

Better Homes Group to Hold Lecture, Tour

Organization is Sponsoring Landscape Architect's Appearance Here.

Activities of the Wayne organization of Better Homes in America include a lecture and a tour of the beauty spots of Wayne and surrounding territory, both scheduled for next Wednesday, April 29.

"The Out-Door Livingroom" is the subject of the illustrated lecture which will be given at the Gay theatre at 2:30 o'clock next Wednesday afternoon by Charles Andrews, a landscape architect. Slides used by the speaker will illustrate methods of beautifying the landscape. Mr. Andrews will devote a part of his time to answering questions on landscape gardening.

Officials of the Better Homes organization say that the doors of the theatre will be open at two o'clock, and that every man and woman in Wayne is invited to attend the lecture.

Immediately after Mr. Andrews' speech, a tour of Wayne beauty spots will be taken, under the direction of Prof. F. G. Dale. Prof. Dale has planned on having enough cars to accommodate the crowd, but asks those who have cars to co-operate by inviting those who do not.

This coming Sunday is the first day of Better Homes week, and ministers of the various churches in Wayne plan to recognize it in their sermons. The four \$10 checks which have been in circulation since March 19 are to be cashed today. These four thrift checks were started in circulation by the two local meat markets, at request of the Better Homes group, with the idea of seeing how many bills could be paid by keeping money in circulation. It will be possible, by virtue of the signatures, to determine the amount of bills the checks have taken care of.

Entertained at Six O'Clock Supper Sunday

About thirty guests were entertained at a six o'clock supper given last Sunday evening at the Herman Vahlkamp home for all men, and their wives, who had labored in the building of the fine new residence at the Herman Vahlkamp farm home southeast of Wayne. Guests present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hahlbeck and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dowling, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Foster and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Lamberson, Mr. and Mrs. John Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Siminon and son, Franklin, Carl and Hans Huff, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fitch and baby daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. August Allenman and family. The guests presented their their host with a beautiful floor lamp.

John G. Neihardt to Pay Visit to Wayne

John G. Neihardt is coming back to Wayne.

The poet laureate of Nebraska, a graduate of Wayne State Teachers' college, plans to be here Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, May 4, 5 and 6.

During his stay in Wayne, he will deliver a lecture or a recital of the poems which have gained fame for him throughout the United States.

He plans to visit English classes at the college, and will conduct open forums in which students will be free to ask any questions concerning poetry or literature in general.

Hi-Y to Hold Banquet at High School Tonight

Prof. E. O. Bowen of Wayne State Teachers' college will deliver the principal address at a Wayne high school Hi-Y banquet in the high school building this evening.

Max Hendrickson, Dean Winegar and Donald Whitman represented the local Hi-Y organization at the annual state meeting of the group in Lincoln on Wednesday, April 15. Rev. W. W. Whitman took the boys to Lincoln in his car and acted as sponsor of the trip.

Automobiles Crash Mile From Winside

Two people were badly injured at about 1:30 Sunday morning when a light roadster collided head-on with a sedan, about a mile out of Winside. The road was being repaired at the place where the accident occurred.

Walter Leonard and Miss Hazel Liveringhouse of Wayne and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Allen of Pender were riding in the roadster. Alice Philbin, Fannie Thompson, Elsie Bonawitz and Lucille Thompson of Wayne and Bert Ehlers and Otto Dinklage of Wisner were riding in the sedan.

Mr. Leonard sustained a broken ankle, and Miss Liveringhouse suffered two broken fingers and neck injuries. Others in the wreck suffered from shock and body bruises.

The light roadster was practically demolished, but the sedan was not so seriously damaged.

COURT HOUSE GETS NEW VAULT SHELVES

Steel Shelving Is Installed for County Treasurer and Clerk.

Vestiges of Wayne's court house of 31 years ago are passing away, with installation of up-to-date steel shelving in the county clerk's and county treasurer's vaults. For 31 years, the vaults have been equipped with wooden shelving, which has been entirely inadequate for a number of years.

Some of the wooden shelves which are being removed were from the old court house at La Porte. When the present court house was built, appropriations were made for \$25,000 expenditures. The court house cost \$25,600, exclusive of wiring, plumbing and furniture. Consequently, much of the furniture was moved from the old court house, and it was impossible to have the vaults equipped as they should have been.

County commissioners decided that, in view of the fact that valuable records of the county are kept in the vault, it was imperative to have combustible materials removed, and the new steel fixtures and shelving were ordered. Under the new system, records can be kept more efficiently, and there is less danger of their being destroyed.

The present court house has always been equipped with fireproof vaults, but with the old shelving, intense heat could have caused the records to be destroyed.

With the removal of the old shelving, the vaults have been cleaned and records are being arranged in a manner that will make them more quickly accessible.

Couple Is Given Anniversary Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Johnson were the honored guests at a family dinner given at the Wilbur Spahr home Sunday in commemoration of their 31st wedding anniversary. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Haas and son, Carl, and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Knudsen and family of near Wayne, and Mrs. Spahr's brother, Perry Johnson, of Emerson.

High School Debaters Defeated by Beatrice

Wayne high school's debate team, composed of Mary Jane Morgan, Mary Norton, Dean Winegar and Stanley Davis, lost to Beatrice high school in the first round of the state debate tournament at Lincoln last Friday, April 17.

The local team had won the Northeast Nebraska district tournament from Hartington high school.

Gas Burner Causes Fire Here Tuesday

Wayne's fire department answered a call to the Dew Drop Inn about five o'clock Tuesday morning. Fire was caused by a gas burner under a coffee urn. The flames were quickly extinguished by the fire fighters, and smoke damage to the walls was the only loss.

WOMEN PLEAD FOR LA PORTE MEMORIAL

Ask County Commissioners to Place Marker on Old Town Site.

Wayne county commissioners were visited Tuesday afternoon by a committee from the La Porte community club, consisting of Mrs. Roy Agler, Cora Haglund and Mrs. Eli Laughlin.

The women asked the county commissioners to consider placing a slab or boulder on the old La Porte town site to commemorate the now non-existent town of La Porte. They also requested that the county consider preserving the cupola of the old La Porte court house.

The old court-house building is all that is left of the old town of La Porte, and it is now used as a residence, being occupied by F. C. Hammer. When the court house was made into a home, the cupola was taken off, and it is to be destroyed if someone does not salvage it. The cupola has signatures of many old-time residents of Wayne county written on the inside of it, and is regarded by those who have seen it as a real relic of earlier days in the county.

The committee from the La Porte community club suggested to the county commissioners that the cupola should be mounted on a cement base and placed in the La Porte cemetery. Cost of this, they said, would be small.

The commissioners promised to consider the requests of the committee.

Medical and Dental Meeting This Evening

Members of the Nebraska Medical Association from five different counties are meeting at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, April 23, at the Stratton Hotel for a joint medical and dental session. Counties being represented are Wayne, Dixon, Thurston, Cedar and Dakota. Speakers for the occasion are Dr. Edwin Davis of Omaha; Dr. R. N. Larimer of Sioux City; Dr. Lucien Stark of Norfolk, president of the Nebraska Medical Association; and Dr. L. B. Young of Wayne.

After the meeting the speakers and other guests will be entertained at dinner at the Dr. Paul Siman home.

Tommy Ryan, Ex-Champion Boxer, Exhibits Prowess Here

Tommy Ryan, ex-middleweight boxing champion of the world, gave a talk and exhibition for Wayne public school students Monday. "Clean Living" was the subject of the ex-fighter's talk, and he illustrated his contention that clean living preserved the human body by an exhibition of physical prowess such as most of the students had never seen. The old fighter played with 250 pound dumb-bells as if they were toys and put on a punching bag exhibition that would do credit to the present day "champions."

Ryan is listed in the World Almanac as having held the middle-weight boxing championship of the world from 1890 to 1907, but Tommy says that the almanac is wrong. "I was really champion from 1890 to 1898," he says. "I retired undefeated, and sports guides didn't accept any successor as official champion until 1907. Stanley Ketchell succeeded me."

Ryan uses the same punching bag standard in his exhibition that he trained Jim Jeffries for the heavy-weight championship on. "Jeff was a real champion," Ryan says. "He had everything that a champion needs and he knew how to follow instructions."

"What do you think of the present day boxing champions?" the reporter asked Tommy.

"Oh, you better ask somebody else about that," he said, squirming. "It was obvious that Mr. Ryan does not think much of the present kind of fistiana. "Back in the old days when we fought there was some real fighting," he said.

Ryan is a licensed referee of boxing, licensed under the Kansas and Oklahoma ring commissions. "I don't like to referee," he said. "It's

High School Front Slope is Being Graded

School Board Decides to Landscape Grounds; Hall in Charge.

Grading was started this week on the front or east slope of the high school lawn. Present plans are to plant the lawn to blue grass.

Playground facilities in front of the high school building were discontinued three months ago, as an experiment to see if school children would have enough playground room without utilizing the east side of the grounds. Superintendent of schools H. R. Best discovered that the students could get along just as well in the matter of playgrounds by using the other three sides of the grounds.

The local board of education has decided that inasmuch as Wayne has achieved a reputation as a city of beautiful lawns, the high school grounds should be equal in beauty to home lawns. It is their opinion that an artistic approach to the building will add much to the looks of Wayne and will be more in keeping with the rest of the city.

Board of education members were influenced in their decision by belief that the aesthetic side of school children's natures should be appealed to, and that the children should be taught to appreciate the beauties of landscaping.

The grading work is under the supervision of W. D. Hall, local nurseryman. The grounds will be graded, seeded and cared for by Mr. Hall and his assistants.

Another improvement has been made necessary for the local school building by the rotting out of the galvanized water trough which extends around the building inside the corners. Future safety of the school building has made it imperative to have new water troughs installed, and bids for the work will be authorized in the near future.

Track Teams Compete at Wayne Tomorrow

Track and field teams from Laurel, Wakefield, Hartington, Randolph, Wisner and Allen will take part in the annual invitation high school track and field meet to be staged in Wayne tomorrow.

Late Snow Flurry Gets Out 'Heavies'

April showers may bring May flowers, but what do April snows bring?

That's a question that has been puzzling local weather prognosticators since Monday night, when a slight snowfall visited Wayne. The snow was preceded by slight hail, and followed by weather that is colder than late April days should be.

Oldtime residents of Wayne say that a snowfall this late in April is a rarity, although it has occurred before.

The snowfall was light enough to be almost negligible, but was followed by another light snow this morning and low temperatures that have made Wayne residents wonder if they did wisely in abandoning the "winter heavies."

At any rate, the weather has been revived as a topic of conversation, and "It's sure cold this morning, isn't it?" has been a standard greeting for the past three days.

Note—This story is not for republication in California newspapers.

GRADUATING CLASS PRESENTS COMEDY

High School Seniors Give "Tightwad" at Gay Tuesday.

Wayne high school seniors presented the annual senior class play to an appreciative audience at the Gay theatre on Tuesday evening, April 21. "The Tightwad," the play selected for this year's production was adjudged a clever vehicle by those who witnessed the final public appearance of the seniors.

Everett Heikes, Lois Pierson, Maryann Noakes, Walter Bressler, Letha Porterfield, Evan Dennis, Charles Berry, Melvin Seymour and Orval Rhodes were the senior class members who appeared in the various roles of the play, and the consensus of opinion of the audience was that all of them handled their parts adequately.

The production was directed by A. W. Behl of the high school faculty. Receipts of the show will amount to approximately \$120. The money will be used to purchase some necessary equipment for the school, as a present from the graduating class.

Out-Of-Town Folks Attend Rites Here

Many out-of-town people attended the funeral of Mrs. W. A. K. Neely held at the Presbyterian church here last Friday afternoon, April 17. Mrs. Neely had lived on the Neely home farm northeast of Wayne for over 40 years and had endeared herself to a host of friends and neighbors in the community. Death summoned the Wayne county pioneer Tuesday, April 14. She had been ill but one day.

Those from out-of-town who were here for the last rites were: J. B. Neely and wife of St. Louis, Mo., son and daughter-in-law of the departed; Charles Guth of St. Louis; Mrs. L. A. Vower of Ottumwa, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Will Ewing and Mrs. Dave Ewing and son, Edgar, of Hartington; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Green, Mr. and Mrs. John Long, Mrs. Victor Funk, Mrs. Homer Tanehill and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bryant, all of Madison, W. H. Nangle and wife of Norfolk; George and Miss Lillian Orr, Mr. and Mrs. Hollie Harvey, Mrs. Frank Lean and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Marriott, of Sioux City; George Boucher of South Sioux City; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bates, Miss Eva Graham, Mrs. S. A. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Will Orr, and Ralph Bougous, all of Dakota City, Nebr., and Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy of Los Angeles, California.

BUYS HOME

Forest E. McNitt purchased a house belonging to Mrs. E. C. Mahaffey this week. The house is located on West Second street. The deal was transacted through Martin L. Ringer.

Gas mains are being installed at Scribner.

Says Town's Attitude Hurts Farm Prices

Cunningham Tells Local Merchants to Ban Pessimism.

Don Cunningham, local auctioneer, addressed Wayne Kiwanians Monday noon on farm conditions and the current farm price depression. Mr. Cunningham said that things are made much worse by a loss of confidence, not so much on the part of the farmers but by the citizens of our towns.

Experiences of the past, he pointed out, show that conditions just as bad as the present ones have existed but without the loss of confidence that is characteristic of the present depression. People in the past were filled with hope for the future. Mr. Cunningham explained, while at present, merchants are "laying down on the job."

The pessimistic attitude of the town citizens, he charged, has caused the farmers to absorb some of the same ideas. Pessimism, he said, will make things get worse and worse, instead of following the natural tendency to get better.

Business conditions are due for a comeback, Mr. Cunningham pointed out. Financial conditions can be made better and the present period of low prices can be rectified. The farmer, he said, is doing his part, going about his work, looking for ways to better his status. But he contended, the farmer needs the loyal, whole-hearted support of the town resident.

Complaining never helped any cause, Mr. Cunningham insisted, unless the complaints led to a movement to better conditions. Complaining will not help the present situation, he said, but will irritate and aggravate the situation, magnifying the seriousness of it to undue proportions.

The Inquiring Reporter

Do you think the cupola of the old La Porte court-house should be preserved as an historic marker of the town site?

Mrs. Mary Brittain: "I think it would be a very good thing, indeed. I think the former site of La Porte ought to be marked of the place will lose its identity. It's the place where we settled in 1876 when we came from Illinois. Many of our relatives lived near there, and I have many pleasant memories of the place."

Mrs. W. A. Hunter: "The material for the old La Porte court house was hauled from Jackson by the pioneers in 1876. We do not consider the coming generation sufficiently. We know the history of Wayne county so well that we don't realize that in a few years that history will be unknown unless we preserve it. Old La Porte meant so much to the development of northeast Nebraska, and especially Wayne county, I think the relics should be preserved and the site marked."

La Porte community club committee (Mrs. Ray Agler, Miss Cora Haglund and Mrs. Eli Laughlin): "We think we should preserve the cupola of the old La Porte court house for posterity because it is one of the few remaining relics in the county, and because it contains the names of many pioneers who have passed on. Its style of architecture will date it unmistakably in the 70's. It is in a good state of preservation and can be purchased at a reasonable figure. When placed on a permanent foundation it would stand for many years as a reminder of our intrepid pioneers. We think the site of old La Porte should be suitably marked, and it can be done at reasonable expense."

J. M. Cherry: "Yes, by all means."

Frank F. Korff: "Yes, I think it would be of historical interest in years to come."

Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dowling were in Sioux City Thursday.

Mrs. James Holt of West Point was among Wayne visitors Saturday.

Miss Freda Sund of Royal visited home folks here last week-end.

Emil Holstrom of southeast of Concord was a Wayne visitor Saturday.

James Allen of Sholes transacted business in Wayne Wednesday last week.

Mrs. S. M. Anderson of Wakefield was among Wayne visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jones and Mr. and Mrs. John Dennis spent the week-end in Sioux City.

John Owen Jr. of Omaha was a visitor at the home of Mrs. Anna Owen the week-end of April 12.

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

Mrs. Faye Snyder and family of Stanton were Sunday dinner guests at the John McIntyre home.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest McNutt and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Anderson were visitors in Sioux City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Allen and family of Allen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kingston and family of this city.

Miss Venita Kopp who teaches at Emerson spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Anna Kopp, and sons, Maurice and Calvin.

Mrs. A. E. Laaso left Thursday for Iowa to visit her daughter, Mrs. Sim Jacobson. She plans to return home the latter part of this week.

Miss Hazel Arnold spent the week-end with friends at Meadow Grove.

Miss Lily Bahde of Emerson was a guest of home folks here last week-end.

Miss Constance Herndon of Carroll spent the week-end with home folks in Wayne.

Miss Lucille Norton of Newcastle was a guest of home folks here last week-end.

Miss Dorothy Gulliver was a guest at dinner Sunday at the R. B. Hanks residence.

Dr. Young's Dental Office over the Kern's store. Phone 307—adv. tt.

R. B. Hanks of Wausa spent the week-end in this city with his wife and family.

The Misses Jane and Florence Jeffrey and Mrs. Bob Stevens were in Sioux City Thursday.

Mrs. C. A. Anderson was a guest at dinner at the Roy Jeffrey home Wednesday last week.

Mrs. C. C. Herndon of this city and Miss Constance Herndon of Carroll were in Sioux City Saturday.

Merrill Whitman of Chadron visited his parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Whitman of this city, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Larson of Laurel spent Thursday evening in the Ray R. Larson home. The men are brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Samuelson of Genoa visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Luedtke and family here Sunday.

Tom Connolly, for many years a resident of Dixon county, died at his home in Chicago on April 8, following an operation for appendicitis.

Office building for rent on Main St. Dr. Wm. B. Vail.—adv. Advf. Work has been started putting a second coat of gravel on highway No. 20 between Laurel and Allen. Gravel is being hauled from the pit near Coleridge.

Mrs. Gus Carlson and daughter, Helen of Concord, and Mrs. Ivez Johnson and son, Paul, also of Concord, were among Wayne visitors Friday afternoon.

Rev. Fm. John B. Brock, pastor of St. Anne's parish at Dixon the past four years, has been transferred to Elkhorn, Nebr., a small town about 20 miles this side of Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lindsay and son, Frank, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lindsay and son, all of near Wayne, were Sunday dinner guests at the G. D. Lindsay home here.

Close out prices on ladies Coats and Raincoats at Gamble's.

Mrs. Ray K. Holder's mother and sister, Mrs. F. E. Perry and daughter, Miss Mary Louise Perry, of Braymer Mo., were guests at the Holder home here from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gunnarson, Mrs. Carl Gunnarson and daughter, Vina, and Mrs. Clarence Dahlquist and son, Marlin of southeast of Laurel, were among Wayne visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Kratavil of this city and Miss Mariam Bracken of Emerson, student here, drove to Emerson Tuesday evening to attend the installation service at the Presbyterian church for the new pastor, Rev. Horace A. Larsen.

Mrs. Emma Baker of this city and her son, Will Baker, of Norfolk, drove to Neligh Friday, returning the same day. Mrs. Baker's granddaughter, Miss Gwendolyn Mulvey, went with her as far as Norfolk where she stopped and visited her cousin, Miss Faunell Baker, while the others went to Neligh.

St. Mary's Guild will hold a food sale next Saturday, April 25, at Denbeck's market beginning at 2:00 p. m.

Mrs. Ray R. Larson and daughter LaVerne, were in Sioux City Friday.

Miss Hildegard Berres who teaches at Chadron was home for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee James of Pierce spent Sunday with Mrs. Anna Kopp and family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Strahan and family visited friends in Lincoln last week-end.

Mrs. Wm. Rink and Mrs. H. J. Mahnke called on Mrs. Frank Davis Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. F. A. Mildner's mother, Mrs. Grace Anderson of Lincoln, is spending her spring vacation visiting at the Mildner home.

Dr. and Mrs. F. G. Dewey of Coleridge were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Ingham Sunday at the Ingham home.

Mrs. George Fox and little son, of near Wayne, and Mrs. Herb Reuter of this city visited Mrs. Peter Petersen Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Piepenstock arrived home Saturday morning from Rochester, Minn., where they spent a little over a week. They went through the Mayo clinic.

Supt. R. H. Sandmark and Principal Frank Kroger of the Newcastle schools attended the Northeast Nebraska School Men's meeting at the local college Tuesday last week.

Seed Corn for Sale—Dakota No. 16, Wimpels Yellow Dent, test 94 and 96%. Sample and price at Craven Hardware, Wayne. Edwin Jaeks, Phone 73F211, Pilger, Neb.—Adv. A16-5t.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mason and family of Laurel visited Mrs. Mason's mother, Mrs. Dora Benshoof, Sunday. Mrs. Benshoof returned home with them that evening for a few days visit.

Mrs. Joe Baker and daughters, and Frank Ahlvers and Miss Effie Hansen went to Columbus Saturday to visit over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Beattie. They returned to Wayne Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Berres Jr. of this city, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bergt and Twila and Bobbie, of south of Wayne, and Miss Hildegard Berres of Chadron were Sunday dinner guests at the George P. Berres home here.

Ladies Coats and Raincoats at close out prices at Gamble's.

Miss Mariam Andersen spent the week-end in Winside with her mother Mrs. Anna Andersen. On Sunday she entertained at a birthday dinner at the Andersen home in Winside for a group of relatives in honor of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Richards and son, Edwin, and Mrs. Fred Bilson were entertained at supper Sunday evening at the H. J. Mahnke home. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson and family called at the Mahnke home that evening after supper.

Gus Hanson who returned last Friday evening from California where he has spent the winter states that conditions in that state are quiet and while there has been some building going on, conditions are considered very quiet for that country.

Prof. and Mrs. H. H. Hanscom and Mrs. Charles Simpson returned home Saturday from Des Moines, Ia., where Mr. and Mrs. Hanscom attended the National Music convention and Mrs. Simpson visited her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Simpson.

Mrs. Joe Pinkleman's mother, Mrs. H. Manson of Randolph, and Mrs. Pinkleman and baby left Monday morning for Omaha to attend the funeral of a relative, Mrs. Clara Hollander, which was held Tuesday morning.

Miss Maryalice Ley of Lincoln came Saturday to spend a few days visiting home folks here. She returned to Lincoln yesterday. Mrs. Harold Hein of Fremont came Sunday to spend a few days at her parental home here. Mrs. Hein was formerly Miss Joy Ley.

Mrs. Frank Korff and children returned home Sunday after a week's visit with her parents at Sheldon, Iowa. They spent Saturday night and part of Sunday at the Fred Korff home at Sioux City where Mr. Korff met them Sunday to bring them the rest of the way home. They also spent the previous Saturday night at the Fred Korff home while enroute to Sheldon.

Miss Margaret Whitman who teaches at Dorchester, Nebr. was home last week-end to visit her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Whitman, and son, Donald. She has been re-elected at a raise in salary for the coming school year during which time she will be head of the English department in the Dorchester high school. Her brother, Merrill Whitman, who too was home last week-end and teaches at Chadron, has also been re-elected at a raise in salary for the coming year. He has charge of the history department in the Chadron high school.

Wilbur

Mrs. Henry Arp called Saturday afternoon on Mrs. John Bush.

The Sunshine club is meeting today with Mrs. Albert Watson.

Miss Gladys Fork and Miss Helen Lange, pupils of Miss Mercedes Reed, spent Tuesday night at the Irve Reed home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beckman and children spent Sunday afternoon in the James McIntosh home near Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Echtenkamp spent Saturday evening in the John Dunklau home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bodenstedt from Laurel spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gramberg.

Miss Katherine Smith from Wayne and her father Claude Smith, whose home is in Colorado, were supper guests Tuesday evening at the Lou Gramberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Jensen from Wayne spent Friday evening in the John Schroeder home.

In honor of Leona Hansen's twelfth birthday, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hansen entertained a group of neighbors and friends Sunday evening. At the close of the evening Mrs. Hansen served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Otte and family spent Sunday afternoon in the John Rosacker home near Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Link and family from Carroll and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Day were dinner guests Sunday in the Frank Hicks home.

Midred and Dorothy Renz and Alice Lange spent Wednesday night with their teacher, Miss Mercedes Reed.

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

Nebraska Expeditions to Search for Curios

Pawnee Indians were inhabiting central Nebraska when the white settlers arrived. But who were the people they conquered and ran out? When did the human race first gain a foothold in this state? What were their characteristics and habits? These are some of the questions for which answers will be sought when three parties begin exploration work this summer in the Loup river valley.

Doctor Strong, who has been with the University of Nebraska the past year, was recently appointed state archaeologist for the Smithsonian institute, and will have direct supervision of one party that will be sent out from Washington. This group will endeavor to uncover several sites. Another, sent out by the University of Nebraska, will very likely be led by Waldo Weidel, who has had considerable experience in this sort of work. The third group will be under the guidance of A. M. Brookings and A. T. Hill of the Hastings Museum. This party is being financed by Mr. Will Clark of Detroit, Mich., who formerly lived in Hastings, and the material secured will be placed in the museum at Hastings.

No definite plans have yet been made as to just what territory each group will explore. It is quite probable that the Hastings men will excavate in a village ruin that has not been previously explored in the vicinity of Genoa. This company also expects to spend a week in a further survey of the Pike Pawnee village which is located on the Hill farm near Red Cloud.

During the summer also several parties from eastern universities will continue exploration work in the fossil beds near Agate Springs, which have been internationally famous for their yields of bones of ancient beasts.

Trees Make Wooded Country of Nebraska

When the settlers arrived in Nebraska they found trees along the water courses which varied the monotony of the wide stretching prairie. They were few compared with broad expanse of treeless land, but they were the beginning of a native forest that has finally given Nebraska the appearance of a wooded state.

Cottonwoods were the tall sentinels and many of them, like the Lone Tree near the town of that name, now Central City, were landmarks for travelers. The cottonwood is a native of the prairie and is rapidly disappearing from the state. Willows were found where water was plentiful. They, too, are disappearing. One of nature's finest gifts is the elm. A beautiful, fan-shaped tree, with wide spread of shade, this sturdy specimen is perhaps the most noble of the native trees. Some wonderful types may be found over the state. The black walnut was found along the

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The box elder, never a lovely nor very useful tree, is a native but will soon be gone for it is not now planted. The hackberry was found where elms and cottonwoods grew, but is not a thrifty grower. The green ash is common over most of the state. Its foliage is most enjoyed in the fall when the first frost paints the leaves with yellow and crimson. The soft maple was a favorite with early settlers. Sycamore and honey locust were found in the eastern part and along the Missouri. Several sections of the state grew oaks and hickories. Pines and cedars occur natively along the Niobrara and in the rugged northwestern part of the state, where beautiful specimens abound.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the many kind expressions of sympathy extended to us during our recent bereavement in the death of our mother and grandmother. W. A. K. Neely and family.

Myron Brockway has been reelected Supervisor of Music at Glenwood Springs, Colorado, at a raise in salary.

STUDENT TO ATTEND SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

Samuel R. Chudomelka, class of 1931 of the Wayne State Teachers College, has been accepted in the University of Nebraska School of Medicine as a Freshman. Some time ago he sent in his application and recommendations and just recently has received word that his credits and recommendations were satisfactory. Mr. Chudomelka this year finishes his four year course at Wayne and receives the bachelor's degree. He has his major in science, specializing in pre-medicine. According to present reports, Mr. Chudomelka plans to attend the University this fall when school begins.

Frank Kroger who is Principal in the Newcastle school has been elected Superintendent in the same school for the coming year.

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East of Wayne

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Erickson were Friday-dinner guests in the Orville Erickson home.

Joe Helgren spent Wednesday last week in Sioux City with Bud Helgren who is in the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Orville Erickson and family spent Sunday with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nelson and Harold, Mrs. Ed Larson and Mrs. Ole Nelson spent Wednesday last week in Sioux City.

Mrs. Ed Larson and Mrs. Henry Nelson spent Tuesday afternoon in the F. C. Sandahl home.

Mrs. F. C. Sandahl spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Wes Reubeck.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Long spent Thursday evening in the August Long home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sederstrom spent Friday evening in the Ed Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Echtenkamp and son of Laurel spent Wednesday evening last week in the August Long home.

Several ladies were entertained Friday afternoon in the Henry Nelson home in honor of Harold's 4th birthday. Mrs. Nelson was the hostess. After a social afternoon the hostess served a two course luncheon. Guests were Mrs. Paul Olson, Mrs. Russell Johnson and children, Mrs. F. C. Sandahl, Mrs. Ed Sandahl, Mrs. August Long, Mrs. Wes Reubeck and Joan, Mrs. Ed Larson, Mrs. Ole Nelson, Mrs. Nels Larson, and Mrs.

John Donohue, Art Long, Leona Echtenkamp, Overt Echtenkamp, and Walter Farnsworth spent Thursday evening in the August Long home.

Mrs. Henry Nelson and Harold and Mrs. Ed Larson spent Thursday afternoon in the N. E. Larson home in Wakefield.

C. J. A. Larson spent Tuesday evening last week in the Ed Larson home.

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

Mrs. Rudolph Kay spent Friday in the Frank Long home.

Several from this community attended the funeral of Mrs. W. A. K. Neely Friday. Sympathy is extended to the family in the loss of their loved one.

Ed Larson had hogs on the Market Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Olson and family, Mrs. Matilda Okeboom, and Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Carlson and family of in and near Concord were Sunday dinner guests in the Russell Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Sorensen and son, Russell Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Patterson and Cleo were entertained in the Harold Sorensen home Thursday evening in honor of Ardith's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haglund and family spent Thursday evening in the Albert Utecht home.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Bard and family spent Sunday in Sioux City with Bud Helgren.

Robert Nelson spent Saturday and Sunday with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Nell McCorkdale.

Winside News

Art Auker and Rhudy Thompson attended a cattle sale in Norfolk, Friday.

Mrs. R. E. Gormley was shopping in Norfolk, Saturday.

Harold Jensen who attends the State Teachers college at Wayne, spent the week-end with his parents.

Mrs. L. S. Needham of Norfolk was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Siman from Thursday until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Brown were Norfolk business visitors Saturday morning.

Miss Margaret Miller, who has been a patient at the Lutheran hospital the past month, was brought to her home in Winside, Thursday.

Rev. W. Most of Lincoln, conducted services at the Trinity Lutheran church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kruger were Norfolk visitors Friday.

Supt. John Mettlen of Shelby, Neb., spent the week-end with his mother and sister, Mrs. Frank Mettlen and Miss Gladys.

Mrs. H. E. Siman, Mrs. A. T. Chapin and Mrs. L. S. Needham of Norfolk, were in Sioux City, Friday. Miss Evelyn Linden of Wakefield, was a week-end guest of Miss Pearl Schneider.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Benschhof and Mrs. John Loeb sack went to Sioux City Sunday to visit relatives. They returned Monday.

Louise and Alma Lautenbough were in Norfolk, Saturday.

Miss Lucille Hoster spent the week end with relatives in Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carlson went to Stuart, Saturday, returning Sunday.

Pete Peterson went to Hot Springs, S. D., Friday where he will take treatments for rheumatism.

Mrs. Lena Kieffer, Chas. Kieffer, Mrs. Clarence Rew, Miss Bess and

Dorothy Rew were in Norfolk, Saturday.

Mrs. Art Auker was the guest of Mrs. Herbert Auker of Wayne Friday, when the Fortnightly Club held their guest day meeting at the home of Mrs. Fred Nyberg.

About 200 guests enjoyed the dancing party given Friday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jensen at the Bruce Pavillion in Hoskins.

Mrs. Jean Boyd attended a shower Monday evening in honor of Mrs. H. G. Salter in Norfolk.

A regular meeting of the O. E. S. was held Monday evening in the Masonic Hall. Mrs. Dave Reader, Mrs. T. R. Roberts and Mrs. H. E. Siman served refreshments.

Mrs. J. M. Strahan and children of Wayne were guests in the G. A. Mittelstadt home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schmale were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Hahn in Randolph, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Auker entertained at dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lindsay of Brenna and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Benschhof of Winside.

Mrs. Etta Perrin, Miss Gertrude Bayes and Wm. Bayes were guests of Mrs. Jennie Schrupf at family dinner in Wayne Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rander of Wayne were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Rander.

Dr. and Mrs. V. L. Siman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Needham at dinner Sunday.

Mrs. Thorwald Jacobson entertained at quilting Thursday and Friday afternoons. The hostess served luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gurney Benschhof were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martin in Hoskins, Sunday.

Mrs. Etta Perrin entertained at dinner Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Egri Ramsay of Bridgewater, N. Y., and Mrs. Jennie Schrupf of Wayne.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gurney Prince last week Wednesday at 7 o'clock dinner, were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Neely and Jack, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Prince, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jensen and John Prince.

Mrs. M. L. Halpin entertained 16 ladies at social quilting Thursday and Friday afternoons. A two course luncheon was served by the hostess.

Celebrate 35th Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Walde observed their thirty-fifth wedding anniversary Sunday when they entertained about 20 guests at dinner and supper.

Entertained at Quilting.

Mrs. John Sueli entertained 10 members and 9 invited guests of the Trinity Lutheran Aid, at a quilting in the church parlors, last week Wednesday afternoon. The hostess served refreshments.

Epworth League Play.

The Epworth League presented the play "Go Slow, Mary" at the M. E. church Friday and Tuesday evenings. The cast was well chosen and the play presented in a manner that reflects much credit on Miss Rachel Bracken, coach.

Auxiliary Meeting.

The Auxiliary members were entertained at the Walter Gaebler home Friday afternoon with Mrs. Walter Gaebler and Mrs. I. F. Gaebler, hostesses. Plans were made to hold a food sale next Saturday afternoon, April 25 at the Gaebler-Neely store. The hostesses served luncheon.

Social Circle.

The entertainment committee of the Social Circle entertained 19 guests Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Perry Brodd. Club colors, green and pink and sweet peas were used in decorating. Som'ri set was diversion for the afternoon and Mrs. John Bruuger was awarded prize. Two course luncheon was served by the committee.

Womans Club Banquet.

The annual banquet of the Women's Club was held at 7 o'clock Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Siman. Covers were laid for 32. No guests other than club members and their husbands, were present. White and gold, the club colors, were used in table decorations, flowers and also in the menu. Bridge furnished diversion for the evening, prizes being received by Mrs. Art Auker and Dr. B. M. McIntyre.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk until 7:30 o'clock P. M., April 28, 1931, on one (1) car load of Western Red Cedar poles, F. O. B. Wayne to be divided as follows:

75.....8 inch x 30 feet
25.....7 inch x 35 feet
10.....8 inch x 35 feet
8.....8 inch x 40 feet

Poles to have 1-2 inch Pentrex butt treatment. Prices to be submitted on both Class B and Class C poles. The City Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

WALTER S. BRESSLER,
City Clerk.

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Concord News

Keith and Kenneth Erickson spent all day Friday in the Nels O. Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wymore Wallin were Thursday evening callers in the Fred Peterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Johnson and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson drove to Sioux City, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Erwin were among Wayne visitors Monday.

Mrs. Nels Erickson spent a few days last week in the Albert Nygren home.

Frank Carlson and daughter Hazel did papering in the Arthur Anderson home, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Erickson and Miss Alvina Anderson were in Sioux City, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Killion visited with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson of near Laurel, Wednesday evening.

A number of guests were entertained in the Jim Bennett home Tuesday evening; the occasion being Mr. Bennett's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Sellon were last week Sunday evening visitors in the Rudolph Kuntz home.

Mrs. Arthur Anderson and Miss Hazel Carlson drove to Wayne, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Erickson spent Friday in the John Nygren home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Clark were shoppers of Sioux City, Friday.

Mrs. Emil Erlanson entertained the Concord Ladies Aid at her home, Thursday afternoon.

Miss Lydia Wiershuser called in the Axel Anderson home, Monday afternoon last week.

Mrs. Eric Nelson and Miss Bertha Nelson spent Wednesday in the John Erwin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Erickson were Friday evening supper guests in the Nels O. Anderson home.

Henry Erwin shipped cattle to Sioux City Monday last week.

Mrs. Wymore Wallin was a Wednesday caller in the Fred Peterson home.

Mrs. Henry Erwin and children visited in the Carl Luth home, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nygren called in the Albert Nygren home, Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wymore Wallin and children were Sunday visitors in the Fred Peterson home.

Miss Edna Swanson spent Saturday evening and Sunday in the Andrew Peterson home, near Laurel.

Mrs. Frank Carlson who stays with her mother Mrs. Christina Johnson, and Emil Nelson spent Sunday in the Frank Carlson home.

Ivan and Norman Anderson visited in the Paul Hanson home, Sunday.

THOMPSON-SMITH

Miss Edna Thompson, daughter of Mrs. Neil Thompson of Dalton, and granddaughter of Mrs. Emma Baker of this city, and Leonard Smith, of near Dalton, were married last Saturday morning, April 18, at the Dalton Catholic church.

Mrs. Smith is a former student of the local Teachers' college and is at present teaching school in a small town near Dalton. After the close of the school term Mr. and Mrs. Smith will make their home on a farm.

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Sholes Items

W. S. Ickler attended school men's banquet in Wayne Tuesday night.

Bill Jones and Glenn were business visitors in Sioux City Tuesday.

Miss Gertie Stouckrath of near Randolph is visiting at the home of her sister Mrs. George Hausmann.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Robins and Grace were Norfolk shoppers Saturday.

Ted Rosgen of Randolph was in Sholes Saturday on business.

R. E. Pickering returned Saturday from Blair, Nebraska where he had been on business for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Keiny and family spent Sunday with relatives at Hartington.

Miss Velma and Lennie Burnham autoed to Norfolk Wednesday afternoon on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Tietgen, Mrs. M. Madsen and Burnetta and Claron and Mrs. Stamm autoed to Sioux City Saturday to spend the day shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fitch and little daughter of Wayne were visiting friends in Sholes Wednesday. They were dinner guests at the M. Madsen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Elban of Norfolk were guests Sunday at the Ed. Mosher home.

Mrs. Clarence Pickering and children of Magnet are at the Ralph Pickering home this week.

Alene Lewis of near Pierce spent the week-end at the home of Irene McFadden.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Madsen and family spent Sunday at the Chris Hansen home at Coleridge.

The pupils of the two lower rooms of the Sholes Schools accompanied by the teachers Mrs. Stamm and Miss Whitsett enjoyed a wiener roast in the Mattingly grove Friday afternoon. Games furnished entertainment for the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Clark and Levada autoed to Sioux City Friday to spend the day.

Miss Alice Berry spent the week end with friends in Beldon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams,

Doyle and June were dinner guests at the A. C. Williams home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Billy May, Mrs. Glade McFadden and children were visitors in Norfolk Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mosher were in Norfolk Saturday.

Read the advertisements.

Signboard Sam



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WAYNE MARKET REPORTS

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

Corn \$.47
Oats22
Butter Fat20
Eggs11
Hens 12c and 15c
Roosters and Leghorn Springs07
Hogs \$6.00 to \$7.30

WAYNE COUNTY BEHAVES

Either Wayne's law enforcement officials or Wayne's citizens are deserving of considerable credit. Perhaps both are responsible for the lack of law breaking in the community.

Did you ever stop to think of the remarkable lack of lawlessness in Wayne? In most towns, there is considerable law breaking going on all the time, and while even Wayne citizens may jump the traces once in a while, their falls from grace are so few as to be rarities.

Archie Stephens is inclined to place the credit on the people of the county. "They're good citizens," he says. On the other hand, many of the residents of the county are inclined to place the credit on Mr. Stephens and County Attorney H. D. Addison. "They're seeing to it that lawbreakers get plenty of punishment," many people say.

Aside from the matter of who gets the credit, Wayne county is certainly to be congratulated on its conduct.

In practically every town the size of Wayne, you'll find a few "blind tigers" dealing in bootleg liquor. We do not know of a single resort of that nature in Wayne. Most towns are literally loaded down with so-called "pocket bootleggers." We can honestly say that, while we have our suspicions about one or two men, we do not actually know of a single person engaging in the pocket-bootlegging business in this community.

There are mighty few cases of disorderly conduct in Wayne county. There are mighty few brawls. Wayne county is behaving itself.

OUR TASK

We cannot solve the problems of society by trying to turn the clock backward. We cannot stop mass production, machinery, or wage earning women. They are here. They have developed naturally, and they must be dealt with in a spirit which accepts them as an actuality as much as the law of gravity, as electricity, or steam.

To stop any of these modern things we would have to stop the inventive genius of men, and the ambitions of women freed from the age-long slavery of the broom, the dustpan, the laundry the spinning wheel. It is man's inventive genius that has freed women and he cannot re-enslave them when he sees results he had not anticipated.

We are living today, working toward tomorrow; we cannot bring back yesterday. It is gone forever. Our social and industrial problems will be solved when they are solved by the working together of man's inventive genius and woman's intuition, by man's ambition and woman's loyalty, by man's ability to dream and to reason and by woman's patience and the ability to give attention to detail she has acquired through the centuries of dependence. Neither one can solve the world's problems alone. They must solve them together since the world is composed of both.

The world's problems cannot be solved by suppressing any of the constructive abilities of human kind. All are needed for the desperate task we face. —Wright County Journal-Press.

CLASS LEGISLATION

Fear that an oleomargarine tax in Nebraska will be the breeding of similar taxes worries the World-Herald, just as it has worried students of economics for years.

There is fear, too, that this may be an easy way to raise revenue in the future, but the greatest danger lies in promoting and enacting class legislation which has not been carefully studied before it is put on the books.

Inssofar as a tax on butter substitutes is concerned, it is designed to help the dairy interests in the state. Let us hope that it has that salutary effect. On the other hand, as the Omaha newspaper points out, it adds new burdens on the city laborer who has been unable to stretch his household budget to cover the cost of butter but who has used the substitute because it is cheaper in price.

For that matter, the farmer has been tempted to do the same thing. Not even a noble law enacted in his interest has impressed him with the patriotic duty of helping consume his own products.

Laws are impressive things when viewed from a distance and as applied to the other chap, but they cannot force a citizen not to do that which he has "got" himself to accomplish in spite of the devil and high water.

A campaign of publicity by the dairymen and the makers of butter, an appeal to the Nebraska population to use common sense with respect to consuming Nebraska products (with due regard for the dangers of fanaticism) but without creating new hardships for those who must watch their grocery budgets, will bring quicker, better results than our constant attempts to "bull things through" by force. —Nebraska City News-Press.

DANGER OF DEMOCRACY

A disquieting thought is voiced by William B. Munro, professor of history and government at the California Institute of Technology in an article on "Graft: A Threat to Democracy," in a recent issue of the New York Times. "The history of mankind demonstrates," he says, "that every form of government finds itself superseded in time, and there is no reason to assume that democracy will prove to be an exception. The only question is, how long will it last?"

There has risen in this country within the past two decades, a theory that ours is the ultimate form of government. We have arrogantly set ourselves up as the final authority on good government. We have, without reason, insulted other nations and belittled their gropings toward self-rule. We have sent our marines to establish democracy with their bayonets. In the Caribbean, we have used the weapons of diplomacy against Russia and we have been openly critical of Italy—firm in the belief that our own house was in order for all time.

Dr. Munro shakes that assurance. He points out that the encroachments of graft have seriously impaired the integrity of democracy. He believes that corruption may eventually destroy the American system of government.

His fears so far as the immediate future are concerned, are probably ill founded. But his point of view is wholesome. After all, there is no magic in the word democracy.

It is possible for corruption to flourish under that banner as well as under any other. And, unless the people under a democracy are constantly vigilant, corruption will flourish.

Glorification of the institution of democracy will not keep it honest.

We cannot cleanse our politics and destroy the infamous alliance between government and underworld by singing hymns to democracy. Neither can we do it by pointing derisive fingers at Moscow or Rome or Madrid. Our job is here—in Omaha, Chicago, New York and Washington. Bolshevism may have its shortcomings, as our state department is always ready to point out; fascism may be repugnant to free citizens; but it is noteworthy that neither Stalin nor Mussolini is afflicted with a prototype of Capone. —Omaha World-Herald.

TREES—NATURE'S TEMPLES

To the undying faith and vision of Nebraska pioneers we are indebted for the tree dotted plains of our prairie state. They converted a barren wilderness into a state clothed with stately shade and fruit trees which afford beauty, shelter and food for mankind. They have handed down to us a heritage which we in turn should protect and pass on to future generations.

A Nebraska pioneer, J. Sterling Morton, possessed the vision and the plan which gave to Nebraska, the name "Tree Planter State." He was a successful tree planter, as may be glimpsed from the magnificent trees of many kinds at beautiful Arbor Lodge at Nebraska City, of which he was the builder. It is now a state park where thousands visit every year to see the realization of this pioneer's vision. To J. Sterling Morton belongs the credit for originating Arbor Day, a day set apart throughout the country for planting trees. In Nebraska, this date is April 22, Mr. Morton's birthday. It is well to remember him and his valuable service to Nebraska by cooperating in carrying on where he left off. Trees are a priceless gift of Nature made possible through man's guiding hand in planting and caring for them. —Nebraska Farmer.

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SCOTT SHOTS

by

"SCOTTY"

HOME TOWN FOLKS

In my old home town, there are a good many "characters." I wonder if the same characters don't exist in every town in the United States? Of course, I'll have to change their names a bit to tell you about them.

John Spindler

John Spindler was a retired farmer. When the post-war boom came, John was ready to take advantage of it, and he bought and sold real estate right and left. Everything he touched seemed to turn to money, and it was whispered that John was a "millionaire." People began begging him to let them invest money with him, and he obliged. People who started out with five thousand dollars had their capital built up to fifty thousand dollars through John Spindler's manipulations.

John had been able to figure it out that land was going up in price, but he failed to foresee the decline, and when the land boom crash came, all of John's money was tied up in assets that turned out to be liabilities.

John was broke and broken. The people who had invested money with him thought for a time of lynching him, but as they cooled off, decided that life imprisonment might be severe enough punishment. The greatest flaw in their decision was that they could find no charge on which to prosecute John.

He had built up five thousand dollar fortunes to \$50,000, but when his maneuvers dropped those fortunes back to \$10,000, people said that they had "lost \$40,000 with John Spindler."

John had been mighty popular while he had filled the pockets of his fellow townsmen, but when he crashed, he was regarded as a low class criminal. His family had been social leaders in the community, but suddenly found themselves ostracized. John, hollow-eyed and gaunt from worrying over his losses, would shamble down the street in quest of friendship or at least sympathy. He didn't find either.

He had managed to retain a farm, and his family conducted a dairy business. Business wasn't very good, and John couldn't stand the way his old friends acted about him, so the Spindler family moved out to California where they all work. Those who have kept in touch with him say that John dreams of staging a comeback.

Seal Van de Berg

Seal Van de Berg might have been an artist—but he wasn't. He had the artistic temperament and the love of art, but he lacked the genius necessary in the makeup of a brilliant painter. Seal had studied art in Paris after the world war, and came back home to be a sign painter.

He was regarded by the home town folks as pretty much of a hot shot in the art line, and there is no question but what he was a good sign painter. He was consistently lazy and it was a real job to get him to work. He could paint good signs in a hurry, once he got started, but the difficulty lay in getting him under way.

Seal was always the hit of home talent shows. He would paint a plantation scene while Art Billings sang Old Black Joe. At the conclusion of the song, Seal would have the picture completed and illuminated from behind his easel. The pictures were always horrible oil daubs in glaring colors that pleased his audiences mightily.

He liked to take things easy, and his sign painting business wasn't lucrative enough to permit him all the luxuries he wanted. His business dwindled as people despaired of getting him to do work when they wanted it. Seal finally decided to get into a more profitable, even if harder, line of business, and he got a job as an oil salesman. He hasn't painted a sign for years.

If these sketches are interesting to you, Scott Shots will print more sketches of Home Town People from week to week.

Dick Rogers, in his "Human Clinic" column in The Burt County Herald, says: "A new, modern and up-to-date sixteen family apartment house has just been completed in Tekamah. The structure is a frame building situated in the midst of ideal surroundings and undoubtedly will prove an ideal home for those who are fortunate enough to secure occupancy. The builder and owner of the new improvement is Ira Skinner, who has been laboring on the project during his spare time for the past several weeks. Although the building has only recently been completed practically all the apartments are occupied by this time. A peculiar fact connected with the proposition is that all the inhabitants are named Martin. The Martins only re-

cently came to Tekamah where they enjoyed the splendid climate of the southland during the past winter months. Although they travel here by the air route, they made a leisurely trip to Tekamah and from all appearances are happy and contented in their new home. After reading this far you perhaps are aware that the apartment house is a large and spacious bird house which is being occupied by the Martin specie of the bird family."

Right triumphs? Well, not always. A man passively and amiably in the right is no match at all for a high-powered man who is vigorously in the wrong.

It may be hard to meet your bills, but it's harder to avoid them.

"What sorta work do you want?" the employment agency man asked the bum.

"I'm a dreamer—aren't we all?" replied the 'bo.

How come that there haven't been any "sub rosa" Amos 'n' Andy jokes making the rounds lately? Time was when you couldn't walk a block without having someone stop you and ask, "Have yuh heard the latest one about Amos 'n' Andy?" Tsk, tsk!

A Bouquet

Scott Shots directs your attention to Miss Mary Jane Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morgan and a Wayne high school student. Miss Morgan has won three northeast Nebraska district championships in the last couple of weeks. She was a member of the championship high school debate team; took first place in the district spelling contest at the district commercial meet; and won first place in the district extemporaneous speaking contest. It would be a real achievement to win any one of the championships, but Miss Morgan has demonstrated her versatility by winning all three.

County Judge J. M. Cherry says that something should be done about the fountain pen manufacturers. He claims that the pen makers make people steel pens and then tell them they do write.

The pun, said he, hanging his head, is the feeblest form of wit.

C. M. "Duke" Urbach, one of the proprietors of the Paragon Press at Sioux City, has an original idea of success. Duke says that his idea of success would be to have an item in the papers starting as follows:

"You may quote Mr. Urbach as saying," said his secretary.

It's funny the different ideas of success that different people have. I remember one fellow whose idea was to be known as "the Great F. R. E." Another fellow's idea of achievement was to be able to be in a mild state of intoxication perpetually. "You know, just a pleasant glow," he'd say. Another friend of mine thought he had achieved success when a clothing salesman showed him a \$175 sport suit and said, "I don't know whether this will appeal to your taste or not, but it's the best thing we have." Another fellow wanted to be referred to as "that dirty so-and-so." "If lots of people hate you, it's a cinch that you must be quite some pumpkins," he used to explain. A friend in Chicago said that he had nothing more to live for when a musical comedy producer reserved a second row, center, seat for him at the premiere. A very bad professional boxer's idea of achievement was to have his opponent's manager try to fix a fight with him.

Every vaudeville actor I ever came in contact with (and I've known quite a few of them, thank you) had the same idea of success: to "Play the Palace." When a vaudeville actor gets to appear on the bill at the Palace theatre in New York city he feels that he has achieved the ultimate goal. Arts have been known to appear at the Palace for little more than the honor. Just scads of vaudevillians would be willing to do their stuff at the Palace, without charge, and the Palace bookers are smart enough to take advantage of the glory that is attached to their show house.

My idea of success in the newspaper business would be to be a second Ole Buck. There's a man who personifies newspaper achievement to me. He's looked up to by weekly newspaper publishers all over the United States. Editors everywhere respect Ole's opinions. He can tell just about any weekly newspaper publisher in the country how to run his business and be right about it. He knows his stuff, and people know that he knows it. He's a Nebraska man—and just ask any newspaper publisher in the state about him, if you don't think he's quite some guy.

TO GIVE PROGRAM

On Tuesday evening, April 23, the college piano ensemble class will give a program in the Wayne State Teachers' college auditorium. The recital will start at eight o'clock, and admission is free.

BRAISTED RECEIVES LETTER FROM CHINA

Leper Worker Writes to Thank Wayne People for Supplies.

Rev. Wm. E. Braisted has just received a letter from Dr. John Lake of Hongkong, China. Last fall in Wayne quite a number of people heard Dr. Lake tell of his leper work and united to make up and send supplies to Tai-Kam, the leper colony under Dr. Lake's care.

The letter just received by Rev. Braisted follows:

"Hongkong, March 21, 1931. My Dear Dr. Braisted:

"You ought to have seen the gratitude when the lepers of Tai-Kam Island sent their thanks for the lovely presents you and the other dear friends sent them. God bless you one and all for this beautiful gift. These many beautiful, helpful gifts. The Lord bless you one and all.

"I found the work in better condition than ever before. For a long time I have considered making Hongkong my headquarters for this work when I am not on Tai-Kam Island. Hongkong is also an island, and is nearer Tai-Kam than Canton is. So please read, carefully, my new letterhead, not yet dry. And please let all the friends know what this letterhead says.

"I have written to thank you and them before; but I wanted to write on this stationery. If every friend of the lepers knew what is printed on this paper, fewer lepers would starve without the Gospel—fewer lepers would suffer want, and loneliness and pain.

"May he who loves the lepers and healed them in the days of His flesh bless you and all who had a part in this beautiful gift."

The Letterhead is: John Lake, Hongkong. Representing the Tai-Kam leper hospital.

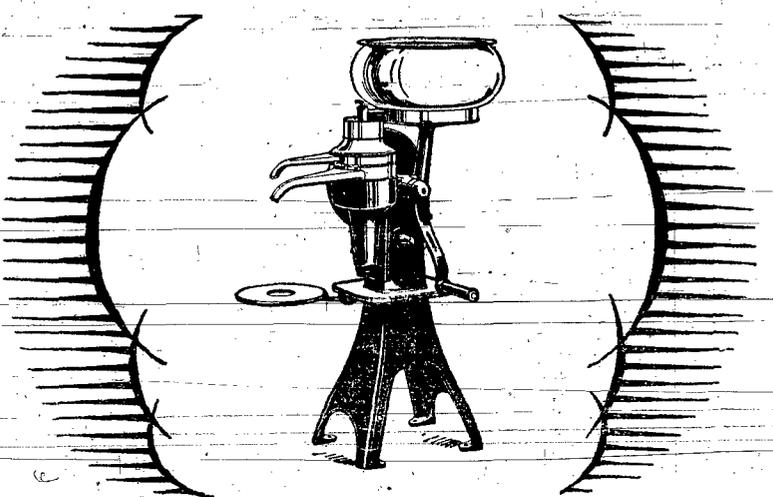
And this: "Please note change in address: from any post office in the world, letters and packages for the hospital need no address other than the words, "John Lake, Hongkong."

The same address for freight, if a letter is sent at the same time. Telegrams and radio messages need but two words: "Lake, Hongkong."

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Local and Personal

R. Pinkham was in Norfolk Sunday.

Charles Senter visited home folks here last week.

Mrs. O. S. Roberts has been on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Noakes were in Sioux City Thursday.

Miss Myrtle Evans of Norfolk visited Mrs. R. Pinkham last Thursday.

Mrs. Hallie Blüvericht of Fremont was a guest of home folks here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Noakes drove to Sholes Monday evening to make a brief business call.

Mrs. Guy Strickland and Mrs. Lloyd Fitch were business visitors at Pender Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Mears spent Tuesday evening visiting in the Clarence Long home.

Marvin Sorensen's brother, Lyman Sorensen, of Chicago, visited Mr. and Mrs. Sorensen Friday.

Mrs. Glenn McCay and little daughter, Patty, spent the week-end with relatives at Columbus.

Mrs. V. A. Senter's brother, David F. Meeker, of Lincoln, was a guest at the Senter home last week.

Carl Madsen has returned home from Rochester, Minn., where he went through the Mayo clinic.

Miss Anna Hächmeyer of West Point was here Sunday visiting Mrs. Theresa Meister and Mrs. Wm. Andersen.

Miss Mary Lewis of Plainview, Miss Maude Curley and Mrs. John S. Lewis Jr., of this city spent the week-end in Omaha.

Mrs. J. M. Barrett, daughter, Edith, and granddaughter, Maxine, and Miss Anna Giesler were in Norfolk Saturday.

The Misses Mildred Ross of Wakefield and Ruth Ross spent the week-end visiting in the Roy Ross home north of Dixon.

Mrs. Julius Knudsen of near Wayne and Miss Elmira Cadwell of Pilger called on Mrs. Wilbur Spahr yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Morris and son, Stanley, of Carroll were Wayne visitors Saturday. They also visited in the R. Pinkham home here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ross were Sunday dinner guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Melvin Wert, and husband, of near Wayne. Miss Stella Ongen was there also.

W. E. Hare of Lincoln visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Grant Mears at the Mears home. Mr. Hare is an old time friend of the Mears family.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Petersen were in Sioux City Thursday. Their little daughter, Betty Ann, stayed at the Julius Knudsen home during their absence.

Lorenz Kay, student at the Nebraska College of Agriculture at Lincoln is spending the spring vacation with his mother, Mrs. Henry Kay, and family of this city.

Lester Krotcher who is a student at the University of Nebraska college of Medicine at Omaha was a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Krotcher, from Sunday until Wednesday this week.

Miss Phyllis Lewis left Sunday evening for Lexington, Kentucky where she has accepted a civil service position in the Veterans hospital. She has been in the Nebraska School of Medicine hospital in Omaha for some time serving as technologist.

Attend the Modern Woodman Hard Time dance Tuesday, evening, April 28, at Odd Fellows hall. Public invited. —adv.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bathke were visitors at the F. M. Krotcher home Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Stevens who have operated the Dew Drop Inn here the past year or more left Sunday to go through the Black Hills enroute to Colorado. They have sold out their interest in the Dew Drop Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Fuhrman and daughter, Ella, of Norfolk, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frevert. Miss Nettie Behmer who is staying at the Frevert home assisting Mrs. Frevert with work went home with them to visit over Sunday. She returned to Wayne Monday.

Mrs. Pete Brummels of Hoskins came with the Behmers to spend Saturday with the Freverts also.

Russell Bartels who is a student at the University of Nebraska at Lincoln was a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bartels, over the week-end. He has attached to the university honor roll for scholarship, being one of the few highest, namely about six. On April 29 a convocation will be held in the auditorium at Lincoln. Mr. and Mrs. Bartels have received an invitation to attend. Honor students will be honored at this meeting.

Mrs. Emma Baker and Mrs. Earl Merchant and son, Stanley, drove to Sioux City Saturday, returning the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Welander and children were Sunday afternoon and supper guests in the Henry Johnson home, in this city.

Miss Ruby Hinnerichs played an accordion solo, Love Lifted Me, at the regular by-weekly meeting at the Church of Christ Monday evening.

Mrs. A. W. Dolph's sister, Mrs. John Newblissing, and two children, and Miss Johnson, all of Central City, were guests at the Dolph home over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dolph were visitors at the George Dinklage home north of Wisner Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Dolph was a guest of the Lutheran Ladies aid there.

Mrs. E. W. Stoltenberg and little daughter, Donna Jean, of northwest of Carroll were visitors at the home of Mrs. Stoltenberg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Foltz, Saturday.

Miss Cleone Carlstrom of Sioux City and Miss Lucille Noakes were guests at dinner at the H. J. Foster home Sunday evening. The girls stayed over night at the Foster home and Miss Carlstrom returned to Sioux City Monday.

Relatives came to the James Killion home Sunday for dinner, bringing well filled baskets of food with them and many gifts for Mr. and Mrs. Killion. The guests who came were: Mrs. John A. Wilbur, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lindval, Mr. and Mrs. Warren McCool and son, Russell, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Richardson and son and daughter, Glenn and Esther, all of Ponca, and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hanson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson and son, Junior, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Buetow and daughter, Izetta Fay. The family gathering was a most enjoyable event. Mrs. Killion was formerly Miss Dorothy Hanson.

50 Men's Light's Suits price \$16.50 at Gamble's.

Miss Nan Schrupf and her sister, Mrs. Howard Townsend of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ramsey and daughter, Una, of Utica, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Foy Cross and son, Billy Foy, from Tekamah came Saturday evening to visit their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Jennie Schrupf, over Sunday. Miss Gertrude Bayes, Wm. Bayes, and Mrs. Etta Perrin, all three of Winslow, were visitors also on Sunday. All returned home Sunday with the exception of the Ramseys who made a little longer visit before going to Lyons to visit Mr. Ramsey's people. They are leaving the latter part of this week for New York.

SOCIAL NOTES

U. D. Club.
The ladies of the U. D. club met with Mrs. John Hufford Monday afternoon. Mrs. Wm. Von Seggera reviewed a paper on Skyscrapers. The club will meet next Monday afternoon with Mrs. Harry B. Jones.

with them. Bethel Brown's patrol went on a hike the previous Saturday. Miss Marjory Pease went with them.

The troop will meet as usual tomorrow afternoon, the park to be the meeting place if the weather permits.

Altrusa Club.
The Altrusa club did not meet this week, the meeting having been postponed. The meeting which was to have been held Monday this week will be held next Monday afternoon, April 27, with Mrs. Erick Thompson.

Woman's Home Missionary.
The Methodist Woman's Home Missionary society will have a special business meeting at the church parlors next Wednesday afternoon, April 29, at 3:00 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Alpha Club.
The Alpha club will meet next Tuesday afternoon, April 28, with Mrs. L. W. McNatt, hostess. Mrs. C. E. Gildersleeve will be leader of the lesson on magazine articles.

St. Paul's Aid.
The St. Paul's Lutheran aid is meeting this Thursday afternoon, April 23, at the church with Mrs. Charles Meyers and Mrs. S. J. Ickler as hostesses.

Theophilus Evangelical Aid.
The ladies of the Theophilus Evangelical aid are meeting this Thursday afternoon, April 23, at the church parlors for a regular session.

J. O. B.
The J. O. B. club will meet with Mrs. George Thompson on Thursday, May 7, for a regular afternoon session.

Minerva Club.
The Minerva ladies will meet next Monday, April 27, with Mrs. F. G. Dale.

Soprano and Pianist Give Radio Program
Miss Gladys Sulerud, soprano, of the Wayne State Teachers' college faculty, and Mrs. Albert G. Carlson, pianist, presented the college radio program over radio station WJAG at Norfolk last Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

The following program was given:

Ecossaises	Beethoven
Mrs. Carlson	
The Star	Rogers
Hark! Hark! The Lark	Schubert
Miss Sulerud	
Value in G. Flat	Chopin
Toccata	Rubinf
Mrs. Carlson	
Good Morning	Grieg
Miss Sulerud	
Soiree-de Vienne	Schubert-Liszt
Miss Carlson	
The Second Minuet	Besly
Hot Mr. Piper	Curran
Miss Sulerud	

Piano Pupils to Give Recital Monday Night
Private and class piano pupils of Mrs. Albert G. Carlson will give a program in the Wayne State Teachers' college auditorium on Monday evening, April 27, at eight o'clock.

The following pupils will take part:

Virginia Lewis, Barbara Strahan, Arthur Gulliver, Herbert Welch, Larhylla Whitmore, Joyce Miller, Verona Habbeck, Betty Wright, Evelyn Noakes, Ruth Lundberg, Dolores McNatt, Quentin Whitmore, Robert Heylman, Mary Ellen Gulliver, Peggy Morris, Jeanne Wright, Olivia Dillinbaugh, Evelyn Wendt and Melvin Seymour.

The program will feature solo and ensemble playing. The public is invited to attend.

Admission will be free.

Boyd Hotel Coffee Shop Sunday Dinner

Celery	Chicken Broth with Noodles	Olives
	Choice of	
	Roast Milk-Fed Chicken with Dressing	
	Roast Veal with Cream Sauce	
	Roast Pork with Apple Sauce	
	Macaroni and Cheese	
	Cheese Omelet with Spanish Sauce	
Breaded Pork Cutlets		Creamed Peas
	Whipped Boyd Potatoes	
Lettuce and Tomato Salad		Hot Biscuits
	Fruit Jello with Whipped Cream	
Banana Cream, Pumpkin, Date Cream and Berry Pie		
	Vanilla Ice Cream	
	Coffee, Tea or Milk	

BANKS OBSERVE HOLIDAY
Wayne banks were closed yesterday in observance of Arbor day, a legal holiday.

District court adjourned Monday, April 20, until Monday, April 27. The jury called for April 27 has been notified that it will not be needed until Monday, May 4.

CLEAN UP WEEK NOW

Wayne Clean-Up Week April 26 to May 3

High School Seniors Get Banquet Invitations
Seniors of the Wayne high school have selected their photographs and will have them taken soon. The seniors have received their invitations to the junior-senior banquet to be given May 5 at the Presbyterian church.

The expression class is studying play production and the art of stage makeup. They are keeping scrapbooks with illustrations.

The physics classes are studying electrical measuring instruments and determining resistance.

Kindergarden
Mrs. O. B. Haas visited the kindergarden class on Friday afternoon of last week.

Second Grade
Second grade pupils have started their health contest for the last six weeks of school. They have made language booklets on "The Wind," by Robert Louis Stevenson.

Third Grade
Third grade students are working with water colors in art class. They are studying the value of good health postures.

Pupils who hold perfect attendance for the last six weeks are: Reva Barnes, Rima Chilcott, Ermajean Dunn, Irene Haberer, Margaret Larson, Kenneth Peterson, Marjorie Reuter, Lyle Seymour, Marjorie Thompson, Scotty Thompson and Leah Young.

Fourth Grade
Mrs. H. J. Felber visited the fourth grade last Friday.

Sixth Grade
William Baker has received 100% grades ten consecutive times in spelling class. Marie Thies and Francis Sydow received gold stars in penmanship for the year.

Seventh Grade
A spell-down was held last week and Ruth Judson's class won the contest.

Eighth Grade
The absent last week were: Roy Esquawit, Lucille Cross, Eva Liveringhouse, Dolores McNatt, Ila Gildersleeve Weldon Haas and Jane Randall.

Work of laying pipe for a natural gas distribution system at Wymore is progressing rapidly.

A new hotel is being erected at Holdrege.

Clean-Up Week to Start Here Sunday
It's cleanup week in Wayne, starting Sunday, April 26 and ending on Sunday, May 3. The cleanup is sponsored by the Wayne group of the Better Homes in America organization, and has been given the approval of the city council.

Wayne councilmen urge local residents to put their yards in order during the week and make Wayne a city of neat streets. They say that home owners should have rubbish burned or hauled away.

Admission will be free.

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Creole The finest coffee we can buy. New low price.	39c
Charm A wonderful value. Fine flavor. At a saving of 5c a pound.	36c
Family Blend Equal to most coffees selling from 35c to 39c a lb. 3 lbs.	\$1.00
Real Cup A cheap coffee you will enjoy using. Contains no Rio, a straight No. 1 Santos. New low Price.	89c

Garden Seeds A complete assortment.	Robb Ross Frute Gel All Flavors
3 pkgs. 10c	4 pkgs. 25c

5c Lima Beans Red Kidney Beans Baked Beans Kraut **5c**
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Green Beans No. 2 cans	Tomatoes Hand Packed No. 2 cans	Peas Good Quality, No. 2 cans
11c	9c	10c

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WITH THE WAYNE CHURCHES

First Baptist Church
W. E. Braisted, Pastor

10:00—Church Sunday school Bible study. Classes and a welcome to all. Lesson topic: "Why Pray".

11:00—Morning worship hour. Fine music, real worship, preaching, vital helpful message; subject: "The Compassionate Christ." Are you needing Him? Then come.

6:30—The young people's fellowship-discussion group, with a good cheer, welcome, and joy to all who come. Topic: "The Unmet Needs of the World." What are they? Can we help meet them?

7:30—Good fellowship hour. Group singing, led by the chorus choir. Radiant good-cheer that will do your heart good. Subject of message: "Hearts Aflame."

—Wednesday, 7:30—Life Enrichment Hour. Welcome to all.

Thursday, 7:30—Choir meets at Mrs. Rennick's. Welcome to any willing to share their best in this work.

Special Notice: The advisory board will meet on Monday night at 7:45, at the church. Every officer urged to plan to be present.

Christian Science Society
Beckenbaker Chapel

9:45—Sunday school.

11:00—Services. Subject: Probation after Death.

Golden Text: Psalms 37:18.

The public is cordially invited.

The subject of the lesson-sermon read at all Christian Science churches and societies on Sunday, April 19, was "Doctrine of Atonement." A part of one of the citations read from "Science and Health with Key to the Scripture," by Mary Baker Eddy, (p. 23) is as follows: "The atonement is a hard problem in theology, but its scientific explanation is, that suffering is an error of sinful sense which Truth destroys, and that eventually both sin and suffering will fall at the feet of everlasting Love." Other citations read from this book and the Bible show that, in the Bible, various references to the blood and body of Jesus, spiritually understood, really refer to the Spirit or Mind of Christ, which overcomes sin and disease. A typical Biblical selection that was read is, "Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me."

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

10:00—Sunday school. If you are interested in the study of the Bible we have a class for you with an able instructor no matter what your age may be.

11:00—Morning worship. The De Molay boys as our special guests at this service. We are very happy to welcome this fine group of young men to worship with us at this service. The "Chimes" will be played by Mrs. Bressler. Special choir music directed by Mrs. Gladys Sulerud.

7:00—Epworth League service.

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7:30—Evening worship. You will enjoy the organ and choir music at this service. A brief timely message by the pastor.

We are glad to announce that our annual visiting preacher Dr. J. D. M. Buckner will be with us for the morning service May 3.

A cordial welcome to all the services of this church.

Presbyterian Church
P. A. Davies, Pastor

All services at the usual hours next Sunday. Sunday school, 10:00. Morning worship, 11:00. Evening choir, 6:00. Intermediate and young people C. E. services, 6:30. Evening service, 7:30.

We are to be highly favored at the morning hour in having as our speaker Mrs. Andrew Todd Taylor, of New York, representing the Foreign Board. Mrs. Taylor will be one of the chief speakers at the meeting of Presbyterians during the week, so a goodly number of our people will hear her again at Osmond, where the women will hold their meeting.

Next Sunday is "Better Homes Week" and it is our plan to speak of home and its value at the evening hour.

The pastor and Mr. Gulliver attended the meeting of Presbytery at Emerson Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

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

10:00—Sunday school.

11:00—Morning worship.

7:30—Luther League.

Rev. Paul Machetski missionary from Argentine gave a very interesting address at the Sunday school service last Sunday.

Ladies' Aid meets this Thursday afternoon at the church.

You are welcome at our services.

Church of Christ
Guy B. Dunning, Pastor

10:00—Bible school.

11:00—Communion and worship.

7:00—Christian Endeavor.

8:00—Wednesday evening prayer meeting.

Rev. Dunning spoke here Monday evening on the topic, "The Conversion of an Antichrist. He will speak next Monday at the Church of Christ at Wakefield."

Evangelical Lutheran Church
H. A. Teckhaus, Pastor

10:00—Sunday school.

11:00—German preaching service.

10:00—April 25, religious instruction.

2:00—Choir practice. Come and worship with us.

Grace Lutheran Church
(Missouri Synod)
H. Hoppmann, Pastor

10:00—Sunday School.

11:00—Service.

The Walther League will meet Friday evening 7:30, at the chapel.

FORMER WAYNE STUDENT WRITES TO MISS SMOTHERS

(from The Goldenrod)

Miss Clara E. Smothers, Registrar at the College, was the recipient recently of a most interesting letter, coming from Los Angeles, California. The writer of the letter is Miss Amy E. Culbertson, who was once a student of Wayne State Teachers' College. Miss Culbertson graduated from this institution in 1917, and taught for several years thereafter in Iowa and Nebraska high schools. She enrolled later in the University of California where she received her bachelor's degree. At the present time, Miss Culbertson is teaching Junior High mathematics in the Los Angeles schools, which position she has successfully held for a number of years.

Miss Culbertson is a member of the Sigma Tau Delta, national English fraternity, and has contributed several times to the Rectangle, official publication of the fraternity.

An excerpt from her letter is given below:

"For Easter vacation I had the most interesting trip I drove with a friend to Imperial Valley, which is east and south of here, right on the Mexican border, below sea level, reclaimed desert, every square inch of it (see "Winning of Barbara Worth"), now the garden spot of the world (I speak as a native Southern California real estate agent.) But, really, it was quite interesting country, and the landscape made me think of Dakota County (Nebraska), flat country, clumps of trees around the houses, hills on all sides.

"But the most interesting part of the trip was the family I stayed with. They were real Castilian Spaniards from Bilbao, on Bay of Biscay." Mr. Osa could talk amusing English. Everything was "He," no "she's" or "it's," and he called me "sir." And so on. Mrs. Osa could speak only a few words. The girls (in high school) could speak English well and the eight year old boy fairly well. The little boy, five years old, understood

A \$2 Dinner For 6



BY taking advantage of the present low prices of canned foods you can serve the following dinner for six people at the cost of approximately two dollars.

- Clam Chowder 35¢
 - Veal Loaf 75¢
 - Mushroom Sauce 25¢
 - French Fried Potatoes 10¢
 - Cabbage Salad 10¢
 - Bread and Butter 11¢
 - Vanilla Ice Cream with Pineapple Sauce 25¢
- Clam Chowder: Add two cups milk to the contents of two 10 1/2 ounce cans of clam chowder, season to taste with salt and pepper, and bring to boiling.
- Mushroom Sauce: Melt two tablespoons butter and brown slightly in pan, add two and one-half tablespoons flour, and stir smooth. Add enough water to the

liquor from a 4-ounce can of mushrooms to make one and one-half cups, and add slowly to the first mixture, stirring until thick. Add one teaspoon kitchen bouquet, salt and pepper to taste and the mushrooms in sliced pieces, and reheat. Serve with the real loaf.

A Delicious Dessert

Vanilla Ice Cream: Scald two cups evaporated milk and one cup water. Mix together three-fourths cup sugar, two tablespoons flour and one beaten egg; add to milk and cook in double boiler ten minutes. Cool, add one teaspoon vanilla, and freeze.

Pineapple Sauce: Add one-third cup sugar to one cup crushed pineapple, and boil five minutes. Cool, and add one drop oil of peppermint. Serve over the ice cream.

a little English but spoke it not at all. Well, the whole visit was like a trip to a foreign country; there were so many Spanish things and pictures. These people are on a large farm, and had thirty or forty Mexican peons working for them. These stayed in shacks and tents out by the grove. I was reminded of slave quarters, of which I have never seen any.

"The weather was very hot down there, even weeks ago. In town all the sidewalks have roofs over them. The house I was in had a wide porch all around and big French doors, a couple to each room, opening onto the porches. When the wind came up at night these doors were all open, life was bearable.

Claims International Relations Are Bad

By Prof. Charles F. Bongardt, Creighton University.

Germany and Austria enter into a customs accord. It is well understood that the agreement was directed against the United States and Russia. It is also well understood that France and England and all other European nations are interested in establishing a Pan-European accord. And yet it is France and England that protest the accord; and neither the United States nor Russia is known to have done so. The answer of course is to be found in politics, rooted ultimately in nationalistic aspirations and feeling. And no one is certain just what the situation is, but it is hinted that peace is imperilled.

Once again it is perceived that the international relations of the world are organically out of step with the processes of democracy, in which alone lies any hope of peace and co-operative unity among the nations of the world.

One of the corner stones of democracy is the principle of publicity in all of the actions of government. Public judicial hearings and decisions, public legislative deliberations and enactments, free access to all manner of official records, these are some of the every day applications of the principle. But there is one glaring exception reserved by all of the nations, the exception pertaining to "state secrets."

Some of the evils of state secrets are obvious: distrust, suspicion, jealousy, prying, spying, and the resulting sensitiveness in international relations. But the least obvious and most lamentable result of the system is the not loss to the state of public enlightenment.

In this democratic day and age, what with an alert press and the consequent necessity for public officials to make clear their positions, nearly every citizen has some view on current domestic problems. But in international affairs, all is mystery, all is conjecture and guess work, and the very word "diplomacy" breeds a sense of abysmal ignorance and an

attitude of awe. And public servants, entrusted with these matters, can commit the most tragic errors, evade all responsibility in the encircling mystification, and bury their mistakes in the diplomatic tomb.

Says France Dislikes Political Union Idea

By Prof. Charles F. Bongardt, Creighton University.

France is indignant over the Austro-German customs accord, not because it may lead to political union.

France is indignant over the British suggestion that the League of Nations decide the legality of the accord, not because the League is an improper tribunal to determine the question involved, but because of the concession that the accord may be legal.

France is indignant over an Italian indorsement of the British Proposal not merely because it indorses a concession, but because of the "hint" that Italy itself may join the accord.

France is indignant over the British invitation of the German government for preliminary disarmament conversations, not because such conversations would not be a benefit to France but because of the "friendly gesture."

Indignation based on such grounds is not real. What it spells is a defense reaction, a justification for armaments and more of them, a reason for not signing the Treaty of London, a foundation for rejecting proposals in the forthcoming disarmament conference.

The position of France is well known. Her neighbor to the south has nationalistic designs, her neighbor to the north is her vanquished foe and yet, a victor without spoils, she is asked to disarm, and to agree to an inferior navy. There seems to be great losses, even perils, for France in any general plan of disarmament.

But France cannot hope, alone or with Italy, to maintain the old order of things. World thought is insistent. If France persists in obstructing the Pacific thought-stream of creation she must look for a backwash of terrific, unprecedented competition. In such a situation, there will be more perils for France in her armaments than in any ratio of disarmament proposed.

Wayne Boy to Write Paper on Marketing

Charles A. Keyser of Wayne is among the seniors of the Wharton school of finance and commerce of the University of Pennsylvania who have completed studies for the research department of that institution.

Keyser is engaged in the final writing of "A Survey of Federal Government Marketing Statistics" for the commerce and trade group of Wharton school in which he is specializing. He is the son of Mrs. Grace D. Keyser and a member of Delta-Tau Delta fraternity.

Prior to entering the university he attended the Wayne high school where he was prominent in student activities. Senior research of the type in which Keyser is engaged is one of the most important features of the Wharton school curriculum, each member of the graduating class being required to complete successfully a piece of original business research before receiving his diploma.

University Research Is Aid to Merchants

In addition to its efforts to make progressive professional men through school training, the University of Nebraska is interested in helping Nebraskaans who have no connection with the university.

The extension division at the college of agriculture brings this service to Nebraska farmers. The department of business research seeks to serve Nebraska merchants. Business research and its objectives are set forth by Dr. T. Bruce Robb, chairman of the department, in a bulletin just published which is being sent to all business men in Nebraska and outstanding business leaders the country over.

Faulty management is blamed for three-fourths of business failures. It is regarded as the principal reason for the 25 per cent turnover among retail grocers annually. It is faulty management that the department of business research seeks to eliminate. Its chief concern is to give the manager a set of facts based on experiences of others in order that he may be reasonably sure of what to expect in the future.

Effects of automobiles and good roads on retail centers, consuming habits, how to get the right goods in the right quantities, benefits special sales give merchants and means of measuring their value, and costs of doing retail business are some of the problems dealt with.

To eliminate fluctuations and make possible a steadier and more certain method of progress is the aim of business research. Stability, Dr. Robb and other business experts believe, must first come in business. They regard the business man as the pivot of the whole economic mechanism, the organizer of production.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF M. M. TAYLOR, ADMINISTRATOR DE BONIS NON FOR LICENSE TO SELL REAL ESTATE.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

Now on this 3rd day of April 1931, M. M. Taylor administrator of the estate of John S. Lewis, Jr., deceased, having presented his petition under oath praying for license to sell the following described real estate of the said John S. Lewis, Jr., deceased, to-wit:

Lots One, Two and Three in Block Six, Crawford & Brown's Addition to Wayne, Nebraska, according to the recorded plat.

Lots Thirteen, Fourteen, Fifteen, Sixteen, Seventeen, Eight-

teen, Nineteen, Twenty, Twenty-One and Twenty-Two in Block Nine, College Hill Addition to Wayne, Nebraska, according to the recorded plat.

A part of the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section Thirteen, Township Twenty Six North, Range Three East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, described as follows. Commencing at a point 345 feet south and 190 feet west of the northeast corner of the Southeast Quarter of said section and running thence west 447 feet, thence south 295 feet, thence east 447 feet, thence north 295 feet to the point of beginning, said boundary lines being parallel respectively to the corresponding lines of said Southeast Quarter of said Section Thirteen, Wayne Co. Neb.

The Southeast Quarter of Section Thirty-Five, Township Twenty-Two North, Range Four West in Madison County, Nebraska.

The Northeast Quarter of Section Thirty-five, Township Twenty-Two North, Range Four West in Madison County, Nebraska,

or a sufficient amount thereof to bring the sum of \$10500.00 for the payment of the debts allowed against said estate and the allowances and costs of administration, for the reason that there is not a sufficient amount of personal property in the possession of said M. M. Taylor, administrator, belonging to said estate to pay said debts, allowances and costs.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before me at chambers in the city of Norfolk, in the county of Madison on the 23rd day of May, 1931, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. to show cause, if any there be, why a license should not be granted to the said M. M. Taylor, administrator, to sell so much of the above described real estate of said decedent as shall be necessary to pay said debts and expenses.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be served upon all persons interested in said estate by causing the same to be published for four successive weeks in the Nebraska Democrat, Wayne, Nebraska, a legal newspaper printed and published in said County of Wayne, Nebraska.

CHARLES H. STEWART, Judge of the District Court.

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Eradication of Barberry-Bush

Will Have Much to Do With Control of Black Stem Rust of Wheat.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)—WNU Service.

Fifteen years of barberry eradication in the wheat belt have accomplished much toward reducing the toll of black stem rust. The United States Department of Agriculture estimates that this disease destroyed 50,000,000 bushels of wheat annually during the first five years of this period, less than 28,000,000 bushels annually during the second five years, and only about 11,500,000 bushels annually from 1925 to 1929.

Eradication Results.

In Farmer's Bulletin 1544-F, "The Common Barberry and Black Stem Rust," the Department of Agriculture points out some striking results of the barberry eradication campaign. Since 1918 the department and co-operating states in the northern wheat belt have destroyed more than 18,000,000 barberry bushes. In the northern states the common barberry is the only source of early grain rust infection.

Comparing 1916 and 1925, two years of similar weather conditions, the following results are obtained. In Minnesota 61 per cent of the entire crop was destroyed by rust in 1916 and only 12 per cent in 1925. In North Dakota 70 per cent of the crop was destroyed in 1916 and only 5 per cent in 1925. In South Dakota 64 per cent of the crop was destroyed in 1916 and 7 1/2 per cent in 1925. There is every reason to suppose that if so many barberries had not been eradicated the epidemic of 1925 would have been almost as destructive as that of 1916, except in certain areas of the Dakotas and neighboring states where durum wheats are grown and the hot, dry weather checked the development of the rust.

Destroyed Much Wheat.

A single 80-year-old barberry bush in Decatur county, Indiana, was credited with destroying at least \$50,000 worth of wheat in the vicinity of the town of Alert in 1922. After that bush was destroyed wheat in the vicinity was practically free from rust. Such facts make it evident, says the department, that much has been accomplished by destroying 18,000,000 bushes.

The authors of Farmer's Bulletin 1544-F, Dr. E. C. Stakman and Donald G. Fletcher, point out that even though millions of bushes have been destroyed already and the great losses of earlier years have been reduced, many bushes continue to escape destruction. The bulletin, which may be obtained free by writing to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, offers suggestions for locating and destroying this bush.

Tune Up Work Team for Heavy Tasks of Spring

It is time to tune up the work team if they are expected to do full duty in the spring rush, said Prof. M. W. Harper of Cornell university over WBAI recently. A horse that is too fat or too thin is in no condition to plunge into heavy work. Light work at this season with an increase in grain helps harden the

team and toughens the shoulders. The amount of feed differs with the horse, the kind of work, and the condition of the horse. A good rule is to supply two pounds of feed daily for each hundred pounds of weight for light work, and two and a half pounds for heavy work. For light work give one-third grain and two-thirds hay, and for heavy work the ratio may go as high as two-thirds grain and one-third hay. Sound oats are unexcelled as a grain for horses.

Salt should be supplied regularly but it should not be put in the feed. There is little advantage in grinding or chopping grain.

As for the order of supplying water, grain and hay; feed or water so frequently that the horse gets neither hungry nor thirsty. But feed and water regularly, because horses anticipate the hour of feeding and become nervous if it is long delayed.

Many Gardeners Give Up Raising of Cauliflower

Many gardeners have given up raising cauliflower in the home garden because they find that the cauliflower in the market has so much clearer and better complexion than those they raise at home. This need not be so with a little care. To bleach the head and keep them that delightful creamy white that makes this vegetable so tempting in appearance, it is necessary to start as soon as the head begins to take definite form to protect it from the sun. This is done by tying the outside leaves loosely together at their tips and watching the growth of the plant to see that the developing head is kept shaded.

Care of Pastures

Pastures which are deficient in phosphorus will pay well for the addition of ample quantities of this fertilizer. Recent Wisconsin tests illustrate this point. One plot which already had available 234 pounds of phosphorus per acre produced 5,780 pounds of dried hay per acre as against 2,850 for another plot which had available 48 pounds of phosphorus. In addition to this the grass from the first plot was more than 2 1/2 per cent higher in protein.

Stockmen Probably Save Through Feeding Wheat

Nevada sheep and cattlemen may be able to save some money this year by the purchase of wheat instead of corn for emergency winter feed.

This is the opinion of Prof. V. E. Scott, agricultural economist of the Nevada agricultural extension service, following an analysis by him of the comparative feed value and cost of the two grains.

If wheat is used, he states, it should be purchased in carlots and must be fed the animals in troughs.

Research has shown, according to Scott, that wheat has a greater feeding value than corn. Since corn weighs 56 pounds a bushel, he says, and wheat weighs 60 pounds, a bushel of wheat, even at the same feeding value, is worth more than a bushel of corn. "Experiments carried on by the United States Department of Agriculture," Scott states, "have revealed that when corn is worth \$1 a bushel, wheat is worth \$1.07 when fed to poultry and sheep, and \$1.12 when fed to hogs and cattle."

Read the advertisements.



A MAY DAY PARTY

MAY was Chaucer's favorite month, and ever since he wrote in the quaint English of his time: "For may wol have no gardie aught," English poets have been singing the joy and inspiration of this gay spring month. Shakespeare wrote: "As full of spirit as the month of May," George Wither sang: "Be she fairer than the day Or the flowery meads in May." Milton mentions "the clouds that shed May flowers."

And all the flowers sprang up to see As I went on to Arcady." Bliss Carman evidently shared this opinion that May is a good month for a blissful hike, when he wrote: "Here's to the day when it is May And care as light as a feather. When your little shoes and my big boots Go tramping over the heather."

Melon Wedges with Lime
Salmon and Macaroni Mold
Creamed New Peas
Cabbage, Apple and Nut Salad
Omelette
Pineapple and Banana Ice Cream
Milk
Coffee
Cocoa
Oap Cakes
Peanut Brittle

Emerson wrote in more modern times: "What potent blood hath modest May!" and Helen Hunt Jackson praised the month in the lines: "The voice of one who goes before, to make The paths of June more beautiful, is thine Sweet May!" Later still, Louise Chandler Moulton extolled the month as a good one for an idyllic trip: "I hid me off to Arcady— The month it was the month of May, And all along the pleasant way, The morning birds were mad with glee,

both the grown-ups and the children. So here's a good substantial menu calculated to see a twenty-four people, because you feel so good on the first of May that you want everyone to come.

Let's Plan A Party

With all this poetic enthusiasm for May, and much more that there is no space to quote, let's give a party during this month when many flowers peep out, the sap runs in the trees, and you suddenly remember some of the exact feelings you had when you were a little girl or boy. Of course a Queen of the May party is the thing if you were the former, and it's equally pleasant if you were the latter, providing you enjoyed the Queen's approval, so let's plan a May Day party.

It's almost sure to be an outdoor day with lots of running games and dancing around a May-pole and everything, and that means it will be a hungry day for

Poetic Indian Names

Indian names given to many of Maryland's rivers show that the Indian was a poetic fellow, says an article in the Baltimore Sun. Patapsco was originally Potapskut and meant "at the jutting ledge of rocks" referring to a cluster of rocks at the river mouth. Potomac and Sasquehanna first were named from the tribes living on their banks. Potomac means "the people who come and go." Susquehanna, "the people with the booty taken in war." Magothy, "small plain devoid of timber." Nanticoke, "marsh and upland." Wicomico, "where the houses are building;" Onancock, "foggy place;" Choptank, "great blue water;" Monocacy, "stream containing many large bends;" Youghogheny, "stream taking a roundabout course."

Work That Will Endure

Modern sculptors believe in hard work. Specimens of their work have recently been exhibited exquisitely fashioned out of stones that are almost as hard as a diamond, and certainly considerably more resistant than case-steel. Work of this sort is all the more remarkable when we remember that, until comparatively recently, the modern fashion in sculpture was to model in clay. The master's model was then copied in marble or stone by masons. The old methods, which gave us the gargoyles of the medieval cathedrals, are now coming back, however, and sculptors are again working direct on the stone.

Water-Heating Systems

The process of water heating remained in disuse, probably because of the expense of installation, for nearly 2,000 years after its invention. Orata perfected what was called a "hypocauste" for heating the rooms of the ancient Roman dwellings, and for heating the water in the famous baths through pipes or flues.

But the early settlers in this country heated their water in tubs placed on their stoves, and warmed their houses with fireplaces.

Old King Cole

Little Alice was having her bedtime story. Her grandmother told her about "Mary had a little lamb," and another about a cousin, "Mary Alice and her pet dog." Then grandmother said: "Are there any more Mary stories that you want to hear?" Alice replied: "Yes; tell about Old King Cole, he was a Mary old soul."

Recipe for "Frickasie" in Old Colonial Times

Southern cooks of Colonial times may have used what today appears as queer spelling, but memories of the meals they served to bewigged gentlemen of the times continue to dominate portions of the modern American menu.

Recently a relic explorer thumbed the pages of a Colonial cook book and found a recipe for "Frickasie a la Grandmother" with the following wording:

"Take ye fowls, cut them in pieces and clean them. Season with pepper and salt, a little mace, nutmeg, cloves, some parsley, a little bit of onion.

"Let them lay two hours, then flour them well, fry in sweet butter hot before you put them in. Fry fine brown. Wash ye pan and put them in again with a pint of gravy. Let them simmer in ye gravy. Take ye yolks of three eggs with a little grated nutmeg and a little juice of lemon, and two spoonfuls of wine. Shake it over the fire until it is as thick as cream, pour over ye frickasie, and so serve it to ye table hott."

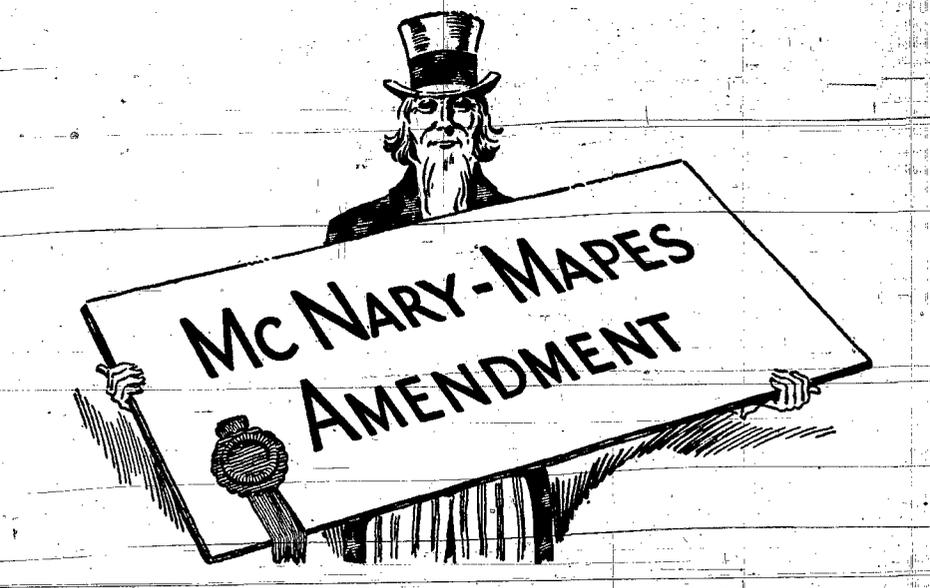
Stockings Might Have Fitted Lincoln's Hands

Even Abraham Lincoln had to bow a little to prevailing styles, a fact which recalls a highly amusing incident that happened on the eve of a big White House reception. It was one of those affairs at which the President would be compelled to shake hands with thousands of people and Mrs. Lincoln sent out for a box of white silk gloves, both to protect Mr. Lincoln's hands and to make sure that by frequent changes he would look neat and fresh throughout the reception.

The gloves came but were far too small to fit the mighty hands of Lincoln. An emergency call was sent out. All Washington sent gloves but none were large enough. Mrs. Lincoln was greatly vexed and on the verge of tears when the President turned to her and said with a chuckle: "Better get me some of your stockings; they're bigger."—Los Angeles Times.

Gibraltar in History

The rock of Gibraltar after centuries of conflict between the Moors and Spain was formally incorporated under the Spanish crown in 1502. It was taken from Spain by the allied British and Dutch forces July 24, 1704, and Sir George Rooke hoisted the British flag and took possession in the name of Queen Anne. Abortive effort for the recovery of the rock both by a military and peaceful arbitration was made by Spain for many years. During the American war for Independence an extreme effort was made, backed by France, and in 1779 one of the most memorable sieges of history took place. In 1783 a final engagement occurred and peace was declared. Since that time the rock has been in the possession of the British crown and has the status of a crown colony.



THE GOVERNMENT HELPS

THE United States Government is co-operating with the National Canners Association to inform the public more fully about the contents of containers of canned foods. It is doing this by means of the McNary-Mapes amendment to the Food and Drug Act which became a law on July 8 of last year. This amendment authorized the Secretary of Agriculture to establish definite standards for all canned food products except meat and meat foods which are subject to the meat inspection act, and canned milk—and to promulgate a form of label designation for foods which fall below the standards which he set.

Peaches, Pears and Peas

The first standards set by the Secretary of Agriculture under this new law were for peaches, pears and peas and they go into effect on May eighteenth. Beginning on that date all canned peaches, pears and peas, coming within the jurisdiction of the amendment and falling below these standards of quality will be required to be designated on their labels as "Below U. S. Standard—Low Quality But Not Illegal."

seed cells have been removed, with or without removal of the internal stem, and sugar solution. Specifications as to the relative weights of the fruit and water in the container and the consistency of the syrup are included in this standard, too.

Canned peas, under the new standard, are the normally flavored and normally colored canned food consisting of the tender, immature, unbroken seed of the common or garden pea (*Pisum sativum*), with or without seasoning (sugar-salt), and with added potable water in such proportion that when the contents of the container are poured out and returned to the container, standing on a level surface, and the peas leveled with a spoon without downward pressure, the liquor is not above the upper level of the peas.

The Standards Set

The standards for these three products, stripped of technicalities, are as follows:

Canned peaches are to be considered the normally flavored and normally colored canned food consisting of the normal—and uniform—sized, tender, peeled, mature, unblemished, pitted, unbroken halves of the fruit of the peach tree and sugar solution. There are also proper technical specifications as to the relative weights of the fruit and water in the container, and the consistency of the syrup.

Canned pears are considered by the new standard to be normally flavored and normally colored canned food consisting of normal and uniform sized, tender, peeled, mature, unblemished, unbroken halves of the fruit of the pear tree, from which the calyx and

No Safeguard Sacrificed

All canned foods must conform to the requirements of the Federal Food and Drug Act, and the pur-

Full Cans Assured

The new standards also provide for the proper filling of all cans. Their requirements for fill of container state that "canned foods shall be considered as of standard fill if the entire contents occupy 90 per cent or more of the volume of the closed container. Canned foods which fall below the foregoing standard of fill of container shall bear the name of the article immediately preceded, wherever such name appears, by the words 'slack filled,' in letters of at least equal size and prominence."

Thus, under these new regulations, the housewife is assured that she will not only know that canned foods she buys are above or below these definite standards, but that she will get all of the food she pays for in every can.

Uncle Sam Recommends



HOW much does your weekly market basket cost? A market basket providing adequate food for five persons for one week need cost only \$6.55, according to a recent estimate issued by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the Bureau of Home Economics and the Woman's Division of the President's Emergency Committee for Employment.

Prices for the weekly basket differ in different localities. Pittsburgh has the lowest prices—\$5.88. In New York City, the same basket will cost \$7.03.

Below are the foods recommended for the weekly basket for a family of five, including father, mother and three children.

While the list includes dried vegetables, the cheapest possible form, many busy women who do not have time to soak and prepare these vegetables are buying canned fruits and vegetables, now offered at low prices. These are ready-prepared, also save fuel.

Flour and cereal (1 1/2 pounds bread equals 1 pound cereal)	17-24 lbs.
Whole fresh milk	23-28 qts.
or Canned unsweetened milk	23-28 tall cans
Potatoes	15-20 lbs.
Dried beans, peas, peanut butter	1-2 lbs.
Tomatoes, fresh or canned, or citrus fruit	6 lbs.
Other vegetables (including some of green or yellow color), and inexpensive fruits	15-18 lbs.
Fats, such as lard, salt, pork, bacon, margarine, butter, etc.	2 1/2 lbs. 3 lbs.
Sugar and molasses	3 lbs.
Lean meat, fish, cheese, eggs (1 dozen eggs approximates 1 lb.)	5-7 lbs.
Eggs (for children)	8 each
Coffee	1 lb.
Tea	1/2 lb.

SOCIETY and Club



Birthday Party.

Little Phyllis Kilborn entertained a group of her friends last Saturday afternoon at a birthday party. It being her 9th birthday. Games of various kinds were played and prizes were awarded for some of them. A birthday cake was enjoyed and refreshments were served. Favors were given to all present. The guests were Dorothy Jean Casper, Catherine Cavanaugh, Catherine and Leah Young, Milla June Thomas, Earl Eugene Fox, Margaret Jean Studley, James Kingston, Kenneth and Paul Petersen, Betty Roberts, Dorothy Reuter, Jean Mines, Marian Vath, Phyllis Pinkham, Wilma Stenson, Marian Comstock, Jessie Louise Johnson, Elva Mae Jones, Barbara Felber, Bonnell Jones, and Donnadell Rolland. Many lovely gifts were left for the little hostess.

Legion Auxiliary.

The American Legion Auxiliary ladies met with Mrs. Hamer Wilson last Tuesday evening for a regular session. Mrs. Clara Henkle and Mrs. Forest McNutt assisted the hostess on the refreshment committee. Plans were made for the annual poppy sale to be held the last Saturday before Memorial Day. Plans were also made to hold an afternoon meeting each month besides the regular evening session. These will be held the first Tuesday afternoon of each month.

On Tuesday afternoon, May 5, the auxiliary will meet with Mrs. L. W. McNutt for a social afternoon with sewing or other needed work.

On May 19, the auxiliary will entertain its Gold Star members at a 7:00 o'clock covered-dish dinner at the Charles Ash home.

Birthday Party.

A large group of neighbors and friends came to the Henry Johnson home Tuesday evening, April 14, to surprise Mr. Johnson in honor of his birthday. They came for supper bringing well filled baskets of food with them. After supper, the evening was spent socially. Guests were Mrs. Lee Caatwe and Leah Jean Caatwe, Mrs. Mary Hart and Ivan, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Bonawitz, Effie, Ina and Isabelle Hanson, Leonard Ames, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bonawitz and children, Sim Richards and wife and son, Edwin, Fred Elckhoff and Ida Elckhoff, and Art Gay.

Child Conservation League.

The Child Conservation League will meet next Tuesday evening with Mrs. H. D. Addison. The topic for the evening study is Child Culture. Mrs. E. O. Stratton will read a paper on the topic, A sense of Justice as a Foundation of all the Virtues. Mrs. R. W. Casper will favor the group with special music, giving selections from American composers. Mrs. Homer Scace will give a paper on Application of the Law of Justice in the Acquisition and Use of Money. Mrs. Frank Korf will give a paper on the topic, Play the Game According to the Rules.

Monday Club.

The Monday club met with Mrs. A. A. Welch Tuesday afternoon this week. Dr. W. W. Pheasant of the local college was the speaker for the afternoon and gave a most interesting talk on Chinese characteristics. Mrs. T. T. Jones sang two solos. At the close of the meeting the program committee, Mesdames R. E. K. Mellor, Homer Scace, and A. A. Welch served tea. Spring flowers in profusion about the home served as decorations for the occasion.

The club will meet next Monday afternoon with Mrs. A. B. Carhart.

Country Club.

The Country club members were entertained at the last of a series of three evening parties at the Stratton last Thursday evening, April 16, with the following committee serving: Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fisher, Roy McDonald and wife, C. W. Hiscok and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Smith, Dr. and Mrs. T. T. Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schmale. There were 20 tables of bridge and high scores for the series were won by Mrs. H. D. Addison for the ladies and D. H. Larson for the men.

The next meeting will be on May 7.

Girl Scout Troop III.

The Oak Troop of Girl Scouts met last Friday afternoon at Bressler park. The girls played games and did some work on tests. On Saturday, the patrol which is under the leadership of Marie Scace went on

a hike. Miss Helen Swanson went Business and Professional Women.

The following committee will entertain at an evening party and social meeting next Tuesday evening, April 28, for the members of the Business and Professional Women's club: Misses Leona Bahde, Emma Schmitz, Bertha Berres, Pearl Sewell, Irene Hemple, Grace Steele, and Mrs. Larie Brittain.

J. A. O. Gives Shower.

The members of the J. A. O. Kensington club and several of their relatives and friends went to the James Killion home last Thursday afternoon for a surprise miscellaneous shower for Mrs. Killion, formerly Miss Dorothy Hanson of this city. The afternoon was spent socially after which refreshments brought by the guests were served. Many lovely gifts were left for the honored guest, Mrs. Killion.

The J. A. O. is meeting this Thursday afternoon, April 23, with Mrs. R. W. Casper for a regular session.

Entertain at Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beckenhauer entertained at bridge at their home Monday evening for Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Addison, Mr. and Mrs. William Noakes, Mr. and Mrs. Irve Moses of Winside, Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Auker, Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Love, and Don, Joe, and Miss Mae Beckenhauer. High scores were awarded to H. D. Addison and Mrs. Moses. At the close the evening, the hostess served refreshments.

Fortnightly Club.

The members of the Fortnightly club and their guests were entertained at a one o'clock bridge luncheon and guest day social last Friday at the home of Mrs. Fred Nyberg, hostess. The afternoon was spent at bridge for which the membership prize was awarded to Mrs. Ralph Beckenhauer and the guest prize to Mrs. B. F. Stahan.

The club will meet on May 4 with Mrs. Hobart Auker.

Young People's Bible Circle.

The Young People's Bible circle met with Miss Charlotte Ziegler last Friday evening. Miss Elmira Nelson of Newman Grove, student here, was the leader.

The class will meet tomorrow evening, April 24, at the Ziegler home for a study of the 5th chapter of Romans, especially looking into the topic, The Results of Justification. Mrs. L. W. Kratavil will lead.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. L. B. McClure was hostess to a group of little friends last Thursday afternoon at a birthday party for Carolyn McClure, it being her birthday. The party was given at the McClure home and little Miss Carolyn and her guests spent the afternoon playing games and having a general good time. At the close of the afternoon, Mrs. McClure served refreshments.

Yellow Dogs.

The Ancient Order of Yellow Dogs met at the Brement's room of the city hall Tuesday evening. Seventeen new members were initiated after which there was a social time and refreshments were served.

The Yellow Dogs will meet again next Tuesday evening, April 28, at the city hall at 7:30 o'clock. Twenty new members are to be initiated.

Coterie Club

The Coterie club met Monday afternoon this week with Mrs. L. W. Ellis. Roll call was answered with current events. Betty Helen Ellis and Wilmer Ellis played a piano duet. At the close of the meeting the hostess served refreshments.

The club will meet next Monday with Mrs. Wm. Mellor for an election of officers.

P. E. O.

The members of the P. E. O. met last Tuesday evening with Mrs. H. S. Ringland for a regular session. Mrs. James Miller reviewed the book, Coronet, by Manuel Kamroff.

The club will meet in two weeks for an afternoon meeting with Mrs. U. S. Conn. Mrs. P. A. Davies will review this topic, The Modern Trend in Religion.

Women's Bible Study.

The Women's Bible Study circle met with Mrs. Charles Simpson Tuesday afternoon for a study of the current Sunday school lesson. Mrs.

Simpson acted as discussion leader. The circle will meet next Tuesday with Mrs. Kratavil who will lead the lesson discussion of the Sunday school lesson for the following Sunday.

Wayne Woman's Club

The Woman's club will meet tomorrow (Friday) afternoon with Mrs. Adelaide McEachen. Assistant hostesses will be Mesdames C. J. Lund, Nels Juhlin, and Harry McMillan. Mrs. F. S. Berry will give a paper on What Our Legislature Has Done During This Session. There will be some special music.

Birthday Party.

Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Perry attended a birthday party Saturday evening at the home of Dr. Perry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perry, at Norfolk. The party was given in honor of Frank Perry and his two sons, Dr. L. F. Perry, and Archie Perry, whose birthdays all fall on the same day.

Rural Homes Society.

The meeting of the Rural Homes society to have been held last Thursday with Mrs. C. A. Bard was postponed until next month on account of the death of Mrs. W. A. K. Neely who was a charter member of the club. The club will meet with Mrs. Bard next month.

Rebekah Lodge.

The Rebekahs will meet for a regular session tomorrow evening, April 24, at the I. O. O. F. hall. Seven

candidates from Carroll will be initiated into the order. At the close of the initiation there is to be a social time and refreshments are to be served.

Methodist Aid.

The Methodist Ladies Aid society will meet in the church parlors next Thursday afternoon, April 30. The following committee will serve: Mesdames, A. W. Ross, Wm. Hogue-wood, R. J. Kingston, W. A. Hiscok, E. S. Blair, and D. L. Strickland.

Cameo Club.

The members of the Cameo club were entertained at an evening bridge party last Friday evening at the Dr. H. Larson home. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. L. W. Jamieson and H. D. Addison. Luncheon was served at the close of the evening.

Acme Club.

The Acme club met Monday afternoon with Mrs. V. A. Senter. Mrs. A. M. Jacobs gave a review of two plays entitled, Sainly Hypocrites and Honest Sinners; and Let Us Be Gay. The club will meet next Monday afternoon with Mrs. Clara Ellis.

Girl Scout Troop I.

The Girls Scouts of the Lily of the Valley troop met in regular session last Thursday afternoon after school at the college.

The troop will meet as usual this Thursday afternoon, April 23, at the usual time and place.

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