenheimer and thank him for the suit.

His was only one of many cases. Next week I'll tell you about the funniest experience Red and I had on our trip.

(to be continued)

**WITH THE WAYNE CHURCHES**

**First Presbyterian Church**  
P. A. Davies, Pastor

We closed our school of stewardship last Sunday evening with the beautiful pageant "America's Call to Service". The intermediate C. E. society is to be highly praised for this service. Every part was well given. Alice Mae Young as America and Margaret Jones as the Church deserve special mention.

10:00—Sunday school.  
11:00—Morning worship.  
6:00—Evening choir.  
6:30—C. E. services.  
7:30—Evening worship.

The Missionary society will meet at the home of Mrs. E. Beckenhauer Friday afternoon at two o'clock to read the National Mission study book "Between the Americas".

The recital given by Miss O'Neill and Miss Urban at the church last Tuesday evening will be remembered by all present as one of the outstanding programs of the year. Every part well given and well received. The audience were enthusiastic, calling for encores again and again. The work of Franklin Philleo as accompanist was greatly appreciated.

Miss Jessie Hanscom will lead the C. E. service next Sunday evening. We are asking that all members be present.

A number are to unite with the church Easter morning. The pastor is organizing a class of young people to be taken in to the church at that service. If you wish to unite with the church at that time, speak to him about it.

**First Baptist Church**  
W. E. Bralsted, Pastor

10:00—The church Sunday school Bible study.

11:00—the morning worship; communion service; and brief message; subject "The Fellowship of His Sufferings".

5:00—Prof. Hanscom meets the singers in training for the Easter cantata to be held Mar. 29, one week before Easter.

6:30—The young people's fellowship discussion group. Topic: "What Jesus Teaches About God Our Father."

7:30—The evening good-fellowship hour. Singing you will share and enjoy, with a message, subject: "The Water of Life."

Wednesday 7:30, each week, life enrichment hour through bible study, prayer, testimony.

Thursday 7:30, Chorus choir will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Stamm. Speak to Prof. Hanscom for transportation if need it.

Friday evening from seven thirty to ten or so, young people's social evening, representing both the S. S. and evening discussion groups, with their friends. Committee meetings, refreshments, and play-fellowship. Good time assured. "Meet Me There."

**St. Paul's Lutheran Church**  
W. C. Heidenreich, Pastor

10:00—Sunday school.  
11:00—Morning worship.  
7:00—Luther League.

Special Lenten services this Thursday evening at 8:00. Rev. A. H. Pinkall will conduct the service. Members and friends are urged to attend this service.  
Ladies Aid meets this Thursday at

the church.

The Womens Missionary society will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Gereon Allvin.

The Lenten service next week will be conducted by Rev. C. L. Kaufman, pastor of our church at Ponca. These meetings will continue during the Lenten season.

Our doors are always open to friends who desire to worship with us.

**First Methodist Episcopal Church**  
W. W. Whitman, Pastor.

Another wonderful Sunday school session to report. Every teacher is to be congratulated and every class is most fortunate in having such able teachers.

We greatly appreciate the splendid response to the appeal for the Foreign work of the church. We will all be happy to know that we are helping these workers to carry on.

Ten more women and girls than men and boys at the evening service last Sunday. The committee did fine work.

Don't miss any of the services next Sunday.

10:00—Sunday school session.  
11:00—Morning worship.  
7:00—Young Peoples meeting.  
7:30—Evening service.

**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.

Lenten service Sunday evening at 8:00.

Men's club meeting, Thursday evening at the home of Emil Utecht.

The Walthor League will meet Friday evening at 7:30.

**Evangelical Lutheran Church**  
H. A. Teckhaus, Pastor

10:00—Sunday school.

11:00—German preaching service.

7:30—Luther League. Ann Vollers, leader; social committee: Lillian Gronc, Alta Blecke, Walter Reeg.

February 28, religious instruction at 10 a. m. and 1 p. m.

Choir practice at 2:00.

The Ladies Aid society meets with Mrs. Oscar Liedke, March 5.

**Christian Science Society**  
Beckenhauer Chapel

9:45—Sunday school.

11:00—Services. Subject: Christ Jesus.

Golden text: Zechariah 9:9.

Wednesday evening, March 4, at 8:00 o'clock, testimonial meeting.

The public is cordially invited.

**Church of Christ**  
Guy B. Dunning, Pastor

10:00—Bible school.

10:00—Communion and worship.

6:30—Christian Endeavor.

7:30—Wednesday evening, prayer meeting.

**Local Tax Area  
Pays Large Sum**

(From The Goldenrod)

It may be of interest to the readers of the Goldenrod to know that the total paid by the tax payers of Nebraska into the state treasury for the present biennium will amount to \$16,147,171.00. This is the amount levied upon property and does not include any of the special taxes such as gasoline and local taxes. These sixteen millions are for the support of the state government and the maintenance of all the state and educational institutions. The third congressional district pays a little over three million of this amount. The only institutions in the third congressional district supported from this fund are the State Teachers College at Wayne the hospital at Norfolk. In other words the third congressional district pays into the state treasury four times as much as the district receives for the support of its institutions.

Our representatives and senators from northeast Nebraska are justified, in view of the foregoing facts, in demanding liberal support for the Teachers College and the state hospital. The amount expended at Wayne is almost exactly one-fourth of the total state expense, yet the amount paid by the taxpayers of the territory served by Wayne is nearly one-fifth of the total state income. For this reason we are entirely justified in demanding a much larger appropriation for maintenance in the future than we have been receiving in the past.

**NOTICE TO TRACTOR CONTRACTORS.**

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received at the Co. Clerk's Office of Wayne County, Nebraska up to 12:00 o'clock M. of March 17, 1931, for

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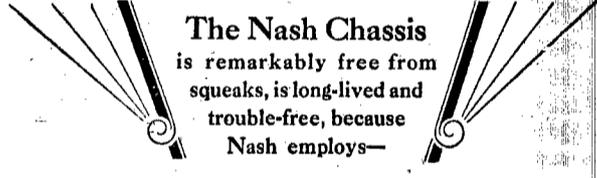
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One Crawler Type Tractor, 75. Said bids to be opened at One o'clock P. M. of March 17, 1931 by the County Clerk in the presence of the Board of County Commissioners of Wayne County, Nebraska, which board also reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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WAYNE MARKET REPORTS

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

Corn	40
Oats	25
Butter Fat	26
Eggs	11
Hens	11c to 14c
Roosters	14c
Hogs	\$6.25 to \$6.75

REST IN PEACE

Mark Murray, Pender editor, has written his last story, and the Great-est Scribe has seen fit to write "30" at the end of a life full of service. Newspaper men throughout Nebraska and adjoining states were inexpressibly grieved to learn Tuesday of the death of a man who has done much for weekly newspaper advancement during his lifetime. It has occasioned real regret to see one of the few old school editors pass on to a well earned rest.

Mark Murray had devoted his life to his paper. It had been his aim to give Pender, his community, the best possible publication. He had come to Pender in 1890 and had published the Pender Times from that time up until the time of his death.

A real community servant, Mark Murray had served two terms in the state legislature; he had been a delegate to the national democratic convention which nominated Woodrow Wilson for the presidency; he had been president of the Northeast Nebraska Press association; he had served as a member of the state democratic central committee, and had served as Pender postmaster.

Mark Murray is dead, but Pender will remember him for a long time, and other newspaper men will try to be as much service to their communities as he was to his.

ANONYMITY

Someone sent us a crackerjack news item this week. We read the story through with interest, until we came to the end. The signature was "A Cub."

No newspaper can afford to accept anonymous contributions. If the story has factual basis, the writer should not be hesitant to sign his name to it. If the writer expects the newspaper to publish his opinions, he should be willing to admit that they are his opinions.

We appreciate the fact that "A Cub" sent us the story. We hope that we'll get others from the same source, but with signature attached. It happens that the facts of this story as submitted by the anonymous writer were substantially correct. The Democrat, however, wants some reliable authority for every statement it publishes.

If anyone wants to publish an article under a pseudonym, The Democrat will be glad to hold the real name in confidence, but we must know the names of all contributors. Otherwise, in case of trouble arising from publication of the material, we would be held responsible for sentiments that might not even be in agreement with what we believe.

RECENT G. O. P. ACTIVITIES

Washington, Feb.—Recent events affecting leading members of the G. O. P. are reported in the press as follows:

Evansville, Ind.—Harry E. Rowbottom, republican representative in Congress of the First Indiana district, arrested and held in \$10,000 bond on the charge of having accepted \$750 for recommending an appointment in the postal service.

Lincoln, Neb.—George W. Norris, Broken Bow grocer who opposed Senator George W. Norris in the Republican primaries last fall, indicted for perjury by the grand jury.

Victor Seymour, former manager of Western Headquarters of the Republican National Senatorial Campaign committee, indicted by the grand jury on eight counts, including perjury, in connection with the candidacy of Grocer Norris.

Chicago—Mrs. Myrtle Palmer Blackledge, collector of Internal Revenue for the Northern District of Illinois, victimized out of \$50,000 in a confidence game, growing out of an alleged faro game.

Washington—Arguments in the case of Albert B. Fall, secretary of the interior in the Harding cabinet, who was convicted of accepting a bribe in connection with the lease of the Elk

Hills (Calif.) Naval Oil Reserve and sentenced to one year in prison and to pay a fine of \$100,000 have just been heard in the District of Columbia court of appeals.

Rep. Edward E. Denton (Illinois) against whom an indictment of possessing a trunk full of liquor in his office in the House office building was held to be insufficient by the District Supreme court, must now stand trial on that charge under an opinion rendered by the District of Columbia court of appeals, "overruling the action of the lower court."

GOSSIP

Satan is a shrewd and crafty individual. He has many ways of expressing his evil nature. Gossip is one of them. Almost every mouthpiece is a willing worker. How Satan must laugh when they get going. Everybody is "panned" except the immediate circle present. But let one of that circle drop out at the next meeting and see what happens.

Not all gossip is vicious. When you find a vicious gossip, you can bet there is a skeleton in the closet of that particular individual whose bones, if rattled, would sound like a flock of dishpans falling down a back stairway on a quiet night.

An acquaintance of ours was once put on the pan by a vicious gossip. He possessed a sense of humor. He happened to have something "on" the woman. He bided his time.

One night the woman's husband left town. After dark a gentleman friend sneaked into the house, he thought unnoticed. But twinkling eyes were watching. A short time later a fire alarm was turned in for his woman's house. The fire department came howling up the street with its usual crowd and stopped. There was no fire, so the fire boys pounded on the doors, front and rear.

"Fire! Fire!" they shouted. The couple became frightened. The man rushed out on the front porch.

"Where? Where?" he asked. He had forgotten in the excitement his unusual position.

The firemen stopped looking for the fire. It was a small town. Everybody knew the husband was gone. There had been "whisperings" of an affair between the couple. Here was proof. Somebody started to laugh. It was our friend who was sitting on the curb across the street thoroughly enjoying his little joke.

Another vicious gossip had been flaying unmercifully friends of an editor and the editor himself. She was the wife of a prominent man in the town who tried to "shut her up" but couldn't.

The editor was called to the city. With him was a friend, a state representative. The latter, too, had felt the sting of her tongue. It was late in the evening when they entered the lobby of the hotel where they were registered. Who should they see but this home-town gossip. With her was a strange gentleman ordering a room. The gossip had not seen the editor and representative who sensed something unusual and kept out of sight. The couple was escorted to the elevator by a bell boy.

The representative knew the clerk well. As soon as the couple disappeared he made inquiry and learned they were registered as man and wife.

The gossip was at the mercy of the men she had been so bitterly flaying. Did they take revenge. Yes. But not in the way you might expect.

The woman had two lovely children at home. They were innocent. The husband was not a bad fellow.

A half hour later the manager of the hotel, with the house detective, both friends of the representative, knocked at the door. They demanded admittance. Behind them were the representative and editor.

The woman was paralyzed with fear and so was her consort.

"Are you this woman's husband?" demanded the manager.

The man knew he was caught and frankly confessed he wasn't her husband. Then he pleaded for the woman.

The representative walked over to her and laid his hand gently on her shoulder.

"Mrs. ——" he said, "You do not need to worry about us exposing you further. You will be given a separate room here, and tomorrow you will return home. The editor is passing up a great story, but I am sure he has no desire of hurting you. We wish to caution you, though. Don't ever say an unkind thing about anyone again."

The woman got down on her knees and thanked him in gratitude. She became a useful worker in her town. And she acquired that reputation so good to our ears, namely, "You never hear Mrs. —— say anything bad about anyone."

She is making a fine home for her husband who can't figure out "what has come over Maude," only that isn't her name.

None of us are perfect. It takes all kinds of humans to make up a

world. We happen to know of a party where certain individuals, not present of course, were criticized for drinking. And before that party was over everybody was "high."

"Let him who is without sin cast the first stone."—Rock County Star.

THE CRIME WAVE

Many daily newspapers are responsible for adding momentum to the crime wave that has been sweeping over the country these past few years. By striving for the sensational type of news—that which calls for large headlines and many sales of papers to a morbidly curious public—they have managed to bring much attention to the glamorous side of a life of crime. The more sordid facts about crime and criminals, although they exceed by far the others, have been more or less neglected. The result is a sort of glorification, in the mind of the public, for the gangster and racketeer. Thus week-willed youth may be encouraged to participate in minor crimes, hoping to work up some day to the "big time" gangster stage.

Much space has been given in newspapers throughout the land to the wealth and luxury of Alphonse Capone and other so-called "big-shots" of the underworld. What about the families of those who are put on the spot by enemies and are mowed down by machine guns in the very doorways of their own homes? Isn't there a sad story to be told about such a gangster's wife and children? What is the feeling of his father and mother? Who supports his dependents after he is bumped off? It is admitted that almost every gangster either "takes the rap" or meets his death by violence sooner or later. All of them are young men; none survive long enough to be otherwise.

Why not give light to the more sordid side of the story of crime? Newspapers should not be condemned for reporting the crimes committed by gangsters and even by the lesser lights of the underworld. The function of a newspaper is to furnish the news. Criticism is due, however, for searching out the facts which make crime appear to be little less than glorified adventure. The story of sorrow, suffering, disgrace and want also should be told. Then crime would not be so alluring.

It should be remembered that whenever a notorious criminal rises to the heights of buying a winter home in Florida and owning a dozen expensive automobiles, at least a thousand other members of the underworld are meeting the fate of being murdered, sentenced to death, to prison for life or for long terms and living the life of hunted animals.—The Nebraska Farmer.

THREE KINDS OF FARMERS

One of the drawbacks to any discussion of the farmer and his problems is the uncertainty as to what sort of farming is under discussion. There are three different types of farmer, and in almost every part of the United States all three are to be found side by side.

The most widely-distributed type is what may be called "non-commercial" farmer, the great group with whom farming is not so much a business as a mode of living. This type raises no considerable amount of any one "money crop" but grows on his own land the means of subsistence for his family and counting out the eggs, butter or other marketable products in town for store goods, handles very little cash in the course of a year.

The group of farmers who are specialists, "one-crop farmers," is probably the largest numerically and in acreage under fence. They are business men, in the broad sense, producing nothing but a single commodity which they sell or hope to sell for money, and growing nothing, or almost nothing, which they themselves consume. The single crop may be cotton, tobacco, wheat, corn, oranges, apples, celery or potatoes, depending upon location. Dependent upon their money returns from the single cash crop for everything which they eat and wear, these are the first to feel the effects of a general business depression and are constantly at the mercy of competition and over-production in their staple crops. This is the type of farmer at whose relief most of the political remedies for agricultural ills are aimed.

The happiest farmers are the third class, those whose farming operations combine those of the other two. They live off the soil and can continue to live independently and comfortably year in and year out, except for natural catastrophes such as floods or drought. They grow enough of one or more cash crops to figure as important factors in the produce markets, but failure in any one year to cash in on such crops or livestock does not reduce them to penury or plunge them into debt.

For 10 years and more the United States and the various State departments of Agriculture, as well as the

agricultural colleges have been preaching the gospel of diversified farming in the one-crop regions. Every once in a while some natural or economic disaster drives the one-crop farmers of a district into diversification, and the result is always greater prosperity and stability, not only for the farmer but for all the people of his district or state. Emerson Tri-County Press.

The Book Box

Some time ago, we spoke of "The Collected Poems of Edward Arlington Robinson" and said that we used to own the book. Well, we still have it, as we discovered Saturday. And it is still the grandest book of poetry this writer ever wants to own.

"Isaac and Archibald" is one of the finest poems in the book. It is the story of two old cronies, both of whom know that the other is getting old. Neither, however, realizes that he, himself, is aged. The poem is the tragedy of life, with all the sweetness stirred in. It is a touching story that will appeal to any human person.

"Flammonde" is another poem that has always appealed to this scrivener. It is the story of

The man Flammonde, from God knows where—and it tells the tale of a man who has never been successful, and still is more successful than anyone in Tillybury town. The cadence, rhythm and resonance of this little bit are splendid.

"Ben Jonson Entertains a Man from Stratford" is an achievement in poetry that should live for a long time. Ben Jonson and Shakespeare get together and the result is a charming discourse.

"Richard Cory" is a short poem that tells a story better than many full-length novels could tell it.

"Lisette and Eileen" is a conversation between a dead man's wife and his mistress. It is well worth reading. If you don't like Edward Arlington Robinson's poetry, well—I'm wrong.

A review of a new book in Present Day American Literature appeals to us and makes us want to read the book. That is the purpose of a good review of a good book, so we lift the review bodily and pass it along to you:

"Red Snow, one of the Inner Sanctum (Dollar novels) by F. Wright Moxley, should attract far more than average attention. Mr. Moxley is a lawyer and this his first novel. We hope that he may escape from the dismal profession into the company of free spirits who roam the cosmos and tell the rest of us what they see, and we predict that he will.

"The red snow came on August 17, 1935, Herbert Hoover said, 'The stuff is red' and Will Rogers responded 'The violet's blue.' The most serious and the most humorous man having thus commented, the rest of the world began to guess, but it was not for some months that all awoke to the fact that the red snow had made the human race biologically sterile to correspond to its previous mental condition. Really, what do you imagine the human race would do in the next 80- or 90 years, if babies should cease being born? Mr. Moxley has made some amazingly shrewd guesses.

"When full knowledge breaks upon the world that no more children shall arrive from that 'eternal sea that brought us hither' folks meet the shock in various and characteristic ways. The bishop urges men to live in such way as to make 'our beloved Lord sorry.' Strange stuff! 'The medical schools promise restoration; the artist is stunned.' And always the dissenting sects quarrel. Was it lack of immersion or denial of fore-ordination that had aroused the wrath of the Almighty to smite the entire race?

"One glorious newspaper man, from that most courageous publication, The New York World, Ben Darcy, penned a Jeremiad as great as his great biblical predecessor ever wrote. 'You have damned them (the children); you have sweated them;... Now by the will of God Almighty no new child shall suffer at your odorous, clumsy hands. No once dainty pink-skinned laughing girl-child shall again walk the streets with her sweet flesh bespotted with the sores of your desires. No clubby, gurgling, blue-eyed boy again shall struggle through the mysterious gateway of young manhood to be shot down to make a world safe for democratic merchants. Goodbye, you rotten eggs! And that was the last editorial Darcy ever wrote, the obituary of the human race and its epitaph.

"Some 80 or 90 years after, the last man leaves the world in company of a mysterious Shadow, and both are laughing. Is the laughter in irony that the pretentious human 'thinking' animal has run its little insignificant race, in this obscure

corner of the universe, and left this earth to the wise animals, the great old trees, the quiet hills and the mountains that gaze calmly over the scene, and the enfolding sea chanting its eternal song?

"Hard reading for the easy optimist but very stimulating to one who can study the possibilities of a dying race when the social control of the children has passed away. He will realize as perhaps never before, what are the genuine interests of humanity and how much of its energy is now expended in foolish and worse than foolish endeavor."

"Roadside Meetings," by Hamlin Garland, published by Macmillan, is essentially a story of Hamlin Garland and his friends—the numerous authors, artists and public men whose friendship he enjoyed, among them James Ahearn, Mark Twain, George W. Cable, Walt Whitman, Sidney Lanier, Stephen Crane, Joaquin Miller, Ripley, Eugene Field, Barrie, Kipling and Shaw. It transcends the appellation of a book of intensely interesting reminiscences, and is a literary and cultural history of a period.

Here's a book that people seem, for the most part, to have overlooked. It's "Masks in a Pageant," by William Allen White, MacMillan publishes it. It is a racy, pungent story of politics in America from Harrison to Hoover, bound together in the form of consecutive sketches of political leaders White has known. It's style is breezy enough to be entertaining, and it is highly interesting from cover to cover. Men will like it particularly well.

Somehow, the Macaulay press blurb makes us feel that we'd like to read, "The Outlaw Years," by Robert M. Coats. And for the book says, "This strange family lay hidden in the wilderness. The two Harpes, savage, maniacal murderers and inventors of atrocities, preyed upon traders along the trails. The women shared the dangers and the plunder. They were the wildest and most vicious brigands that ever went too long unhanged."

Well, enough's enough, and you've probably grown tired of books before you've reached this part of the column anyhow, so that's that.

SCOTT SHOTS

by "SCOTTY"

Didja see the pictures of Martin Ringer, J. J. Ahern and Homer Seace in the Omaha Bee-News of Wednesday, Feb. 18? If you didn't you ain't seen nothin' yet.

Usually, the Scott Shot purveyor indulges in a snicker when someone says "The picture doesn't do me justice," but here's one case where the subjects would have been justified in shooting the photographer. Mr. Ahern and Mr. Seace have the glassy stare of embalmed men, and Mr. Ringer doesn't look any better.

The pity of it is that all three of them are good looking men.

Curiosity may have killed a cat, but there are plenty of cats left.

Have you noticed the speed with which the local fire department answers calls? The other day, when the fire siren blew, Ben Carhart timed the volunteers, and 45 seconds after the alarm, the truck was zooming up Main street. That's what this writer would call speed.

Look in your mirror. You'll see the only person you can fool indefinitely.

We hear a lot about burning the midnight oil, hard work, et cetera, but somehow, a recent statement of George Jean Nathan's appeals to us. He says, "Show me a man who, as the phrase goes, works himself to death, and I'll show you an unimaginative dolt."

Whatever you do, don't attach any credence to the story of the actor whose performance was so realistic that when he appeared in a scene in which he had to die, his life insurance agent, sitting in the audience, fainted.

A beautiful young lady walked into Coryell's and started looking around at the cars.

"Let me show you something new in a beautiful sedan," Mr. Coryell suggested.

"It wouldn't do you a bit of good," she answered, "and I don't think you could, anyway."

Names With-Held By Request

A Wayne traveling man returned home a day earlier than usual last week, without telling his wife of his changed schedule. It so happened

that she was entertaining a boy friend—a boy friend who helped himself to hubby's cigars.

Hearing her husband fumbling with the lock, she pushed the boy friend into a nearby closet.

The traveling man came in, kissed his wife affectionately, and then began sniffing. He smelled cigar smoke. He looked in the dining room, the kitchen, and then went straight to the door of the clothes closet. A leer spread over his face as he pulled the door open and saw the cowering lover. Then he turned to his wife.

"Ah," he chortled, "now I know where my cigars have been going."

But that's nothing compared to the story of the traveling man (run along to bed, now, children, you're not supposed to hear this) who made his semi-annual trip home, after a four-through the middle west that had been a trial to him in numerous ways. About eleven o'clock, this knight of the erip thought he heard a noise in the living room.

"Say, what's that noise?" he muttered nervously.

"Gosh," his wife whispered drowsily, "It must be my husband."

"Cripes," gasped the traveling man, as he leaped out of the window.

"Watch me shake that thing," the elephant said as he stepped onto the suspension bridge.

And now, folks, if you'll rally 'round, we'll present a few choice mots of Samuel Hoffenstein:

Loyal be to loyal friends;  
Make them pay you dividends;  
Work, like the industrious bee,  
Your friends and foes impartially.

From coast to coast the railroads roam,  
Yet every inch of rail stays home.

There are strange creatures in the zoo,  
Like emu, zebra, auk and gnu,  
But stranger creatures have I seen  
Riding in a limousine.

The apple grows so bright and high,  
And end its days in apple pie.

The daughter had just received a new mink coat from her father.

"What I don't see," she said, "is how a wonderful fur can come from such a low, sneaking beast."

To which the father replied, "I don't ask for thanks, dear, but I really must insist on respect."

What do you think of the proposed Golden Jubilee celebration for Wayne? It looks like a good thing to this writer. Fifty years of progress have been lived through by the town by reason of hard, smart work, and it seems proper that we should pause and pay honor to those who have done much to make Wayne the splendid community that it is.

It's a real treat to hear Wayne's old timers reminisce on the early days in this territory. Those were days of struggle—but days of glamor and romance, too. No wonder that our pioneers like to remember "way back when." They've passed through a part of history that will never be re-enacted in Nebraska again.

Life's Little Tragedies  
Alleging that her husband, enraged because she smoked a cigarette, had forced her to swallow one that was lighted, Mrs. Burwell F. Rader of Marion, Ill., was granted a divorce.

If you know of any good way to close a column-of-nonsense, send your suggestions in to Scott Shots. That's one way of ending it, isn't it?

HIGH SCHOOL STARTS HI-Y ORGANIZATION

Freshmen Have Costume Party; Junior High Prints Paper

Through the efforts of Mr. Glen Griffith, Hi-Y club is being organized by high school boys. The club is still in the primitive stage, although it has made a constitution and the members have adopted an emblem. Mr. Best gave the Hi-Y members a "feed" last Thursday noon.

Freshmen Have Party  
Freshmen of Wayne high school had a costume party last Friday night. Principle features of the program were: Amon and Andy, portrayed by Raymond Sala and Earl Bonawitz; Letha Penhollow's imitation of an opera singer; and tap dancing by Madeline Grantham and Ruby Rhoads. After the program, games were played and refreshments were served.

Junior High-School

Seventh grade students published a paper last week called the Junior High Press. Marylon Seymour was editor and Geraldine Gamble and Ruth Judson acted as assistant editors.

## Local and Personal

Mrs. Byron Ruth called on Mrs. Henry Johnson of this city Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Larson and family were in Sioux City visiting relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beckner were visitors at the S. J. Hale home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lenzen and son, Junior, visited relatives in Randolph Monday.

Mrs. S. H. Richards and son, Edwin, called at the H. J. Mahnke home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Burkland and baby of Wakefield were Wayne visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Koch of Winside were visitors at the E. C. Perkins home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Grangulst and family of Winside were guests of Mrs. Enga Granquist here Friday.

Mrs. H. J. Foster's niece, Miss Cleome Carlston of Sioux City, is spending the week with the Fosters.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Martin of Genoa spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Liedtke and family.

### Men's union made Allied Overall \$1.09 at Gamble's.

Mrs. Grant Davis of Norfolk was here between trains Thursday visiting her friend, Mrs. H. W. Bonawitz.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bennett of near Concord were visitors at the Jack Denbeck home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Frevert and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frevert of this city Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carlson and daughters, Rebecca and Allin, were callers at the B. Craig home Tuesday forenoon.

Miss Pearl Olson of Norfolk spent from Thursday until Sunday visiting at the Albert Johnson and the O. J. Olson homes.

Mrs. Fred Johnson, Mrs. Claude Tuttle, and Mrs. Albert Lehman of Concord were among Wayne visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Esther Graves of Harlan, Iowa is spending the week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morgan, and family.

Mrs. Wm. Rink, Mrs. Fred Bilson, and Mrs. H. J. Mahnke and little boy called on Mrs. T. C. Bathke Wednesday afternoon last week.

Mrs. C. E. Liveringhouse, Ed Ritze, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Nichols and daughter, Evelyn Fay Mc-Nichols, went to Walker, S. D., Saturday to visit Mrs. Liveringhouse's mother, Mrs. Mahala Snyder, her brother, Arthur Snyder, and other relatives a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bonawitz and family were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Bonawitz's sister, Mrs. Frank Obst, and husband and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lage of Carroll were visitors at the Harry Beckner home here Friday evening. Mrs. Lage was formerly Miss Ruby Hale of near Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bruce and daughter, Claudia, of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lindsay were Sunday dinner guests at the Dale Lindsay home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kilborn and the Misses Agnes Haag and Elsie Woltz visited Mrs. Kilborn's sister, Mrs. John Hahn, and husband at Columbus Sunday.

Miss Mildred Wheeler of Coleridge was here during the basketball tournament. She was a guest while here of Miss LeVenne Larson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Larson.

Anna Anderson and son, Donald, were Sunday dinner guests at the C. Swanson home. Mr. and Mrs. Ivar Anderson and family of near Concord called at the Swanson home that afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee James of Pierce came Sunday to visit Mrs. James' mother, Mrs. Anna Kopp, of this city. Mr. James returned home Monday afternoon but Mrs. James is staying for a week's visit.

Mrs. Henry Johnson went to Wakefield yesterday afternoon to visit her sister, Mrs. Alfred Johnson, and to get acquainted with the new baby girl who arrived at the Alfred Johnson home last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Herton of Walthill spent Sunday afternoon at the Don Fitch home. Mrs. Fitch's nephew, Charles Pounds, of Winnebago, was a supper guest at the Fitch home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hansen Jr. and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Mau and family, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Meyers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Long visited at the Alfred Test home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Levin Johnson's mother, Mrs. Jennie Sumner, of Bloomfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brunke, sister and brother-in-law of Mrs. Johnson, also of Bloomfield, were over Sunday guests at the Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kay were guests at the Henry Johnson home Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Kay moved to Wayne last week to make their home. Mr. Kay is employed in R. B. Judson's furniture store.

A deal was closed last week whereby Hans Tidemann became owner of the Concord meat market and grocery. The deal involves a trade in which S. J. Herfel takes in the Tidemann farm of 160 acres for \$18,000 and receives \$6000 for the store building and fixtures, the stock to be invoiced at cost. Mr. Tidemann will take possession on March 9th.

Dr. Paul Siman was a Winside visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant S. Mears were business visitors in Ponca Friday.

Miss Ida Hinnerichs of Randolph was a Wayne visitor last week-end.

Miss Rose Kuebler of Sioux City was a guest of home folks last week-end. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Fleckle of this city Tuesday morning, Feb. 24th.

Father Walsh of Battle Creek was a guest of Father Wm. Kearns here Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Finn and family of near Carroll and Miss Fern Vaumberg of this city were Sunday dinner guests at the James Finn home here.

Miss Rhea Schmiedekamp of Walthill spent three days last week as a guest of Miss Mary Jane Morgan. She accompanied the basketball team to Wayne for the tournament.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Martin moved this week from the Ziegler 20-acre farm just west of Wayne adjoining the Winside highway to their place just east of the north entrance of the county fair grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hansen Jr. and family of near Wayne were Sunday dinner guests of the former's mother, Mrs. R. H. Hansen of this city. They were guests at supper that evening at the A. C. Mau home.

Miss Marion June Robinson of Fremont spent the week-end with her grandmother, Mrs. C. J. Lund, Sunday Mrs. Lund, Mrs. Edna Kemp and Mrs. Jake Welbaum accompanied her back to Fremont where they spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bahde and daughters, Lily and Leona, were visitors at the Ernest Bahde home in Wakefield Sunday afternoon. That evening Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frahm and J. J. Steele also called at the Ernest Bahde home at Wakefield.

Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Lutgen attended the funeral of the doctor's sister-in-law, Mrs. Dr. C. A. Lutgen, at Auburn Thursday afternoon, Feb. 19, at the Christian church at Auburn. The deceased passed away Tuesday evening after an illness of 18 months.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frevert were Sunday dinner guests at the Herbert Frevert home. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Frevert and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barleman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Frevert, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Larson.

Mrs. Jennie Schrupf of Lincoln has been visiting her brother and sister, Will and Miss Gertrude Bayes at Winside. She left Saturday for Tekamah to visit Mr. and Mrs. Epy Cross and son, Billy Foy.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kingston went to Rock Valley, Iowa, Saturday to visit Mr. Kingston's sister, Mrs. Jennie Lynch, who was very ill. They returned home Sunday night. Word has since been received that Mrs. Lynch had passed away Tuesday morning.

Mrs. W. H. Sharer and daughter, Jean Ann, arrived home Friday evening from New Hampton, Iowa, where they visited their father and grandfather, James Conry, who is quite seriously ill. Mr. Conry has been ill since last fall and does not seem to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ross of north of Dixon spent the week-end visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ross of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wert of near Wayne were Sunday dinner guests at the Ross home together with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ross. Mrs. Wert was formerly Miss Evelyn Ross of Wayne.

Mrs. Don Fitch's nephew, Gene Smith of Rosalie, spent Thursday night at the Fitch home as guest of the Fitch boys. Max Schmiedekamp and Bob Herten and Robin Bauhn, all of Walthill, were guests of the Fitch boys last week-end, Max coming Thursday and staying until Sunday and the other two coming Friday and staying until Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heesch of this city are moving next week to a farm southeast of Wakefield. Last Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Evans and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bilson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Ruth and family, and the Henry Johnson family surprised them with a farewell party. The evening was spent at 500 and a two-course luncheon brought by the guests was served at a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dolph were Sunday dinner guests at the J. B. West home. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walker and two children of Cherokee, Iowa, Ed Dolph and two children of Valley, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Thill and two children of near Wayne, and Miss Ruth Turnland of Cherokee, nurse at Dr. Bentback's hospital here, were also dinner guests at the West home Sunday. The Walkers came Saturday evening and returned home Sunday afternoon.

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## TEACHERS PRESENT RECITAL TUESDAY

Give Program of Solos, Duets and Readings at Local Church.

Miss Arline Urban, soprano, and Miss Verna Mac O'Neill, contralto and reader, appeared in recital at the Presbyterian church auditorium Tuesday evening, Feb. 24. Musical accompaniment was furnished by Franklin Phillo.

About two hundred people listened to the program of vocal solos, duets and readings, and the audience begged for encore after encore. At the conclusion of the performance, a bouquet was presented to the entertainers.

The program which the two high school teachers presented was as follows:

- Part I**
- Care Solve ..... Handel
  - Abelula ..... Mozart
  - Last Rose of Summer ..... Flowtow
  - Miss Urban
  - The Street Singer ..... Jose Echegaray
  - Miss O'Neill
  - Waltz Song (Romeo and Juliet) ..... Gounod
  - Miss Urban
  - In Autumn ..... Franc
  - Moon Behind the Cottonwood ..... Cadman
  - Sapphic Ode ..... Brahms
  - Miss O'Neill
  - Out of the Dusk ..... Lee
  - Glow-Worm ..... Linckts
  - In the Garden of Roses ..... Sanderson
  - Miss Urban and Miss O'Neill
- Part II**
- Gretna Green ..... Constance D'Arcy Mackay
  - Miss O'Neill
  - Pirate Dreams ..... Heurter
  - Fairies at the Bottom of Our Garden ..... Lehman
  - Nocturne ..... Gurrin
  - Nymphs and Fauns ..... Benberg
  - Miss Urban
  - Bird Songs at Eventide ..... Scott
  - Enchantment ..... Scott
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Great Britain, China, and Japan. The passenger boats are over 600 feet long and remind one of traveling villages. They ply between Honolulu, China, Japan, Australia, and New Zealand. Mrs. James recalls that they certainly differ from the little prairie schooner in which she came to Wayne county from Iowa with her parents many years ago.

In the parks at Vancouver, one can see all kinds of water fowl such as swans, pelicans, wild geese and ducks, besides many wild animals. Large Cedar trees measuring 12 to 14 feet in diameter and 200 feet in height are also here.

Leaving Vancouver on Feb. 16, by the C. N. R., and going via Seattle and Spokane, Wash., Montana, and the Dakotas, Mrs. James arrived in Wayne last Friday evening, Feb. 20, from Sioux City.

**SHERIFF'S SALE**  
By virtue of an Execution, to me directed, issued by the County Judge of Wayne County, Nebraska, upon a judgment rendered in favor of Fullerton Lumber Company, and against Earl Leonard, I have levied on the following described goods as the property of said Earl Leonard, to-wit:  
3000 bushels of corn more or less and 900 bushels of barley more or less located on the Northwest quarter of section 28, Township 26, Range 5, I will on the 9th day of March, 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the above mentioned place sell said property to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said judgment, and costs, the amount due thereon being \$489.75 together with interest at 10 per cent from Feb. 3, 1931 and costs.  
Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this 25th day of February, 1931.  
A. W. STEPHENS, Sheriff.

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Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this 25th day of February, 1931.  
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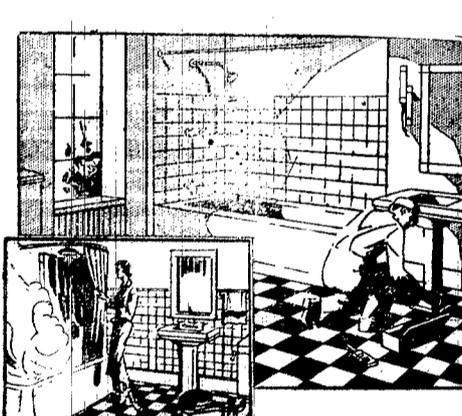
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<b>Peanut Butter, qt. jar</b>	-	<b>32c</b>
<b>Robb Ross Frute Jel, 4 pkgs.</b>		<b>25c</b>
<b>Marshmallows, pound</b>	-	<b>17c</b>
<b>Rolled Oats</b> Golden Rule 64 oz. pkg.	-	<b>19c</b>
<b>Lewis Lye, 2 cans</b>	-	<b>25c</b>
<b>Cookies, Fresh 5 Varieties 2 lbs.</b>	-	<b>44c</b>

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**SPEAKS TO KIWANIANs**  
D. M. Fullington addressed Wayne Kiwanians Monday noon on the subject, "In Your World of Construction."

## East of Wayne

Mr. and Mrs. Neil McCorkindale were Sunday evening visitors at the Henry Nelson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Larson and son Earl, and Mr. and Mrs. August Long spent Sunday evening in the Herbert Echtenkamp home.

The following families spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Larson celebrating their 20th wedding anniversary: Jack Soderburg, Neil McCorkindale, Ed Larson, Russell Johnson, Henry Nelson, Ed Larson and Clarence Anderson and Ola Nelson.

Mrs. Henry Nelson has been ill with an attack of flu the past week.

Mrs. August Long, Mrs. Henry Nelson, and Mrs. Ed Larson spent Thursday afternoon in the Frank Sederstrom home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hyspe and Marguerite, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Erickson and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson were Sunday dinner guests in the Lawrence Ring home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Ring and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Nelson and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Munson and sons, and Virgil Carlson were Friday supper guests in the Dick Sandahl home.

Miss Vivian Sandahl has been ill with an attack of flu the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Lindsay and family, Clara Utecht, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Utecht and family, were among other guests at a farewell party at the Emil Boeckenhauer home Sunday. The Boeckenhauers are moving to a farm near Carroll.

C. V. Agler and his sisters, the Misses Mildred and Marlon Agler, spent Sunday in the H. Rinckenbaugh home near Altona visiting Mrs. C. V. Agler who is spending some time there recuperating from a recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Eard spent Friday evening in the C. Sandahl home.

Mrs. Carrie Bard is spending a few weeks in the C. Bard home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bard, Mrs. Carrie Bard and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sundell and daughters were Sunday dinner

guests in the Luther Bard home. Mrs. C. Bard spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Morris Carlson in Wakefield.

Mrs. Clarence Hearson and daughters spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. F. Libersed.

Mrs. C. Pearson and Mrs. Alfred Borg attended Thursday club in the John Fedley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Parks spent Sunday evening in the C. Pearson home.

Mrs. C. F. Sandahl visited Saturday morning with Milton Henry who is ill. It is hoped he will soon be in better health.

Mrs. Harold Sorensen and Mrs. Harris Sorensen and son spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. George Peterson in Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Sorensen and son spent Sunday evening in the Jens Peterson home.

Miss Marie Peterson is spending this week visiting at the Harris Sorensen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sievers and family and John Meyers and family were Sunday afternoon visitors in the August Kay home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sievers attended a shower for Mrs. Ed Carlmeyer, bride of the past week. The shower took place at the Adolph Korn home.

Mrs. Lawrence Ring attended the Pleasant Valley club Wednesday at the Andy Thompson home in Wayne.

Mrs. Lawrence Ring entertained the Rural Home society and four guests, Mrs. Carl Anderson, Mrs. Elmer Felt, Mrs. Orville Erickson and Mrs. E. E. Hyspe, last Thursday at a one o'clock luncheon and regular meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sandahl and family spent Sunday in the John Fredericksen home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Borden spent Monday afternoon in the Paul Olson home.

Ed Larson sold brood sows to Henry Nelson and to Paul Olson the past week.

Mrs. Alfred Johnson's children spent the week-end in the Paul Olson home. A baby girl arrived in the Johnson home Friday.

Mrs. Ed Larson got a bunch of baby chicks the past week.

W. Boyce moved to the house of Albert Utecht on his south farm the past week.

Max Brudigan will move up near Martinsburg and Carl Baker will move back on his old place. We welcome him into the neighborhood again and express regret at having to lose the Brudigans.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Long are moving on the Forney farm. Everett Larson is moving west of Wakefield. Sam Foote will live on the place vacated by Everett Larson. Mr. and Mrs. John Kay will live on the Hurstad farm and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Larson will live on the farm vacated by C. Simon. August Sloan will move to a farm north of Wakefield.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an Order of Sale, to me directed, issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, upon a decree rendered therein at the April 1930 term thereof, in an action pending in said court wherein The City of Wayne, in the State of Nebraska, was plaintiff and Alice M. Jeffries Cone, et al were defendants, I will, on the 29th day of March 1931 at 10 o'clock a. m., at the door of the office of the Clerk of said Court, in the court house in Wayne, in said county, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lot Four (4) Block Twenty (20) Original Town of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, to satisfy the aforesaid decree, the amount due thereon being \$741.82 with interest, and costs and accruing costs.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska this 21st day of February 1931.  
A. W. STEPHENS,  
Sheriff.

## Wilbur

Mrs. Otta Sals is a patient in the Wayne hospital with a serious case of tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lorenzen called Thursday evening at the Aug. Kruse home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Otte and family and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Franzen and family spent Sunday in the Will Krie home north of Laurel.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Jensen and children spent Sunday with relatives near Winside.

Mrs. Roy Day and Mrs. Frank Hicks called Friday afternoon on Mrs. Henry Hansen.

Otto Sals and son, Melvin and Gene were Sunday dinner guests in the Irvy Reed home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lott and Gerald Hicks were callers Friday evening at the Henry Hansen home.

Mr. and Mrs. August Kruse and children called Tuesday evening at the John Dunklau home.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Henrich and Mr. and Mrs. Will Hansen called Sunday afternoon at the John Dunklau home.

Mr. and Mrs. James McIntosh and granddaughter Mrs. Irene Lessmann spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beckman. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rosacker and babe spent Sunday evening with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Linke and two sons spent Sunday evening in the August Kruse home.

Miss Goldie Reed, instructor in the Pilger schools, was a week-end guest of Miss Mercedes Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Otte and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hicks called Monday evening at the August Kruse home.

Mrs. Chris. Weible and Jack Weible were Sunday dinner guests at Lou Gramberg's.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schroeder and daughter and H. D. Schroeder spent Sunday afternoon at the John Schroeder home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Otte and children called Tuesday evening at the Henry Hansen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lott called Tuesday afternoon at the August Kruse home.

A number of friends and neighbors gathered at the Roy Day home Thursday evening to help Mr. Day celebrate his birthday. The evening was spent at progressive cards and at the close of the evening Mrs. Day served ice-cream and cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Franzen and family spent Sunday evening in the Fred Otte home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grier and two sons and Mr. and Mrs. Irvy Reed spent Sunday evening in the Chris Jensen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Day were Sunday dinner guests in the Frank Hicks home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Johnson and Ednor spent Sunday afternoon in the Ed Grier home.

Mrs. Margaret Grier spent Monday afternoon in the Harry Lessmon home.

Ed Taylor was a Sunday dinner guest in the Andrew Stamm home.

Miss Dorothy Gildersleeve spent Saturday night with Miss Lois Pierson.

Dr. F. O. Lundberg and wife of Wausau were Sunday evening callers in the Clifford Penn home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jeffrey and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson were Saturday evening callers in the Wm. Hoguewood home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kay and Mrs. L. W. Powers and Mr. Riehaugh went to Orchard Monday to attend the funeral of Chris Lohb.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Victor Jr. and family and Lenore Taylor were Sunday evening supper guests at the Frank Griffith Jr. home.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stamm spent Wednesday last week at Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hanscom called Sunday afternoon at the Andrew Stamm home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gurney Prince spent Monday afternoon in the Roy Pierson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pierson called Thursday evening in the P. L. Mabbott home in Wayne.

Mrs. Ray Farney gave a surprise party for her husband last Monday evening, the occasion being his birthday. The evening was spent at cards and refreshments brought by the guests were served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hicks and two sons and a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Day, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Spahr and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Lorenzen and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Will Lott and three daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Fox.

### FOR SALE

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## "Bear Flag" Symbol of Republic of California

In the early days California was isolated from the other Spanish possessions in America by mountains, deserts and poor communications, and after Mexico won independence this region became even less answerable to central authority. It enjoyed practical autonomy while the rest of Mexico was engaged in internal strife. Americans and other non-Mexicans settled in California and assumed importance in its affairs. After 1840 it became apparent that California would not remain much longer under even the nominal authority of Mexico, but the new landholders were divided in opinion as to what the future status of the country should be. Some favored annexation to the United States; others advocated a British protectorate. During this period of hesitation, war broke out between the United States and Mexico over Texas, the former Mexican state which had become an independent republic and then annexed itself to the United States. Col. John C. Fremont took advantage of the situation, seized Sonoma, and on July 4, 1846, proclaimed California a republic. The banner of the new republic bore a bear, and this was the Bear flag that Fremont hoisted.

Among those besides Fremont whose efforts speedily effected the conquest of this region were Stockton and Kearney, and on August 15, 1846, the republic of California was annexed to the United States.

## Little Damage Done by Missile, as It Happened

Mark Twain, at a publishers' dinner in New York, talked of his reporting days in Virginia City.

"We were trying a horse thief one day," he said, "and all of a sudden the big, burly scoundrel pulled off his boot and threw it at the judge. It was a heavy boot, too. It was studded with hobnails. I am still rather proud of the way I wrote up that little incident, doing it neatly, and at the same time getting back on a rival reporter whom I disliked. I got it all in one paragraph—something like this:

"Suddenly the blackguardly thief, pulling off his boot, hurled it with all his might straight at the judge's head. This desperate act might have been attended with most disastrous consequences, but, fortunately, the missile only struck a reporter, so that no harm was done."—Pittsburgh Magazine.

### Heart All-Important

That the Egyptians had any inkling of the circulation of the blood or of the real duties of the heart seems improbable, but they did conceive this organ to be the seat of life and consciousness and the blood to be intimately related thereto. Thence came into men's minds all the complicated lore of purity of blood, of "bad blood" between rivals, of "heartfelt" sincerity, and so on, which have dominated the thoughts and the literature of races of whom Egyptians never dreamed. The brain, curiously enough, Egyptian dissectors seemed never to have considered of the slightest importance, and heroes of literature when vowing devotion still press their hands on chests instead of heads.

### Origin of "Chauffeur"

The word chauffeur originated from the activities of brigands who, during the war between the Vendeanes and the Republicans of France in 1793, pilaged and bred the countryside. They were so called specifically because they burned the feet of their victims to make them reveal the hiding places of their valuables. Their chief leader was one named Schinderhannes or "Jean l'Ecorcheur." The word chauffeur, from which chauffeur is derived, was drawn from the Latin calefacere, which means "to make hot"—Latin facio, make, and calor, heat.—Literary Digest.

### Why It's Popular

"The great popular success of psycho-analysis," the late Bishop John Gardner Murray said one day in Baltimore, "is due to this fact. Psycho-analysis, as it is interpreted to us, tells us that the things we want to do are the things we ought to do. A very attractive creed.

"Psycho-analysis reminds me of the schoolboy who had to define liberty of conscience. His definition was: 'Liberty of conscience means doing wrong and not worrying about it afterwards.'"

### Rather Die Than Get Dirty

One of the best war stories has to do with an English training camp. A live shell fell into the mud in the middle of a class of young gunners. "Lie down, gentlemen!" roared the instructor. But no one moved. In due course the shell was rendered harmless, luckily without anyone being injured. Then the instructor inquired why they had not obeyed his order. "You might have been blown to pieces." "Well, sir," faltered one of the gunners, "it was so muddy."

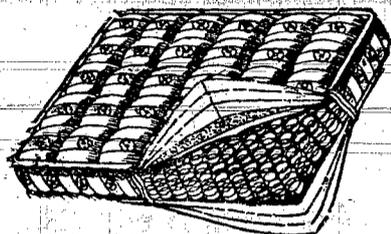
### Trained

Roberta was telling her teacher about her mother's birthday. "How old was your mother?" inquired the teacher. "Oh, she is always twenty-five on her birthday," replied the well-trained seven-year-old.

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## Sholes Items

J. L. Davis was a business visitor in Norfolk Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carlson spent Sunday with Mrs. A. G. Carlson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Abst of Carroll spent Sunday at the Orin Nelson home.

Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Ball of Denver, Colo., came Friday to visit a few days at the Arthur Williams home.

Seafe Landberg and Ralph Pickering were business callers in Carroll Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mosher spent Sunday with relatives at Allen.

Mrs. Harry Fallette and Vera of Winnetoon spent Tuesday at the Martin Madsen home.

Misses Ellen and Catherine Berry of Wayne came Friday noon to visit their sister, Miss Alice Berry and to attend the box social in the evening.

Mrs. Freeman Clark entertained the members of the Pleasant Hour club Thursday at her home. All report a pleasant time.

Misses Ethel and Bernice Burnham of Sioux City spent the week-end with home folks. Miss Velma and Lennie Burnham autoed with them to Sioux City Sunday.

Lloyd Longacker of Omaha was in Sholes Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hansen and Clarence of Coleridge were Sunday guests at the Martin Madsen home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Krie and Martha and Elsie autoed to Walthill Monday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Burnham and daughter Flo Ann were Norfolk visitors Monday.

Emil Tietgen returned from Omaha Thursday after having had a medical examination.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Elban of Norfolk were at Ed Mosher's Sunday, and accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Mosher to Allen in the afternoon.

Among Sholes folks who attended

the Masonic banquet at Randolph Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Madsen, Burnetta and Miss Isom, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Burnham and Velma, and Mr. and Mrs. John Omens.

The one act play presented by the Sholes high school was well attended Friday night. The proceeds from the box social were \$24.00.

### NOTICE OF CONVENTION

Notice is hereby given by O. R. Bowen and C. M. Craven, secretary and chairman, respectively, of the Citizens party that a convention is hereby called and will be held by said Citizens party at the City Hall in the City of Wayne, Nebraska on the 2nd day of March, 1931, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates of said party for the following offices of Wayne, Nebraska, to-wit:

TWO MEMBERS OF BOARD OF EDUCATION, and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before said convention.

Immediately following said convention a caucus of the electors of the First Ward of said City will be held in the City Hall for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for the office of Councilman from said ward, and a caucus of the electors of the Second Ward of said City will be held at Sala's Tire Shop for the purpose of placing a candidate in nomination for Councilman for said Second Ward and a caucus of the electors of the Third Ward will be held at Fred L. Blair's Clothing Store for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for councilman from said Third Ward.

Dated this 24th day of February, 1931.

O. R. BOWEN, C. M. CRAVEN,  
Secretary, Chairman.

Road the advertisements.

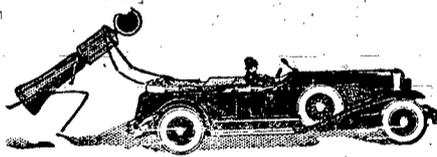
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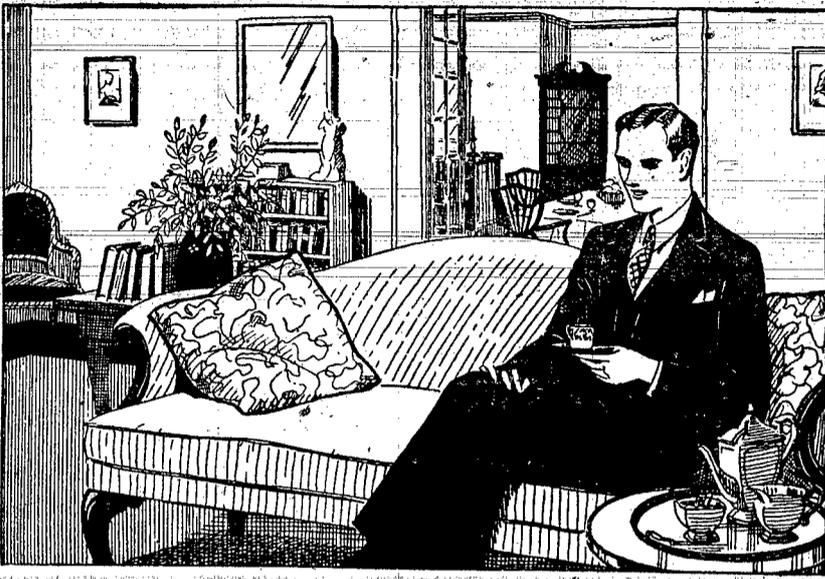
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## PEAS TO APPEASE THAT AVERAGE MAN



**THE** average man eats seventy-six thousand six hundred and fifty meals before he is three score years and ten—if he doesn't oversleep and miss his breakfast some day.

Is it any wonder that the average woman has difficulty in providing a new food for each meal, or each day, or even each month? In sooth, there are not enough different kinds of food to provide daily variety, even if she were to resort to roots and herbs and such. The best thing the housewife can do about this appalling tendency of the "average man" to consume meals is to provide combinations of the various known foods—that is the really good combinations.

**Winter Suggestions**

Take peas, for example. Have you ever delved into the diverse ways in which peas may be served? The list is almost inexhaustible, now that pea salads have added their store of possibilities. But at this season of the year, you will be delighted with the delicious combinations of meat and peas. Creamed chicken and peas was one of the first discoveries in the way of meat and pea combinations and it was universally liked. But there are others just as delicious. Here are some tested recipes for combining

peas with meat which will bring an exclamation of approval from the "average man" even though he be on his sixty-five thousandth meal:

**Pea Waffles with Bacon:** Beat two egg yolks well, and add one cup of pea pulp (pressed from canned peas). Add one cup milk and the following sifted dry ingredients: one and one-fourth cups flour, two and one-half teaspoons baking powder and one teaspoon salt. Add three tablespoons hot bacon fat, and beat well; then fold in the stiffly-beaten whites of two eggs. Bake somewhat longer than the ordinary waffle. Serve with strips of crisp bacon on top, and garnish around the edges with hot creamed peas. This makes six waffles.

**Round Steak with Peas:** Sprinkle eight servings of round steak with salt and pepper, roll in flour and then sear well in a heavy skillet. Add four onions sliced, one No. 3 can of tomatoes, one cup diced celery, one-fourth cup of chopped green pepper, and simmer, covered, until the meat is tender. Add one No. 2 can of peas and serve. This serves eight persons.

**Creamed Chicken and Peas:** Make a white sauce of four tablespoons butter, four tablespoons flour, two cups rich milk and the

peas. Add one teaspoon salt and one-eighth teaspoon pepper. Add chicken cut in pieces from a 12-ounce can, the peas, and one teaspoon lemon juice. Serve on tiny split baking-powder biscuits. This serves eight persons.

**Thrill Combinations**

**Pea and Rice Goulash:** Dice two slices of bacon and fry crisp. Remove the bacon, chop one onion and add to the fat, cooking gently until pale yellow. Add one 10-ounce can of strained tomatoes, one cup boiling water and the liquor from one 11-ounce can of peas. Bring to boiling, add one-fourth cup of brown rice and cook until the rice is tender—about 35 minutes. Add the peas, heat well, add cooked bacon and serve. This serves four persons.

**Escalloped Meat and Vegetables:** Put one cup of cooked cabbage on the bottom of a baking dish; next put in one cup diced cooked carrots, then one cup canned peas, and next one cup canned, sliced okra. On top, put one cup of diced cooked pork, pour over one-half cup of bacon fat and cover with one-fourth cup of buttered crumbs. Brown in a very hot oven. This serves ten persons. It is a good way to use up bits of left-over meat and vegetables; any other vegetables may be substituted for those given in the recipe.\*

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### IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

The State of Nebraska, Wayne County, ss.

#### NOTICE OF HEARING ON APPLICATION FOR ORDER TO SET ASIDE DECREE OF PROBATE.

To Rollie W. Ley, Herman Lundberg, Owen S. Roberts, Samuel Barley, George Fox, T. T. Jones, St. Pauls Evangelical Lutheran Church, of Wayne, Nebraska; First Baptist Church of Wayne, Nebraska; Wayne Lodge No. 118, I. O. O. F., of Wayne, Nebraska; Presbyterian Church of Wayne, Nebraska; and Rollie W. Ley, Executor of the Estate of Steve Nichols, Deceased and all other persons interested in the estate of Steve Nichols, deceased.

On reading the application of Thomas Nicholas, Elizabeth Halls, Ellen Eddy, Mary Ellen Basher, Charles Frederick Nicholas, William Edgar Nicholas, Stanley Bluet Trudgeon, Elizabeth Jane Trudgeon, Jane Uren Richards, J. Fred Rawlings, Charles Rawlings, Lily Rowe, Samuel Rawlings, and Bertie Nicholas, praying amongst other things for an order to set aside the Decree admitting to probate the purported Last Will and Testament of Steve Nichols, deceased, which said decree was entered in County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, on the 10th day of October, 1930, and an opportunity given Thomas Nicholas, Elizabeth Halls, Ellen Eddy, Mary Ellen Basher, Charles Frederick Nicholas, William Edgar Nicholas, Stanley Bluet Trudgeon, Elizabeth Jane Trudgeon, Jane Uren Richards, J. Fred Rawlings, Charles Rawling, Lily Rowe, Samuel Rawlings, and Bertie Nicholas to come in and set up their rights in said estate and to resist the proving of said alleged instrument as the Last Will and Testament of said deceased and for such other relief as equity may require. It is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter may, and do, appear at the County Court to be held in and for said county, at the County Court Room in Wayne, Nebraska, on the 2nd day of March, 1931 at 11 o'clock A. M., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioners should not be granted and that notice of the pendency of said application and of the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Nebraska Democrat, a weekly newspaper published in said County three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

(Seal) J. M. CHERRY,  
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# SOCIETY and Club



**W. C. T. U.**  
Ladies of the W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. P. A. Davies at the Presbyterian manse last Thursday afternoon. Attorney H. D. Addison gave a talk on the Wickersham report and told of what the W. C. T. U. might do to help the county officers and others in the support of prohibition.

Mrs. W. W. Whitman gave a review of an article by Mrs. Ida B. Wise Smith in regard to her tour abroad this last year. Mrs. Smith, national W. C. T. U. vice-president, made the tour as a way of finding out just what temperance conditions in Europe and especially England, are. She especially took note of London, visiting its saloons and other portions of the city. In this city she found much drinking among boys and girls of tender age and among young mothers. Young mothers were urged to drink as an aid to health. Among other incidents, she told of standing near a saloon watching who were the patrons. She saw several young mothers go into the saloon, leaving their baby carriages outside the door. She noticed one mother come out of the drinking place so drunk that she could not walk straight, say nothing of handling her baby carriage very efficiently.

Mrs. Davies is personally acquainted with Mrs. Smith and stated that she is a brilliant woman. She further stated that Mrs. Smith is very dependable and that her report of conditions in London can be depended upon.

Mrs. Nettie Call read a paper on Lincoln's views on temperance. Among other things, she stated that if Lincoln had lived, prohibition would have been accomplished much sooner than it was, and that Lincoln considered it the next big job on the program.

At the close of the session, Mrs. Davies and Mrs. Edw. Seymour served refreshments.

#### Acme Club Dinner

The members of the Acme club entertained at a three course dinner Monday evening at the Eph Beckenhauer home at 6:30 o'clock for their husbands as guests. Other guests were Miss Mae Beckenhauer, Miss Dorothy Bressler, and Miss Mabel Britell. The committee in charge were Mrs. Beckenhauer, Mrs. Horace Theobald, Mrs. W. A. Hixcox, and Mrs. V. A. Senter. The tables were decorated in honor of George Washington. After dinner, the group enjoyed reminiscences of the many years past in the club and a number of stories. Miss Britell won the George Washington questionnaire. Charades was also among the evening diversions.

The club will meet Monday with Mrs. I. H. Britell.

#### Degree of Honor

Group No. 2 of the Degree of Honor Juveniles, met Thursday afternoon, Feb. 19, at the City Hall with a good attendance. Frances Sydow is president and Jimmy Kingston is secretary of this group. Their next meeting will be Thursday afternoon, March 19, immediately after school. A social hour has been planned for that date.

Group No. 1 of the Degree of Honor Juveniles will meet next Thursday afternoon, March 15, after school. Joyce Denbeck is president and Leona Ames is secretary of this group. Every member is urged to come, as there are some new members to be welcomed.

#### Child Conservation League

There was a good attendance at the meeting of the Child Conservation League Tuesday evening at the Walter Miller home. Two guests, Mrs. S. J. Eckler and Mrs. H. D. Addison, were among those present. "Kindergarten" was the topic of the evening and supplementary papers were read by Miss Coila Potras, Miss Minnie Will and Mrs. Fred Dale. Refreshments were served.

The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. Glenn McCay.

#### J. A. O.

The J. A. O. Kensington club met last Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Lester Chilcott. One guest the elder Mrs. Chilcott, mother-in-law of the hostess, was present.

There will be a special meeting of the J. A. O. this Thursday afternoon at the Dean Hanson home. The ladies will be met by Mrs. James Killian, recent bride.

The next regular meeting will be next Thursday afternoon, March 5, with Mrs. Budd Chilcott.

#### U. D. Club

Mrs. Wm. Von Seggern and Mrs. John Hufford were hostesses to the U. D. club Monday at a social afternoon at the Von Seggern home. Bonco was the diversion. Mrs. H. B. Craven won the door prize and Mrs. M. K. Smith, and C. M. Craven won the individual prizes. Luncheon was served.

The club will meet in regular session Monday with Mrs. Von Seggern.

#### Delphians

The Delphians met Friday with Mrs. H. H. Hahn for a study of English Literature, Mrs. Hahn leader. Reports were given on "Beowulf" and "Song of Roland."

The club will meet Friday afternoon, March 6, with Mrs. Homer Seace who will be the leader. The topic for the afternoon is "Two Famous Mediaeval Stories". Miss Harriet Fortner will report on "The Cid", and Mrs. J. T. Bressler will report on "Auaillon Nicolette."

#### For Grandma Elming

Monday was Mrs. Pheobe Elming's birthday and many friends came to call on her at the Wayne hospital where she lives. She was given a delicious birthday cake and received so many flowers that her room took on the appearance of a veritable flower garden. She also received about 50 or 75 cards from friends who were unable to call. Mrs. Elming was highly delighted at being so remembered on her birthday.

#### Birthday Afternoon

Mrs. A. P. Gossard entertained a few friends last Friday at a social afternoon in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Sorenson, the occasion being her birthday. Guests present were Mrs. Henry Preston, Mrs. Clarence Preston and children, Mrs. D. Hall, Mrs. W. D. Hall and children, and Mrs. Ralph Robertson and children, besides the honored guests, Mrs. Sorenson, and her two children. Refreshments were served.

#### Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gifford entertained for a group of their friends last Sunday evening at dinner at their home. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ahlvers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Meyer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Riley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gifford and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Gifford. After dinner, the evening was spent socially.

#### Altrusa Club

Mrs. A. C. Norton was hostess to the Altrusa club Monday afternoon. Roll call response was "Items of Interest". Mrs. R. C. Hahlbeck gave a paper on "School Systems in the United States and Other Countries". The club voted \$5.00 for the Girl Scouts. At the close of the session, the hostess served.

The club will meet in two weeks with Mrs. Charles Heikes.

#### Young People's Bible Circle

The Young People's Bible circle met last Friday evening at the Charlotte Ziegler home for a study continuing the 19th chapter of St. John's gospel. Mrs. L. W. Kratavil led the lesson and presented a most impressive talk.

The circle will meet tomorrow evening, Feb. 27, at the Ziegler home for a study of the 20th chapter of John.

#### Woman's Club

The Wayne Woman's club will meet tomorrow afternoon, Feb. 27, at the J. J. Ahern home. Mrs. C. O. Mitchell and Mrs. Nettie Call to assist the hostess. The program will be directed by Mrs. S. A. Lutgen, third district chairman of Drama. Miss Lenore Ramsey and the Drama club will assist.

#### Birthday Party

Seventeen relatives and friends came to the Albin Carlson home last Friday evening, Feb. 20, and surprised Miss Eunice Carlson, the occasion being her birthday. The evening was spent socially and refreshments brought by the guests were served. Several appropriate gifts were left for the honored guests as remembrances.

#### Rayol Neighbors

The R. N. A. will meet Tuesday evening, March 3, at the J. O. O. F. hall. A state officer will be present to conduct a school of instruction. On March 26, there will be a Tri-State meeting of the R. N. A. held

at Sioux City. Representatives from lodges in Nebraska, South Dakota and Iowa will attend.

#### Women's Bible Study

The Women's Bible Study circle met Tuesday afternoon this week with Miss Charlotte Ziegler. Mrs. Dora Benschhof led the lesson study.

The circle will meet next Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Benschhof with Miss Rose Assenheimer as discussion leader of the current Sunday school lesson.

#### Coterie Club

The Coterie club met with Mrs. P. A. Theobald Monday afternoon. Mrs. Leslie Ellis read a paper on "Parents and Sex Education". The hostess served refreshments at the close of the meeting.

Mrs. L. W. Vath will be hostess to the club next Monday afternoon.

#### Methodist Ladies Aid

The Methodist Ladies aid will meet this Thursday afternoon, Feb. 26, with Mrs. I. H. Britell. The committee to serve are: Messdames H. B. Craven, V. A. Senter, G. W. Costerlan, M. V. Crawford, Floyd Kingston, and Eric Thielman. There is to be a short program.

#### Bridge Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. James Miller entertained at their home Friday evening at dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Henney, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ley, Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Perry, and Miss Hazel Arnold. The evening was spent in bridge for which Mrs. Henney won high score.

#### Woman's Home Missionary

The Methodist Woman's Home Missionary society will meet with Mrs. Carl Wright next Thursday afternoon, March 5, for a regular session. Mrs. Robert Stambaugh and Mrs. Claude Wright will assist the hostess.

#### Wayne Lodge No. 120, A F and A. M.

The Wayne Lodge No. 120, A. F. and A. M., will meet in regular session Friday evening, Feb. 27. At this meeting there will be work in the Entered Apprentice Degree.

#### St. Paul's Lutheran Aid

The St. Paul's Lutheran aid is meeting this Thursday afternoon at the church parlors. Mrs. Carl Beck and Mrs. Enga granquist are hostesses.

#### P. E. O.

The P. E. O. is to meet next Tuesday afternoon, March 3, with Mrs. W. W. Whitman. There will be an election of officers.

#### L. W. W.

The L. W. W. club will meet next Wednesday afternoon, March 4, with Mrs. Dean Hansen. The ladies will quilt.

#### Evangelical Lutheran Aid

The Evangelical Lutheran aid will meet next Thursday afternoon, March 5, with Mrs. Oscar Liedtke.

#### Salem Lutheran Aid

The Salem Lutheran aid will meet next Tuesday afternoon, March 3, with Mrs. John Sievers.

#### Minerva Club

The Minerva club will meet Monday, March 2, with Mrs. A. F. Gulliver.

### Churches Observe World Prayer Day

World Day of Prayer was observed here Friday at St. Paul's Lutheran church with a good attendance representing all the Protestant churches of the city of Wayne. The program was in charge of the Wayne missionary (Interdenominational) council and Mrs. Harry McMillan acted as chairman. "Ye Shall Be My Witnesses" was the theme. Topics were discussed by women from various churches of the city.

At noon the ladies enjoyed a fellowship lunch together, each lady bringing her own lunch. Coffee was furnished by the St. Paul ladies.

The afternoon session began at 2:00 o'clock with a dramatic presentation, "A Vehicle of Progress", presented by the Presbyterian Ladies. At 3:30 o'clock, Rev. W. E. Braisted gave an address on the theme, "Projecting Personality".

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### Girls Raise Money For the Red Cross

Mrs. W. C. Fox's Sunday school class of girls held a candy sale last Saturday afternoon and cleared the sum of \$7.00 for the Red Cross. They are members of the Methodist Sunday school.

### PAPER STARTS DEBATE ABOUT FAVORITE SONS

Niches are reserved in the hall of statues in the capitol for two distinguished Nebraskans.

The subject as to who they shall be has had some discussion in the legislature. An Omaha newspaper recently took an informal poll of Omaha and state residents. William Jennings Bryan and J. Sterling Morton were easily the most popular. A number of living sons were suggested, among them General Pershing, Senator Hitchcock, Senator Norris, and General Dawes.

The nominations took a wide range. Included in the list were Buffalo Bill Cody, Dr. Harold Gifford, Count John A. Creighton, Judge James M. Woolworth, Robert W. Furnas, Dr. C. E. Bessey, Edward Rosewater, John G. Neihardt, Wm. Cather, Father Riggs, Bishop R. H. Clarkson, Governor John M. Thayer, Senator Charles F. Manderson, James C. Dahman, Governor James W. Dawes, and Miss Grace Abbott.

Several who were asked to give suggestion counselled allowing the niches for Nebraskans at Washington to remain unoccupied until time shall reveal the state's greatest citizens. It is the whim of greatness that it never casts its mantle until the subject has passed from mortal life. Some actors on the present scene may need to wait full estimation until their life work is completed.

The publicity department of the Nebraska state board of agriculture at the state capitol is gathering opinions on the two greatest Nebraskans. Any reader of this article may file his choice for consideration by writing a letter to the director of that department. A summary will be made from the list of names so received, for general information throughout the two states in an attempt to learn which two sons of Nebraska are most deeply enshrined in the affections of the people.

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### Piano Pupils Appear In Recital Monday Eve

The advanced pupils of Mrs. Grace Dickson Keyser appeared in recital before an appreciative audience at the residence studio last Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Recital numbers were played as follows:

Narcissus, by Nevin—Genevieve Craig.

Clair de Ballet, by Mokowski—Ina Ruth Jonson.

Vocal solo—Gwendolyn Mulvey, pupil of Mrs. Hunter.

Group of Schuman pieces, Foreign Lands and People, Dreaming (reverte) The Night of the Hobby Horse, and Bohm's Murmuring Spring.—Mirable Blair.

Pas de Amphorix, Chominade, and Scherzo in E Minor, by Mendelssohn—Margaret Fanske.

Heavenly Vision, by Wallace Field, and In Old Vienna—Genevieve Craig.

Flute solo—Charles Ingham.

Milstray Polonaise, Chopin—Ina Ruth Jonson.

Staccato Etude, by Rubenstein—Margaret Fanske.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation of the sympathy and many kindnesses so willingly extended to us by our friends and neighbors during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father.

Mrs. John Binning and family.

### SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an Execution, to me directed, issued by the County Judge of Wayne County, Nebraska, upon a judgement rendered in favor of Fullerton Lumber Company, and against Earl Leonard, I have levied on the following described goods as the property of the said Earl Leonard, to-wit: 3000 bushels of corn more or less, and 900 bushels of Barley more or less, located on the Northwest quarter of Section 28, Township 26, Range 5. I will on the 9th day of March, 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the above mentioned place sell said property to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said judgment, and costs, the amount due thereon being \$227.94 together with interest thereon at 7 per cent from February 3rd, 1931 and costs and accruing costs.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this 25th day of February, 1931.

A. W. STEPHENS, Sheriff.



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