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## Over 200 at Scout Meet Here Friday

### New Officers for Covered Wagon Area Are Elected.

Over 200 boys and scout leaders attended the annual meeting of the Covered Wagon area, held at the Wayne State Teachers' college gymnasium on Friday evening, Feb. 5. Gunnar H. Berg, national director of volunteer training for Boy Scouts, was the principal speaker. "Scouting" was his subject.

Henry Monsky, Omaha, organization committee chairman, told those in attendance at the meeting that eleven troops and 288 boys represent the net growth in Boy Scout work for the Covered Wagon area council during 1931. There were in the area on Jan. 1 of this year, he said, 190 troops and 3,895 scouts as compared to 179 troops and 3,607 scouts on Jan. 1, 1931.

The Logan valley district, including the scout towns of Crofton, Winside, Randolph, Obert, Wausa, Coleridge, Sholes, Belden, Wayne, Emerson, Bloomfield and Wynot, showed an increase of three troops and 95 scouts for the year, Mr. Monsky said. The district had 10 troops and 135 boys on Jan. 1, 1931, and 13 troops and 230 scouts at the beginning of this year.

New area council officers elected at the meeting here are: President, Frederick H. Buchholz, Omaha; first vice-president, Raymond F. Low, Omaha; second vice-president, George Wolz, Fremont; third vice-president, F. J. Sexsmith, O'Neill; treasurer, Perry Hendricks, Omaha, and scout commissioner, Melvin Bekins, Omaha.

Silver Beaver awards were presented to six scout executives of the state.

## ELLENBURG DRAWS 5 TO 20 YEAR TERM

### Youth Enters Guilty Plea to Theatre Robbery Charge.

Howard Ellenburg, 22 years old, pleaded guilty before District Judge C. H. Stewart at Norfolk Saturday afternoon to having robbed the Granada theatre at Norfolk. He was sentenced to serve from 5 to 20 years in the state penitentiary at hard labor.

Ellenburg was represented at the hearing by Attorney F. S. Berry of Wayne.

He and a companion named Hogan, who is still being sought by Madison county authorities, robbed the theatre of approximately \$1,200 on Monday morning, Jan. 25. Ellenburg was arrested the next afternoon on his half-brother's farm near Wayne and about \$450 was recovered.

Several days after his arrest, Ellenburg signed a confession which implicated Hogan. Ellenburg had worked in a Chicago department store as an elevator operator for about three years, and had been visiting in the Wayne vicinity since the Christmas holiday season.

## Only Two Wayne Men File for Primaries

Only two candidates for office have filed with County Clerk Bertha Berres for the 1932 primaries. Frank J. Klopping, state representative, has filed for re-election to that office on the democratic ticket and County Judge J. M. Cherry has filed for re-election to that non-political office.

## Treasurer Issues 100 Car Licenses a Day

An average of 100 car licenses a day have been issued from the offices of County Treasurer J. J. Steele during the past week, with many licenses going out through the mail, on account of bad roads. To date, 2,422 licenses have been issued, as against 4,000 for last year.

The Burlington railroad company has installed an automated switch in the Plattsburgh yards.

## Pile Hall Corner Stone to Be Laid

Ceremonies incidental to the laying of the corner stone of J. M. Pile Hall at Wayne State Teachers' college will be held tomorrow afternoon, Friday, Feb. 12, at two o'clock. The walls of the first story have been erected, and plans are being made to seat the audience on the first floor of the building.

The ceremony will be in charge of the Masonic lodge, with John R. Tapster of North Bend, Grand Master, in charge. Other state officers will be here from Omaha, and will be assisted by local Masonic lodge members.

Prof. H. H. Hanscom has charge of music for the program, and general arrangements for the affair are in the hands of Prof. C. E. Wilson.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

## Legion Asks Employers to Aid Workers

### Ross Jacobs Heads Local Unemployment Relief Committee.

Ross F. Jacobs will head the "War Against Depression" committee of the local American Legion, it was announced yesterday by Paul Mines, commander of Erwin Sears post. Any one having odd jobs of any kind is asked to get in touch with Mr. Jacobs, so that the employment may be furnished to worthy persons.

The "War Against Depression" committee will play a local part in a national campaign to put 1,000,000 wage earners back to work. The drive starts on Monday, Feb. 15, and is sponsored by the American Legion, the Legion Auxiliary, the American Federation of Labor and the Association of National Advertisers.

The plan is to have each employer of labor put a minimum of one wage earner back to work. Nearly eleven thousand committees will be carrying the plan to a successful conclusion at the same time. President Herbert Hoover has expressed his approval of the campaign.

The local committee will not stage any active drive to get local employers to put "a wage earner back to work," since it is the opinion of the local Legion members that local business men, for the most part, have not laid off any help.

## MRS. F. O. MARTIN IS LAID TO REST

### Rites for Wayne Woman Are Held Sunday Afternoon.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, Feb. 7, at two o'clock at the First Baptist church for Mrs. Frank O. Martin, who passed away on Thursday morning, Feb. 4. The services were in charge of Rev. Wm. E. Braisted, and interment was in the Wayne cemetery.

Mrs. Mattie Simons Martin was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Simons at Oakland, Iowa, on May 3, 1866. She was 65 years, 9 months and 1 day old at the time of her death. She came with her family to Wayne in 1885. She united with the First Baptist church on Feb. 14, 1886, on confession of faith and baptism, and remained a consistent, faithful member to the time of her death.

She was united in marriage to Mr. Frank O. Martin on Feb. 17, 1887. Besides her loving husband, she is survived by five children: Mrs. C. D. Nelson of Gothenburg, Orra Martin of Wayne, Carlos D. Martin of Wayne, Frank A. Martin of St. Edwards, and Mrs. C. J. Boyce of Wayne. There are seven grandchildren. One daughter, Gertrude, died in infancy.

Two brothers, Mr. C. W. Simons of Eureka, Kan., and Mr. S. C. Simons of Wakefield, survive.

The family has the sympathy of the many friends who had known Mrs. Martin as a fine neighbor and friend.

## Eli Bonawitz Rites To Be Held Friday

### Pioneer Resident Passes Away Tuesday Evening.

Funeral services for Eli Bonawitz, who passed away at his home Tuesday evening, Feb. 9, at seven o'clock, will be held Friday afternoon, Feb. 12, at two o'clock from the Methodist church, with Rev. H. C. Capsey in charge. Interment will be in the Wayne cemetery.

Mr. Bonawitz had not been feeling well for several days, but his death came unexpectedly. Heat trouble was given as the cause. He had observed his seventy-ninth birthday on Saturday, Feb. 6.

Eli Bonawitz was born to George and Amanda Bonawitz at Lennart, Ill., on Feb. 6, 1853. When he was a small boy, he moved with his parents to Iowa.

In 1877, when he was 24 years old, he was united in marriage to Ella L. Worth at Marshalltown, Iowa. They made their home in Hotel county, but came to Wayne county 12 years ago, and had lived here ever since. Mr. and Mrs. Bonawitz moved from their farm home into the city of Wayne 27 years ago. They had planned to celebrate their fifty-fifth wedding anniversary in July of this year.

Mr. Bonawitz had been street commissioner for several years, and was held in high esteem by all who knew him.

Besides his loving wife, he is survived by one son, Herbert Wesley Bonawitz; a sister who lives in Gettysburg, S. D., and a brother who lives in Montana, besides many more distant relatives and host of friends. Two daughters, Effie May and Beulah Jane, preceded him in death.

## Omaha Is Scene of Morris-Ley Marriage

Mrs. Gertrude Morris and Rollie W. Ley were united in marriage at the First Presbyterian church in Omaha on Monday afternoon, Feb. 8, at four o'clock. Rev. P. A. Davies of the First Presbyterian church of Wayne read the marriage lines. The bride was attended by Mrs. Jane Lindquist of Omaha and Mrs. P. A. Davies.

The bride wore a dress of Spanish tile crepe, with accessories of brown. She carried a corsage of yellow freesias, yellow roses and baby breath.

Immediately following the marriage ceremony, the couple left on a short eastern trip.

## Here Are Firms Who Give Votes

Wayne business firms from whom Popularity Contest tickets may be obtained with cash purchases or payment of bills are:

Ahera's  
Fred L. Blair  
Electric Shop Shop  
Dr. W. A. Emery  
Fisher-Wright Lumber Co  
Gamble, Clothier  
Hiscox Hardware  
Jacques  
R. B. Judson Co.  
Johnson's Bakery  
Kremke's News Stand  
Kugler Electric Co.  
Merchant and Strahan  
Orr and Orr  
Martin L. Ridder  
O. S. Roberts  
Wayne Creamery  
Wayne Electric Co.

Customers must ask for vote tickets with their purchases. Tickets will be given from Monday, Feb. 15, to Monday, March 28, inclusive.

## Drouth Area Relief Fund Is Growing

### Additional Supplies to Be Sent to Stricken Territory.

Contributions for drouth area relief are still being received, according to Fred L. Blair, head of the committee in charge of donations. Besides the dozen carloads of stock feed already sent to the north-central Nebraska drouth territory, more hay will be sent as soon as a few more contributions are received.

A detailed report of the relief work done by Wayne and its territory will be sent to the daily newspapers of the state as soon as the work is finished.

Many farmers, Mr. Blair says, have signified their willingness to donate hay and grain to the cause, and trucks will be sent out to gather their contributions, as soon as rural roads are passable.

Members of the Wayne committee in charge of drouth area relief work say that the contributions to date have been highly gratifying, and residents of this territory, they believe, can feel proud to know that Wayne is among the leading contributors of the entire state.

## Nominations Pour In for Democrat Travel Contest

### J. T. Bressler Gets Supreme Court Verdict

#### Wayne Man Wins Award of \$75,000 in Land Transaction.

John T. Bressler, Sr., will soon be \$75,000 better off, as the result of an opinion handed down by the Supreme Court relative to a land transaction. Mr. Bressler was awarded a credit against the eastern parties from whom he sought to recover in District Court at Ponca last June and the defendants appealed to the Supreme Court. That court's opinion, just received by Attorney C. H. Hendrickson who handled the case for Mr. Bressler throughout, approves and affirms the decree of the trial court in all provisions and sets the amount due Mr. Bressler at \$75,000.

Mr. Bressler and the late A. R. Davis bought a section of land from some eastern people in 1919 for \$160,000, of which \$20,000 was paid in cash by Mr. Davis. It was agreed that the eastern land-owners were to furnish title in 1920.

When the time came, they had no title, but assured Mr. Bressler and Mr. Davis that their ownership of the land could be easily proved, and were advanced \$100,000 by Mr. Bressler.

Title had not been delivered to the Wayne men by 1923, and Mr. Davis had an opinion on the matter written

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## COLLEGE HIGH TO GIVE JUNIOR PLAY

### Comedy, "Be An Optimist" to Be Presented Tonight.

Juniors of the college high school will present a class play, "Be An Optimist," at the college auditorium this evening. The cast of characters for the three-act comedy is as follows:

Ivan Golditch...Llewellyn Whitmore Beckley, his daughter...Evelyn Wend Pietro D'Angelo Caccialino..... Andrew Martischang

Jimmy Maynard...Leonard Denninger Mildred Clayton....Mary Gulliver Mrs. Clinton.....Doris Nelson Mike.....Bill Ahern

Ray Hudson.....Alvin Giese

Miss Hull.....Jessie Hanson

Maggie.....Eleanor Martin

Ethel Peabody.....Hazen Bressler

Madame Gopher.....Claire Palson

Guests at the Ball.....Dale Hanks,

Ivan Carlson, Clarence Berry,

Forest Ingwerson, Marion Becker.

### Judge Cherry to Hear Moeller Estate Claims

The late August Moeller, Wayne county's hermit, seems destined to provide considerable of a legal tangle with 31 people who claim heirship to all or a part of his estate to be heard in County Judge J. M. Cherry's court on Tuesday, March 1.

Claims of the contesting heirs are said to be conflicting. All 31 claimants live in America, and no foreign heirs have been heard from.

### Mrs. Howard Hanscom Breaks Arm in Fall

Mrs. Howard Hanscom fell on an ice-coated sidewalk Sunday night, while she and Professor Hanscom were on their way to church. She sustained a broken bone in the right arm and painful hip and leg bruises, but is getting along as well as can be expected.

### AMES-WATTONVILLE

Miss Vivian Ames, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Ames, was united in marriage to Mr. Knelon Wattonville at Hiawatha, Kansas, on Monday, Jan. 25.

### THIS WEEK'S QUESTION

Who do you consider the outstanding American in your particular field?

Burt R. Davis, attorney: "Our retiring chief justice of the supreme court, Oliver Wendell Holmes, would, I believe, be outstanding. It is not often that we find a man as active as he is at his age."

Dr. L. F. Perry, dentist: "Dr. G. V. Black of Northwestern university has done more for the advancement of dentistry than any one else."

Rev. Wm. E. Braisted, minister: "Bishop McConnell, head of the Federal Council of Churches, would probably be rated as strong as any man in the ministerial field today. Rabbi Steven S. Wise would rate very high, were we to consider the Jewish religion."

H. R. Best, educator: "Dr. John Dewey of Columbia university is, I believe, the outstanding man in my profession."

## Local and Personal

Mrs. Floyd Kingston was ill with mumps last week.

E. O. Stratton was on the sick list the forepart of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Spahr spent Sunday in the C. J. Johnson home. Robert Kingston spent the weekend in Pender as a guest in the Will Clover home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Spahr were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Knudsen on Tuesday.

Frank Griffith and children were guests at Sunday dinner in the F. M. Griffith home.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Decker of Carroll spent the weekend in the C. C. Herndon home.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Hrabak of Tilden were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hrabak.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zeplin and children were in West Point Sunday visiting friends and relatives.

Walden Felber, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Felber, was home from school at Lincoln last weekend.

Mrs. L. W. McNatt was ill with flu most of last week, but is considerably improved this week.

Misses Louise Wendt and Mabel Schmeiser, instructors at the Teachers college, spent Saturday in Sioux City.

The Raymond Erickson family and Mrs. Albert Nygren and daughter of Concord were Wayne visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schmale and daughter, Mary, of Winside, spent Sunday as guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mines.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Anderson and Mrs. Ella Anderson, all from Wakefield, spent Sunday in the H. V. Moody home at Wayne.

Dr. Wm. B. Vall went to Norfolk Monday evening so that he might attend a clinic on Tuesday. He returned Tuesday evening.

Miss Marcella Darling, student at the college, spent the weekend in the A. C. Norton home as a guest of Miss Rhea Schmidtskamp.

Mrs. R. R. Larson, LaVern Lee and Junior Larson spent Saturday in Sioux City at the home of Mrs. Larson's sister, Mrs. Chas. Ruoff.

Miss Florence Johnson and Mr. Harold McComib, both of Sioux City, came Saturday evening and stayed until Monday morning as guests of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel M. Anderson of Concord were in Wayne Friday. Other Concord visitors here the same day were Mr. and Mrs. Arvid J. Peterson and Mrs. Arthur Johnson.

Mrs. E. D. Bonine of Perry, Iowa, spent last week in the L. R. Winegar home, caring for her mother, Mrs. Winegar, who was ill with flu. Mrs. Winegar is reported much improved this week.

## AT THE GAY THEATRE

E. GAILEY, Manager  
WAYNE, NEBR.

### Last Time Tonight

MIRIAM HOPKINS  
PHILLIPS HOLMES  
in

"TWO KINDS OF WOMEN"

Admission.....10c and 35c

### Friday and Saturday

GEORGE ARLISS

In

"ALEXANDER HAMILTON"

Also

TULANE CALIFORNIA

FOOTBALL GAME

This game is shown from the first play to the final.

Admission.....10c and 35c

### Sun., Mon. and Tues.

BUSTER KEATON

in

THE PASSION PLUMBER

Also Metro Goldwyn Comedy

Admission.....10c and 35c

### Wednesday & Thursday

"EAST OF BORNEO"

Story of the Eastern Jungles

Admission.....10c and 35c

### At The Crystal Saturday and Sunday

FRANK MAYO

in

"THE LAST RIDE"

Admission.....10c and 35c

Ed Masher was here from Sholes Friday.

Miss Florence Peterson spent the weekend in Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mau and family spent Thursday evening in the A. C. Mau home.

Miss LaVerne Keetel attended the editorial association meeting at Norfolk last Friday evening.

L. A. Mason of Wakefield spent Sunday as a guest in the home of his mother, Mrs. J. W. Mason.

Junior Meyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Meyer, was ill with the flu for several days this week.

Francis Allen and Miss Isobel Adams were Sunday visitors in the James Allen home at Sholes.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barreman were entertained at dinner Wednesday in the L. B. Young home.

Reports are that J. C. Nuss is rapidly recovering from his paralytic stroke and that he is making daily progress.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hrabak spent Friday in Norfolk and Stanton, visiting friends and attending to some business.

Miss Ruth Stratton, who teaches at Hartington, spent the weekend in Wayne as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Stratton.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bathe and son, Bobby, were Sunday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Krotcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Swanson of Hartington spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Swanson's mother, Mrs. Anna Kopp.

The Norbert Brugger family moved Saturday from their residence at 420 Logan street to their new home at 110 West 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Brinkman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wieland and family were guests of Mrs. Sophie on Saturday.

Yes — We buy old tires, 1000 to 7000 miles for your unused mileage on new G & J's—the tire with center traction. Gamble Storrs.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Brugger and Marcella, Miss Helen Lang and Edward Lang were dinner guests on Sunday of Mrs. Ed Jotzke in Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Seymour and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Seymour and family spent Sunday afternoon in Norfolk with the Wayne band.

Mr. and Mrs. James Killion and son, Jimmie Dean, were dinner guests in the Albert Killion home and supper guests in the Dean Hanson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Nicholaisen and granddaughter, Katherine Dillon, of Creighton spent Friday and Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nicholaisen.

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

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McGarraugh went to Omaha Friday. Mr. McGarraugh to attend to business and Mrs. McGarraugh to visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. E. L. Griswold.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rhindland entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of Mrs. H. F. Wilson's birthday. Guests, besides Mrs. Wilson, were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson and children of Winside, and Mrs. R. E. K. Mellor.

Mrs. Sherwood Wheaton and Miss Marguerite Chase, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Chase, came last Friday from San Diego, Calif., to be with their mother, who is seriously ill.

Dr. and Mrs. L. F. Perry entertained at dinner Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ley, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wilcox and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Brown. After dinner two tables of contract bridge were in play and high scores were won by Mrs. Wilcox and Mr. Brown.

Leland Laase, son of Mrs. Amos Laase, left Thursday for Chicago where he will visit his sisters, Rev. Iva L. Wallack and Mrs. John K. Fletcher. From Chicago he will go to Indianapolis, Ind., where he will reside with his brother, Gurney. He plans to find permanent work in Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Pierce came here Monday from Norfolk where Mr. Pierce was employed by the Northwestern Bell Telephone Company. He replaces Mr. Kyle Kept, who has been transferred from the local telephone office to Grand Island. Mr. and Mrs. Pierce will reside at 30 E. 6th street, the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beckenhauer. Mr. and Mrs. Kent, who had been living in the C. W. Hisco home, left Saturday evening for Grand Island.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Kratavil went to Omaha a week ago Monday. Mr. Kratavil returned on Wednesday of last week but Mrs. Kratavil remained in Omaha at the home of Mrs. Delta Thompson until Saturday. While in Omaha Mrs. Kratavil attended a prophetic concert at the R. R. Brown tabernacle. Dr. W. B. Riley of the First Baptist church of Minneapolis was the principal speaker.

## WITH THE WAYNE CHURCHES

### First Baptist Church

Wm. E. Braisted, Minister

10 a. m. The church Sunday school. Classes for all. Graded lessons and instruction. Discussion group of young people.

11 a. m. Morning worship, with special music, and practical, helpful message. Subject, "At Bethlehem."

6:30 p. m. The Young People's fellowship-discussion meeting. Topic, "What Jesus Teaches About Faithfulness."

7:30 p. m. The regular evening worship. Informal service of song, with vital message. Subject, "The Lion and the Lamb." Can these characteristics be united in one person?

8 p. m. Wednesday. Choir meet. Prof. H. H. Hanscom as director.

2:30 p. m., Thursday. Women's Missionary Society meets with Mrs. Wm. Watson, 312 Pearl St. Mrs. Lub program leader.

7:30 p. m. Thursday. Bible study and prayer service for life enrichment. All are welcome.

Friday at the Baptist church: The Inter-church Day of Prayer, 10 a. m., first session. Each one will bring lunch, but coffee will be served at the church. 2 p. m., second session. An interesting, helpful program for every hour of the day. At 3 p. m. Dr. Robert McLean, a worker in Latin American lands, will bring a special message in genuine interest and value.

As previously announced, twice, Feb. 21st, being Washington Anniversary Sunday, several weeks ago Prof. J. G. W. Lewis consented to give an address for that evening at the First Baptist church. It will be worth hearing, hence this repeated announcement. There will be, also, special music.

Lincoln said: "I do the very best I know how, the very best I can; and I mean to keep doing that to the end. If the end brings me out all right, what is said against me won't amount to anything. If the end brings me out wrong, ten angels swearing I was right would make no difference." What a splendid conviction!

### Presbyterian Church Notes

#### P. A. Davies, Pastor

Word comes from Dr. McLean that he will arrive on the morning train Friday. We plan to keep him very busy while he is in our city. His subject if he speaks at the school will be "How to Make a Million Dollars." In the afternoon at 3 p. m. at the Baptist church he will speak at the program of the World's Day of Prayer for Missions on the subject, "The New Missionary Frontier." In the evening, at the close of our covered dish luncheon, he will speak upon one of two subjects, either "Cutting Means Blood-Letting" or "Mexicans Are People." Supper will be at 6:15 and the message will be at the close of the supper or about 7 p. m.

We are very happy to have Dr. McLean with us, not only because he is a personal friend of seminary days, but we know that he will bring an inspiring and helpful message.

The committee on the supper for the week are as follows: Mrs. Clara Horsham, Mrs. A. A. Welch, Mrs. Howard James, Mrs. Baxter Bee and Mrs. Grace Keyser.

We believe that there will be many, who have not been attending the sessions of the school, who will want to attend this Friday evening. We would like to have you at the fellowship supper at 6:15. If you can come, let one of the committee know. If you can not be at the supper, come for the message at 7 p. m.

On account of the illness of many and the ice Sunday evening, our congregations were not the usual in number, but we had two happy services. All services at the usual hours next Sunday.

We were happy to have the Demolay boys with us Sunday morning. Come again.

The Missionary society held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. R. W. Casper Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Hobart Auker had charge of the lesson. The assisting hostesses were Mrs. Nettie Call, Mrs. Clara Horsham and Mrs. H. H. Hanscom. At this meeting officers were elected for the coming year.

Methodist Episcopal Church Harold C. Capsey, Minister

Last Sunday morning during the public worship hour the installation of church school officers and teachers was held. Several were unable to be present on account of sickness but over 40 workers took part in the consecration of their time and talent to the work of religious education in the church school in an impressive service. Miss Delta Thompson sang a consecration solo.

Next Sunday morning the two local troops of Boy Scouts will attend the church service at 11. This week is being observed all over the country Scout Anniversary week. The pas-

tor will preach on the subject, "Why the 12th Scout Law?" We ought to fill the church to greet the scouts and make this a worthy worship service. The music is always worthwhile. At the evening service at 7:30 the sermon theme will be "A Basis for Trusting God." There is always a friendly welcome here.

Tuesday the big men's meeting of the Brotherhood is to be held. Supper will be promptly at 6:30. A good meal is promised to be served by the ladies. Something different in the way of entertainment is arranged and Rev. George Almond of Laurel will be the special speaker. All men should plan to be present. You will miss something good if you miss this.

Wednesday Ladies' Circles number

one and two meet in the afternoon

and Thursday the Woman's Foreign

Missionary society will meet with

Mrs. Capsey with a special speaker.

## St. Paul's Lutheran Church

W. C. Heidenreich, Pastor

10 a. m. Sunday school.

11 a. m. Divine worship.

7 p. m. Luther League.

7:30 p. m. Special Lenten service.

Ladies Aid society this Thursday

afternoon at the church.

Catechetical instruction Saturday

at 2 p. m.

World's Day of Prayer Friday at

the Baptist church. All the ladies of

the church are welcome.

Let us remember the special services every Sunday night during Lent. The public is especially invited to these services. Gospel sermon and congregational singing. Come.

Mission study at the parsonage Wednesday, Feb. 17, at 2 p. m.

## Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church

Missouri Synod

H. Hopmann, Pastor

Sunday school 10 a. m.

Services at 11 a. m.

Lehren service Sunday evening at

7:30.

The Ladies Aid will meet with

Mrs. Robert Frahm Friday afternoon.

The Walther League will meet Fri-

day evening at 7:30 at the chapel.

## Church of Christ

Guy B. Dunning, Minister

Bible school 10 a. m.

The Lord's Supper at 11 a. m.

Christ says, "If ye love me, ye

will keep my commandments." Jesus

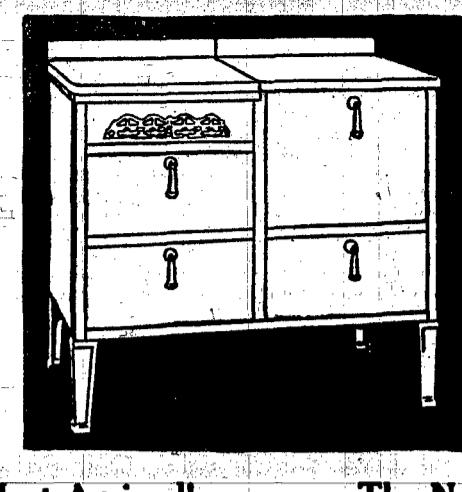
sware under a double oath that ex-

cept we eat his flesh and drink his

blood we have no life in us. John

3:25, 26.

The public is cordially invited.



Just Arrived! The New

## ALCAZAR Gas Ranges

Something new and different. Full Automatic with all the late improvements. Beautiful designs in new color schemes. Will be shown first at the cooking school, February 11, 12, 13. Visit our booth for free demonstration.

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Wayne, Nebr.

653. C. E. each Sunday evening 7:30.</p



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## WAYNE MARKET REPORTS

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

Corn	.40
Cream	.17
Cream	.18
Eggs	.10
Hens	.11
Leghorn Hens	.06
Old Roosters	.05
Springs	.06
Hogs	\$3.25 to \$3.50

## ANENT OUR CONTEST

The Nebraska Democrat's Popular Contest starts Monday, with present indications pointing to a hotly contested race for a free vacation trip, the prize offered to the winning contestant.

Wayne merchants have entered whole-heartedly into the spirit of the affair, and many of them are offering contest votes with cash purchases or with payment of bills.

The Democrat management feels that the prize to be awarded the winner of the contest is one that every contestant would be glad to win.

We pledge ourselves to conduct the competition in a high-class manner, and we sincerely hope that the various participants will make a clean, hard fight.

In case any controversies arise, they will be settled by a committee which, we believe, will be absolutely fair and impartial.

We urge every reader of The Democrat to pick out a candidate and boost for her. Get all the votes you possibly can for your favorite contestant.

When you make any purchases ask for votes. Merchants participating in the contest have been instructed to give out no votes unless the purchaser asks for them. Simply tell the sales-person from whom you buy your merchandise that you want vote tickets.

If The Democrat's Popularity Contest stimulates local business and gives a contestant a worth-while tour, we feel that it will have been a success.

## AMBASSADOR MELLON

Andy Mellon, "the greatest secretary of the treasury since Alexander Hamilton," leaves his greatest deficit since Alexander Hamilton to go to Great Britain as American ambassador. That he leaves when impeachment proceedings are being carried on against him may or may not be significant.

Representative Patman of Texas, who instituted the impeachment procedure, thinks Mellon's appointment as British ambassador has a definite relationship to the anti-Mellon campaign which has been waged so vigorously of late by certain of our more fearless representatives and senators.

The Texas democrat said last Thursday that the Mellon ambassadorship appointment was equivalent to a presidential pardon in the middle of a trial.

Maybe Pres. Hoover doesn't know it, but public sentiment in the past two years has been going more and more strongly against Mellon. The fact that Andy can get out of such a tight place as he has recently occupied is proof of his power. The fact that Hoover would be so audacious as to deliberately remove Mellon from any investigation is proof that '32 is going to be a great democratic year.

## ABILITY, NOT AMIABILITY

The latest volume of the Dictionary of American Biography just published, contains a sketch of President Warren G. Harding.

"In the first year after Harding's death, his name was so exalted," the biographer writes, "that few could honor or defend him."

"Yet it must be recognized," he continues, "that a heavy responsibility for his record falls upon the party and nation which elected a man of moderate ability, weak judgment of character, excessive amiability and a total lack of vigilance, to so exacting an office." In a minor station he was a useful and likeable man, and it was his cruel misfortune that he was lifted to a post beyond his powers.

Although a kindly feeling for Mr. Harding still survives and grows stronger with time, everyone who reviews his life with discrimination must agree that the biographer's estimate of his character is not unjust.

This year is a "Presidential year." Again the nation is faced by its recurrent duty of choosing a man for its highest office. Various candidates are being trotted out. Chairmen of this and chairmen of that are vying with so-called leaders, promoters, advance agents and press agents in boozing sundry gentlemen of variant eligibilities for the Presidency—very much like trainers and backers in a race of horses or whippets.

Later on limited groups of bosses will gather in hotel rooms as the party conventions wane. Some absent Senator Penrose, as in the nomination of President Harding, will be consulted by long distance telephone.

The moment will arrive when the "convention's voice" will be disclosed to the convention, and—presto—we shall have a President.

But will the heavy responsibility which rests upon the party and the nation in choosing a President, of which the Harding biographer speaks, be met and discharged by such a process.—IN SUCH A YEAR OF CRISIS AS THE PRESENT, WHEN THE AMERICAN PEOPLE NEED AS THEY HAVE SELDOM NEEDED IN THE PAST, THE SERVICE AND THE LEADERSHIP OF THEIR BEST MEN? — Omaha Bee News.

## TWO PROPOSALS

Release of a billion dollars in "free gold" now available in the treasury is proposed in a banking bill agreed upon Wednesday between President Hoover and Congressional leaders.

Such a bill would, it is said, open new avenues of credit to banks.

In the meantime, Senator Borah of Idaho, took issue with President Hoover's administration over direct federal aid for the unemployed. He demanded immediate protection of the "hungry."

Borah challenged Fess of Ohio, who came forward with the administration's answer to the LaFollette-Costigan \$375,000,000 bill. Fess termed this bill "the opening wedge to the dole." Fess said that once established there would be no end to it.

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## ON RESTORING GOOD WILL

Our good friend, J. Boyd Allen of Elm Creek, declares a one-man boycott on industry until such time as industry will trade him as much of its goods for a ton of alfalfa as he used to get, when trade was a fair exchange and no robbery.

Now industry, whether it is treating Mr. Allen fairly or whether it isn't, can't afford to have him mad at it. If too many Alvens get to thinking and acting the same way that's bad for industry, worse even than the debacle of 1929.

Clearly it is to the advantage of industry to regain Mr. Allen's friendship. There are several ways in which it might be done. One would be by trying to convince him that it was doing its best to be fair with him. Another would be to copy the method used by the Japanese. It would go about capturing Mr. Allen's confidence and esteem something like this: It would send gunboats up Elm Creek and shell his barnyard. It would post machine guns at the end of his corn rows and open fire on the cows peacefully gleaning among the stalks. It would fly airplanes over his fields and drop bombs on the huge rootin in his alfalfa.

After this Mr. Allen, according to the Japanese theory, would feel that he had done industry a great injustice. Good feeling and kindness toward it would swell up in his heart and he would bust a gallus trying to spend his money with it again, assuming that he still had any left.

It looks like a bizarre way to go about winning friendship, but there are Shanghai and the Chapei district and Nanking to support it.—Omaha World-Herald.

## ECONOMIC BOYCOTT

A war to end war—that's what we called the last war—a nice phrase but it has a hollow sound now. Wars apparently will not end wars. A new weapon has come into being with the world wide expansion of commerce. This weapon is the economic boycott.

In plain language it means simply to stop trading with a warring nation. It has never been tried at least on a large scale but the idea seems sound. Most wars arise out of commercial or economical conditions. It is reasonable to suppose that the same phenomena that brings wars into being can be used to end them.

Today the nations tremble lest the configuration ranging in the far east spread through the world. Before

has a chance to engulf other nations why not apply an economic boycott against Japan. The United States is Japan's best customer. We buy millions of dollars worth of silk from Japan annually. Let congress stop this buying and we venture the prediction that the commercial interests of Japan would see to it that Japan's attacks on China would cease, and that right shortly. It's worth a try at least.

Incidentally, it might help the cotton market enough to lift the southern cotton farmer out of the slough of despond.—Allen News.

## REPARATIONS AND DEBTS

The conference upon reparations called to meet at Lausanne last month was postponed indefinitely, for the reason that an agreement was unlikely to be reached, in which case it might be better that no meeting had been held.

When the conference was called by Premier MacDonald of Great Britain, he planned that it should consider both reparations and inter-governmental debts and that the United States should participate, but this country has uniformly declined to admit that the two subjects are related, and the action of both houses of Congress in passing resolutions against any further revision of the debt settlements has determined the position of this government at least for the present.

Although the European debtors do not like the attitude of the United States government it would be better for the interests involved if they would accept the situation as it is and endeavor to arrive at a new agreement with Germany upon the basis of what they fear they may have to pay to the United States.

They will gain nothing by making impossible demands upon Germany, whatever may be the outcome of their claims on the United States. President Hoover, by his message to Congress recommending the re-establishment of the Foreign Debt commission, has shown that he is favorable to a re-examination of the debts and undoubtedly he has much public sentiment to support him.—National City Bank Letter.

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Would you like a free vacation trip this summer? Any girl or woman living in Wayne county may have a wonderful summer tour, with expenses paid, if she can amass a greater total of votes in The Nebraska Democrat's Popularity Contest than other contestants.

There are 34 candidates listed, but the more the merrier. IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO ENTER! Fill out the nomination blank which appears on Page Seven of this issue and either mail or bring it in to The Democrat office. The sooner you get it in, the better, because the contest begins Monday, and you'll want to be in right at the start.

If you do not care to enter the contest yourself, nominate some friend whom you believe would have a good chance of winning. Don't feel that your nomination will have little chance, because a small group of friends working hard for a contestant can put that entrant over the top.

It costs you nothing to enter. The reward to the winner is one of three highly attractive summer vacation trips. Think of being given your choice of going to Bermuda, Alaska or Cuba!

Okey that impulse! Enter NOW.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends for the many kind expressions of sympathy extended to us during our recent bereavement in the death of our infant daughter, Marvel Faye.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Anderson.

Evangelical Lutheran Church  
H. A. Teekhaus, Pastor  
Sunday school 10 a. m.  
German service 11 a. m.  
Saturday, Feb. 13, catechetical instruction 1 p. m.

Mrs. Richard Chinn of Wakefield, mother of Prof. C. R. Chinn of Wayne, is seriously ill at St. Joseph's hospital in Sioux City, having undergone a major operation on Tuesday of last week. Prof. Chinn spent Saturday with her at the hospital and Mrs. C. R. Chinn was in Sioux City Tuesday to be with her.

Work of laying natural gas mains from near Mynard on into Omaha will start soon.

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## IN THE GOOD TIMES

When you and I were young Mar-garitt, men wore there boots, let there whiskers grow and swor and chewed tobacco like other folks did, woman wore long dresses and bustles, and underclothes, butter sold for 10c a pound, lthr could be had for the asking, and most of us ask for it; a work day was 10 hours, the hired girl got \$2 a week without a limousine, if you were stuck as in baseball, if you complained with a pain in your right side south of the Meridian you were told to go and soak your head, and eventually full of the days and appendixes, and monkeys roamed around the forests, men voted it straight and took there whiskey the same and nobody saw clouds in the horizon, boys took there girls buggy riding and often attained 10 miles per hour, but did there sparkling in the parlor before 10 o'clock p. m.

The Democrat's Popularity Contest is starting out with plenty of interest and with all contestants determined to win. The one that maintains that spirit most firmly for the next six and one-half weeks is the one that will be taking a splendid vacation trip, with expenses paid, next summer.

At the time this is being written, 20 nominations have been made. There will undoubtedly be more, and readers of the Nebraska Democrat should witness a real contest for a prize that is well worth working for.

Maybe you can think of a more desirable prize than a travel tour—I can't. The educational features of the trip which the winning contestant will receive alone, be worth many times receive, will, alone, be worth many times the effort to be expended in winning.

Walter Savidge passes this along. He says it was written by an actor out of work:

## PSALM XXIII.

REPUBLICAN VERSION  
Hoover is my shepherd: I am in want. He maketh me lie down upon park benches;

He leadeth me beside the still fountains;

He restored my doubt in the Republican party.

He leadeth me in the path of unemployment,

For his party's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of soup kitchens,

I am still hungry.

I do fear evil, for thou art with me. Thy cabinet and thy senate, they do discomfort me.

Thou didst prepare a reduction of my wages

In the presence of my creditors;

Thou unjoined my income;

My cup is empty...

Surely poverty and hard times shall follow me

All the days of the Republican administration,

And I shall dwell in a rented house forever.

All right. Here's your gossip for the week ending Thursday, Feb. 11. Accuracy is our ever-present watchword, so you can be confident that what you read here is

## THE REAL DOPE

Two local business men who have apparently been carrying on a somewhat bitter war are, in reality, in cahoots with each other. Competition, they find, is the life of trade.

Operative 314 reports that a certain Wayne fellah who looks like a Beau Brummel hasn't had but one bath in 14 weeks—and 314 says he can prove his statement. Wonder if he'd do it by digging away the various layers of dirt? (That reminds me of the story which the Iowa Kappas denied so vigorously. The story alleged that they lived in their new house for three months and then called up the plumber, saying "What's the big idea of not having the bath tub connected up?")

Operative 291 reports some highly mysterious goings-on in connection with three people who have been in Wayne in connection with the settlement of an estate. A woman and one of two men, it seems, have been trying to figure out some way to void the other man's claim on any part of the estate. Operative 291 says that the other man, whom he has named The Lone Wolf, sometimes acts ver-

reh, verreh queerly.

A contemplated damage suit, if it ever gets into court, will create somewhat of a sensation. Nope, your guess is all wrong. Just as a hint, the prospective defendant does not live in Wayne.

Substantiation has been lacking for a particularly dirty story which has been making the rounds these last three or four weeks. Without some reasonable proof of the truth of the story, it would be only fair for you and me and you to squelch it.

Several traveling men, snow-bound in Wayne, got filled up on grape juice, proving that the Knights of the Grip can still, upon occasion, live up to their reputation.

Have you heard any of the bootleg phonograph records? They should be suppressed, but there seems to be no way to get at the manufacturers.

This is relayed to Democrat readers via The Wausa Gazette's column, Mixed Pickles:

Stewart Haral, director of publications of Southeastern State Teachers College, has collected some of the more hilarious of such mistakes which are printed in a recent issue of The Quill, organ of Sigma Delta Chi. Here are some headlines which are not all they should be:

Snake Bites Woman; Dies.

Mother of Two Gives Her Mate Some Credit.

Cheese Begins to Show More Life. Wooden Brides to Be Abandoned. Death Takes Lawyer Here for Sixty Years.

Skeleton of One Survivor Quizzed.

Widow of 100 Won't Stay Dead.

Two Convicts Evade Noose; Jury Is Hung.

Poultrymen Hear Egg Talk.

But headlines aren't the only places where the pesky errors creep in, as witness these excerpts from news items:

"If you join the endowment association three months before marriage or birth, you will have three times as much money for the occasion."

"As the ushers bring the offering forward, the congregation will rise and sin."

"For the less formal interior straight hanging unlined draw curtains are helpful in creating an atmosphere of intimate hostility."

"The bride wore an old rose, which is the last word in fall ensembles."

"The Blankville Chamber of Commerce luncheon club will eat tomorrow for the first time in several months."

"Two hundred dollars were left to Penn Asylum for Indigent Widows and Single Women."

"Annual rush to bathing beaches starts as mercury mounts to 883 degrees; but

## Local and Personal

Gertrude Sonner spent Tuesday in Sioux City.

Walter Jack of Pilger was in Wayne Saturday on business.

Gertrude Ross of Winnebago spent Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Emma Baker.

Mrs. Ira George of Omond spent Wednesday as a guest of Miss Margaret Schemel.

Mrs. Fontanelle Smith has been confined to her bed with a serious illness the past week.

Rev. H. A. Teekhaus went to Lincoln Tuesday to attend a meeting. He returned Wednesday.

Miss Margaret Schemel entertained Miss Beryl Kneeland of Allen at her home over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dennis of Tilden spent the week-end in Wayne in the J. T. Dennis home.

FOR RENT: Light housekeeping rooms, board and room, all meals. Phone 587. 218 Lincoln St.

F. G. Philleo has been spending the last few weeks in Wisner with Supt. and Mrs. P. L. Fries.

Mrs. Mary Libengood spent last week-end in Emerson as a guest of Mrs. Frank Prouse and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Merchant and Robert Merchant were in Norfolk on Sunday with the Wayne band.

Miss Eva Glinsdale, instructor in the public schools, spent the week-end at her home in Winneton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wittgow and son, Ervine, spent Sunday and Monday visiting relatives in Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Olsen and small son of Norfolk were callers in the C. L. Pickett home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Sorenson entertained Miss Ruth Riley and Floyd Olsen, both of Hartington, at dinner on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Leuck of Wisner visited Mrs. Leuck's mother, Mrs. M. E. Stubbs, on Wednesday of this week.

Thursday's Omaha Bee-News carried the wedding license of Gustaf E. Peterson of Laurel and Irene Fredrickson of Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dunklau and son, Rupert, of Arlington spent from Saturday until Monday in the E. J. Echtenkamp home.

Mr. and Mrs. Monta Bomer, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Perdue and Miss Grace Chichester were Sunday dinner guests of Miss Lottie Bush.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Dale and E. J. Huntener drove to Norfolk Friday evening, where Mr. Dale refereed a high school basketball game.

Kathryn Lou and Burr Davis will go to Lincoln this week-end to attend the formal dance given by Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gamble were dinner guests of Mrs. J. S. Gamble on Wednesday, the day of their seventeenth wedding anniversary.

Sell your dangerous unused tire mileage to Gamble. 1000 to 7000 miles allowed on new G & J's. For a limited time only.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dolph called on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Killion Monday. They report that Mrs. Killion's condition is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Davis and Miss Pearl Sewell were in Norfolk on Sunday. They called on Mrs. Spencer Jones, sister of Mr. Davis.

R. V. and Mrs. A. A. Hoferer and son were called to Iowa last Friday by the serious illness of Mrs. Hoferer's father. They went by car.

Mrs. Adeline Franck of Omaha, sister of Mrs. Herman Wittgow, left for her home Sunday after spending several weeks in the Philleo home as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wittgow.

Arch Mears, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Mears, came Monday to visit with his parents. Mr. Mears was in Wakefield Tuesday on business and will go to Hartington, Ponca and Wyndham today. He will return to Sioux City Friday.

Word has been received here of the death of J. H. Foster's only brother, Isaac Foster, a resident of Nulachuckee, Tennessee. Mr. Foster died February 4, but nothing is definitely known concerning the cause of his death.

C. L. Pickett went to South Sioux City Monday to attend to business there. He left Wednesday morning for Omaha, where he attended the Nebraska telephone association convention, and will return to Wayne today or tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilcox and daughters and Miss Hazel Johnson, all of Neligh, were in Wayne Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox visited in the Wm. Shaffer home, while the girls were arranging equipment for the summer term at the college.

Fresh Vegetables  
The time of year you will want Fresh Vegetables. You will find them at this store. Crisp firm Head Lettuce, Cauliflower, Brussels Sprouts, Celery, Ripe Tomatoes, Spinach, Green Top Carrots. All priced so you can afford to use them.

## Huntener Is Speaker At Press Dinner

### Editors Elect Elgin Man to Presidency of Association.

Prof. E. J. Huntener of Wayne State Teachers college was the principal speaker at the Northeast Nebraska Editorial association's banquet at Norfolk last Friday evening. "Your Job and Mine" was his subject.

An evident lack of faith in our country, ourselves and our God was stressed. "If we are to get out of this depression," he stated, "there is only one thing that will bring us out and that is your job. We must put people back to work."

Mr. Huntener said that every person who owns property will be called upon to make a sacrifice, in order to preserve the value of property. "If we could call the craftsmen back into the line of work they are best fitted to do," he said, "we would increase the value of our property and put money into circulation where it would do the most good. Business and professional men profit when labor has money to spend."

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The school whose team wins the tournament title will receive a silver trophy.

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J. T. BRESSLER RECEIVES SUPREME COURT VERDICT (Continued from Page One)

by Attorney F. S. Berry. The eastern land-owners, however failed to give clear title to Bressler and Davis.

In 1929, they brought suit against Bressler and Davis for \$40,000 and interest, which, they alleged, remained to be paid on the land. Mr. Bressler filed a counter-suit, asking for the return of money which had been paid by him and alleging that the eastern land-owners could not sell the land to him, inasmuch as they could not present a clear title.

Mr. Bressler's name did not appear on the contract, which was signed by A. R. Davis, but in 1920 he had paid \$100,000 and when the suit for \$40,000 was brought, readily admitted his part in the transaction.

The district court denied the eastern people's claim for \$40,000 and ordered the return to Mr. Bressler of money which he had paid on the land. Agreement with that verdict by the supreme court is accepted by Mr. Bressler as complete substantiation of his claims.

Mr. Bressler and Mr. Hendrickson expect to encounter little difficulty in getting the money, inasmuch as the eastern people involved have clear title to a number of sections of Nebraska land.

Mrs. Campbell said that she is making the study of name origins her hobby for investigation during the coming summer tours of Europe.

Olson Bros. sporting goods store at Sioux City, Iowa, was destroyed by fire Sunday night. Damage was estimated at \$75,000.

Six cars of livestock were shipped from Eustis recently in one day.

The new Lincoln county court house is nearing completion.

The Enders bank may move to Benkelman in the spring.

Efforts are being made to reopen the Tryon state bank.

A corn and egg show is to be held at Homer today.

The Verdel News has moved to a new location.

A new theatre has been opened at Hooper.

Another Freshie! (Looking intently at the bulletin): How's Shakespeare? Sophomore: Oh, he's pretty good old guy if you know him.

## MORNINGSIDE LOSES TO WAYNE, 27 to 37

### Lindamood Leads Scoring in Wildcat Basketball Victory.

Wayne's Wildcat basketball squad showed some of the qualities that make winning hoop teams Tuesdays night, and annexed the long end of a 37 to 27 score from the Morningside college quintette. Morningside had beaten the locals in the first game of the season.

It was Lindamood's night, and that basketball scholar demonstrated to Professor Ray Hickman and the crowd just how "hot" a hoop star can be when he is "right." The score book gave Mr. Lindamood credit for 15 points, and failed to tell the story of several seemingly impossible long shots that looped cleanly through the basket.

Alexander and Andrews decided to make it a successful performance, too, and both of them were credited with 10 points.

Bohns, with nine points, was high man for Morning. Wyant was a close second with seven.

Wayne led at the half, 20 to 11. Morningside came back for the finale and scored seven points before Wayne got under way with an offensive. Once the locals got going, it was all over for any Sioux aspirations.

## Wayne High School Is In Debate Tournament

Wayne is one of 20 high schools scheduled to participate in Midland college's sixth annual invitation debate tournament at Fremont Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Feb. 11, 12 and 13.

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## SOCIETY and Club

### LaPorte Community Club

The LaPorte Community club met on Wednesday for a one o'clock luncheon at the home of Mrs. Otto Lutt, with Mrs. Clarence Preston and Mrs. Eli Laughlin assisting.

After the luncheon and business meeting, a George Washington program was presented by Mrs. Lyle Gamble and Mrs. Carl Sundell. Mrs. Sundell gave a dramatic reading,

"The American Creed," and read a poem, "The Home of Washington."

Mrs. Gamble read a paper on "George Washington, the Farmer."

Mrs. Otto Lutt and Mrs. Eli Laughlin won prizes at the games. The meeting ended with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner."

The club will meet in March with Mrs. F. C. Hammer.

### Anniversary Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Thun and Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Vahlkamp were entertained at an anniversary dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Frevert on Saturday, Feb. 6. The occasion was the thirtieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Thun. Mrs. Thun and Mrs. Vahlkamp are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Frevert. Saturday was also the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hagemann of Wayne. Mr. and Mrs. Hagemann and Mr. and Mrs. Frevert were married at a double ceremony thirty years ago.

### Presbyterian Aid.

The Evangelical Lutheran Aid met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Wm. Plepenstock. The afternoon was spent socially. Guests were Mrs. W. J. Vath, Miss Gladys Vath and Mrs. Harm Weyerts. The Aid will meet next month with Mrs. Charles Bastian.

### Baptist Mission Group.

The Baptist Union and Missionary society will meet today at the home of Mrs. Wm. Watson for a regular monthly meeting. Mrs. James Renich will assist Mrs. Watson. Mrs. Laub has charge of the lesson.

### E. Z. Card Club.

E. Z. card club met last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. C. Herndon. Mrs. R. W. Casper was a guest, and she received high prize. The hostess served. The club will meet Feb. 18, probably with Mrs. Nettie Call.

### Salem Aid.

Evangelical Salem Aid met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Ed Hagemann with ten members present. The afternoon was spent socially and the hostess served. The aid will meet next with Mrs. A. A. Hofeler.

### Presbyterian Aid.

Presbyterian Ladies Aid will meet next Wednesday at the church parlors with Mrs. C. T. Ingham, Mrs. H. V. Moody, Mrs. Fred Bartell and Mrs. Ralph Crockett in charge.

### Central Social Circle.

The meeting of the Central Social Circle, planned for last Thursday, was postponed indefinitely on account of poor condition of the roads.

### Services for Infant Are Held Friday at Carroll

Funeral services for Marvel Faye Anderson, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Anderson, were held Friday afternoon at Carroll, with Rev. H. C. Capsey of the Wayne Methodist church in charge. Burial was in the Carroll cemetery. The baby was born Wednesday morning, Feb. 3, and weighed ten pounds at birth. The child was not destined to be long in this world, and the sympathy of the community has been extended to the bereaved parents.

### Wayne Band Presents Radio Concert Sunday

"The best yet" was the verdict of many Wayne listeners on the radio concert broadcast Sunday from station WJAG at Norfolk by the Wayne municipal band, under the direction of Prof. F. C. Reed. Many Wayne people accompanied the band to Norfolk and heard the program direct from the studio.

A reorganized state bank at Bloomington has been opened.

### Follow This Leader

The new Lincoln county court house is nearing completion.

The Enders bank may move to Benkelman in the spring.



**APPORTIONMENT STATE FUNDS FOR JANUARY, 1932.**

Certified to L. J. Steele, Treasurer of Wayne County, January 27, 1932.

Apportionment of state funds and money derived from Wayne county fines among the various school districts of the county is as follows:

Apportionment as per certificate of state superintendent..... \$3,456.51

From local fines..... 618.92

Total amount apportioned..... \$4,075.43

Number of districts in county entitled to share..... 84

Amount per district of "one - fourth" apportioned..... \$ 48.87

Amount divided among districts according to census ("three - fourths plus fines")..... \$2,826.12

Number of pupils in county entitled to share..... 3,124

Amount per child of the "three-fourths plus fines". \$ 901.72

**Dist.**

No. Census Amount

1	16	\$ 29.33
2	22	34.76
3	20	32.95
4	19	32.05
5	34	45.62
6	27	39.30
7	37	48.33
8	20	32.95
9	103-Hoskins	108.05
10	30	42.00
11	33	44.71
12	6	20.30
13	29	41.10
14	44	54.67
15	47	57.38
16	30	42.00
17	601-Wayne	558.60
18	37	48.33
19	26	38.38
20	18	31.14
21	28	40.19
22	7	21.19
23	28	40.19
24	29	41.10
25	16	29.33
26	13	26.62
27	15	28.43
28	55	64.62
29	34	45.62
30	-Dissolved	
31	41	51.95
32	26	38.38
33	33	44.71
34	44	54.67
35	35	46.52
36	21	33.86
37	21	42.91
38	19	32.05
39	176-Winside	174.10
40	24	36.57
41	22	34.76
42	16	29.33
43	13	26.62
44	26	38.38
45	17	30.24
46	36	47.43
47	30	42.00
48	15	28.43
49	16	29.33
50	19	32.05
51	44	54.67
52	110-Carroll	114.39
53	31	42.91
54	10	23.91
55	40	51.05
56	31	42.91
57	23	35.67
58	23	35.67
59	23	35.67
60	43	53.76
61	26	38.38
62	27	39.29
63	24	36.57
64	18	31.14
65	20	32.95
66	28	40.19
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68	16	29.33
69	22	34.76
70	14	27.53
71	31	42.91
72	22	34.76
73	10	23.91
74	40	51.05

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86	24	36.57

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE HOSKINS STATE BANK, HOSKINS, NEBRASKA, TO FILE CLAIMS**

Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of January, 1932, the Honorable Charles H. Stewart, Judge of the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, wherein the undersigned, E. H. Luikart, as Secretary of the Department of Trade and Commerce of the State of Nebraska, was appointed Receiver of the Hoskins State Bank, Hoskins, Nebraska, made and entered an order pursuant to the terms of which all creditors and persons having claims against said bank are ordered to file the same with the said E. H. Luikart, Secretary of the Department of Trade and Commerce of the State of Nebraska. Receiver, at his office in the City of Hoskins, Wayne County, Nebraska, or with the Clerk of the District Court of Wayne County, Wayne, Nebraska, on or before the 26th day of March, 1932, under penalty of having their claims not so presented forever barred, unless for good cause shown, the Court shall by order direct payment thereof within six months after said day.

Hearing on claims shall be had in Room No. 6 in the Koenig Stein Building, Norfolk, Madison County, Nebraska, upon the 25th day of April, 1932, at 10:15 o'clock, or as soon thereafter as they may be heard. Any creditors not receiving through the mails proper forms for filing claims may procure them from the receiver at his office in the Hoskins State Bank, Hoskins, Nebraska, or from the Clerk of the District Court of Wayne County, Wayne, Nebraska. E. H. LUIKART. RECEIVER. Feb. 4-2t.

**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE**

By virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the District Court in and for the County of Wayne and State of Nebraska, on a judgement rendered and docketed in the District Court of Madison County, Nebraska, on the 8th day of May, 1928, in a certain action wherein Josie Horn was plaintiff and Morris Horn was defendant, in favor of said plaintiff, which judgement was duly transcribed and filed in this court on the 3d day of June, 1929, it appearing from the records that there is still due on said judgement the sum of \$345.60, attorney fees \$75.00, and costs of suit, which execution was directed and delivered to me as sheriff for and in said county of Wayne, I have levied on the defendant's undivided one-ninth interest in the southwest quarter of Section 25, Township 27, Range 2, Wayne County, Nebraska, the same being subject to the life estate of Ruth Horn, therein, and said real estate having a mortgage thereon in the sum of \$5,000.00.

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned sheriff as aforesaid, will sell the above described real estate to the highest bidder for cash at public auction at the east door of the Court House in the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, on the 24th day of February, 1932, at 10 o'clock A. M., to satisfy said execution, together with interest and costs thereon.

Dated this 20th day of January, 1932.

A. W. STEPHENS,  
Sheriff of Wayne  
County, Nebraska.  
Jan. 21-5

**ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES**

The State of Nebraska,  
Wayne County--\$1.

I, Bertha Berres, County Clerk of Wayne County, Nebraska, do hereby certify that at a regular meeting of the board of county commissioners of Wayne County, Nebraska, held on January 12, 1932, the following estimate of expenses was made for Wayne County, Nebraska, for the year 1932.

County General Fund..... \$ 45,000.00  
County Bridge Fund..... 35,000.00  
County Road Fund..... 45,000.00

Mother's Pension Fund... 2,000.00  
Soldier's Relief Fund... 2,000.00

Wayne County Fair and Agricultural Association..... 2,000.00

Total ..... \$121,000.00

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12th day of January, A. D. 1932.  
(Seal) BERTHA BERRES  
County Clerk

**Pays to Take Care of Farm Machinery**

**Years of Life May Be Added by Proper Methods.**

Farm machinery on 40 farms in Greene and Medina counties has been found to have an average length of life of 14 years, according to J. F. Dowler, rural economist at the Ohio State university, who has records of machinery costs on farms in these two counties.

By caring for their machinery these Ohio farmers have been able to add several years of useful life to their equipment. The life span of the sulky plow was extended from 18 to 21 years; the disk harrow, from 12 to 19 years; the corn planter, from 13 to 20; the grain drill from 14 to 23 years, and the mower, from 15 to 21 years.

The useful life of machinery, Dowler believes, can be increased by proper storage throughout the winter, timely repairs, the right kind of lubrication, and better care of the machine while it is being used.

**Cow Herds Employed to Clean Up Grain Fields**

During the past two or three years an increasing number of farmers in Kentucky and other states east of the Mississippi river have established herds of grade beef cattle which they carry on a commission basis.

These herds replace, in many instances, the steer-feeding products on these farms. The cow herds are run more or less as scavengers to clean up grain fields and pastures that are not good enough for fattening steers. These herds are carried through the winter on an inexpensive ration and they make better use of the extremely coarse, rough feeds produced on the farm than any other kind of live stock. The breeding cows do not have to be carried in high condition at any time of the year, and if good judgment is used in the management, it seldom becomes necessary to feed them grain during the winter months. Records kept on a number of farms operating on this basis show that the carrying cost of beef cows, including pasture, taxes, depreciation and bull fees amounts to only \$18 to \$23 a head per year. During this period the cow raises a calf which is more valuable than one which can be bought in the range country and shipped to the feed lot, and the price is much lower.—Southern Agriculturist.

**Roughage in Ration**

In some sections this year, roughage is scarce and high in price. Shipped-in hay is always expensive and to be avoided if possible. Grain is cheap, so feed grain for nutrients and any kind of roughage for bulk. Take corn stover and add five pounds of oats and one pound of linseed meal and you have the equal of a good legume hay at less than half the cost of purchased hay.

It will pay in the short-feed areas to feed the good milking cows well. The others should probably be sold. The dry cows kept over should be kept as cheaply as possible.

A good ration for the short-feed areas where a poor roughage is used may consist of equal weights of ground oats, ground barley, wheat bran and linseed meal. Another might include the same feeds except using wheat middlings in place of the barley. If the roughage is straw, corn stover, or a similar poor feed, the mixture should be fed at the rate of one pound to about three pounds of milk, plus five pounds a day to help the roughage.

**Ration for Pigs**

A good ration for weaning pigs can be made out of the several farm-grown grains and a protein supplement. There is no big advantage to be gained from soaking. A mixture of ground wheat, oats and corn, equal parts, supplemented with 15 per cent tankage should make quite a satisfactory mixture for pigs at weaning time. If you have self-feeders you could feed the grain mixture in one and tankage in another.—Nebraska Farmer.

**Agricultural Hints**

Experts of the United States Department of Agriculture are trying to develop bees with stronger wings to make longer flights and equipped to carry larger loads of honey.

About thirty varieties of soy beans are grown in the United States, but at the government experimental farm at Arlington, Va., more than 2,000 varieties are grown.

The most desirable veal carcass is about six weeks of age and weighs from 90 to 120 pounds. The flesh should be light colored. Too high color indicates age and that feeds other than milk have been fed.

As far as possible, seed corn should be secured from the same section of the state in which it is to be grown.

It is a fact that every game bird from pheasant to quail is more valuable to the farmer alive on the farm than cooked for the table.

Pastures need fertilizing and liming after years of use, the same as other fields. Improvement of old pastures will provide a larger amount of weed and better quality grass.

1000 Votes

**Nomination Blank**

1000 Votes

I Nominate

as a candidate in The Nebraska Democrat's Popularity Contest.

This ballot, filled out and mailed or delivered to The Nebraska Democrat, will count as a credit of 1000 votes for the candidate whose name appears hereon.

1000 Votes

**STATE CAPITOL NOTES**

The Associated Press reports many states are awakening to the impossibility of paying high taxes with the present low prices of labor and farm products. It is gratifying to know that our state has taken the lead in this same movement.

The governor of the state should be a leader, a strong, virile, forceful, resourceful, fearless executive. The governorship cannot be safely entrusted to one without splendid training and wide experience in public affairs. It is highly important that both the governor and members of the legislature be in complete sympathy with the needs and conditions of the people.

Our court procedure is a slow, tedious process. Three years ago the depositors in failed banks won an important decision in the Supreme Court of the United States. And yet, to this date, these unfortunate depositors have been denied the fruits of this court decision by efforts of cunning lawyers.

It is noticeable that the minus sign has become quite a fad in federal mathematics. One thing we should be thankful for is that this condition does not apply to Nebraska.

Borrowings by the federal government are counted by billions; this is President Hoover's plan for getting our country out from under the staggering burden of debt. To pledge sound business to save unsound business is radical and without precedent in this country. It looks to a lot of us like a vain attempt to lift ourselves by our boot-straps. The Hoover plan has been called inflationary. An inflation of the currency is absolutely necessary to save the debtor class. To have inflated the currency by remonetizing silver and issuing of paper money would have been much more safe and sane. But the big banker government can see merit only in some plan that calls for payment of huge sums in interest.

If we common mortals might cancel our debts by declaring that we cannot pay, which is just what European countries are attempting to do, it would be just too bad for creditors in our home land.

When Governor Bryan assumed office in January, 1931, the real estate bureau of the banking department was passing out more than a thousand dollars a month in salaries, without counting expenses, and not selling any land because there was no demand for land under prevailing conditions. The governor wiped out this senseless, useless waste. A reorganization of the banking department, eliminating unnecessary activities, brought about a saving of about \$100,000.00 a year in expenses

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# SOCIETY and Club

Today (Thursday)

A. A. U. W. members will be entertained at a dinner meeting in the R. C. Hahlbeck home.

Baptist Union and Missionary society will meet with Mrs. Wm. Watson.

Degree of Honor will meet at the Panabaker home for a covered dish luncheon and Valentine party.

J. A. O. Kensington meets with Mrs. L. F. Good.

St. Paul's Ladies Aid meets at 2:30 at the church.

Friday:

W. W. G. will meet at the home of Mrs. G. A. Wade.

Oak troop of Girl Scouts meets in the calistheum.

Grace Lutheran Aid meets with Mrs. Robert Frahm.

Rebekahs meet in regular session.

Young People's Bible class meets with Miss Charlotte Ziegler.

Merrymakers have hard time party at the W. W. Roe home.

Saturday:

D. A. R. guest day postponed until February 20.

All-school frolic for college students will be held in gymnasium.

Sunday:

Drama group of A. A. U. W. will meet with Miss Florence Drake.

Monday:

Alberia club will be entertained by Mrs. A. C. Norton.

Light Bearers meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Blair.

U. D. club meets with Mrs. H. B. Craven.

Mrs. R. E. K. Mellow entertains Mrs. R. E. K. Mellow entertains Minerva club entertained by Mrs. Chas. Brown.

B. P. W. will have regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Grace Keyser at 7:30.

Coterie club will meet with Mrs. A. T. Cavanaugh.

Acme club will have one o'clock luncheon at home of Mrs. H. F. Wilson with Mrs. E. S. Blair assisting.

Tuesday:

P. E. O. meets at 7:30 with Mrs. R. W. Casper.

Adolescent education study group of A. A. U. W. meets at the training school in room 533 at 8:30.

Woman's Bible Study circle will meet with Mrs. Dora Benshoef.

American Legion Auxiliary will meet with Mrs. E. W. Huse.

The Order of DeMolay meets in regular session.

Wednesday:

M. I. club meets with Miss Tillie Wischhof.

Circle One of the Methodist Ladies Aid meets with Mrs. Earl Merchant.

Mrs. Wm. Beckenhauer entertains ladies of Circle Two of the M. E. Aid. All are urged to attend.

Harmony club will meet with

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Mr. and Mrs. Beckenhauer, Mr. and Mrs. John Brilsen, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Love and Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Hawkins. The club will have a regular afternoon meeting Feb. 22 with Mrs. Fred W. Nyberg.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. O. S. Roberts entertained 12 children in honor of Betty Jean Robert's seventh birthday Saturday. Many games were enjoyed and Mrs. Roberts served refreshments. Betty Jean received many lovely gifts. Guests were Dorothy Nelson, Carol Jean Nicholaisen, Maxine Johnson, Dorothy Jean Casper, Leah Jean Cauwe, Betty Joe Gildersleeve, Shirley Mae Powers, Margie Fitch, Barbara Heine, Elaine Bentack, Eugene Fox and Jack Phipps.

Bridge Party.

Misses Francina Limes and Barbara Seabury entertained at a bridge party at Nethardt hall Saturday afternoon. Guests were Margaret Fanske, Maryan and Marjorie Noukes, Faunell Beckenhauer, Ruth Gamble, Laura Louise Holmes, Mrs. Gerald Dennis of Tilden and Miss Thiel Lathan of Lawton, Iowa. High prize was received by Miss Fanske and consolation prize was given to Miss Holmes. The hostesses served refreshments.

Bidorbil Luncheon.

Members of the Bidorbil club were entertained at a one o'clock luncheon last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Ben Carhart. There were three tables of bridge and Mrs. A. R. Davis received high score for the afternoon. Mrs. John Hufford now has the high score for the series of meetings. The group will meet next on February 18, when they will be entertained at a one o'clock bridge luncheon at the home of Mrs. Chas. Craven.

Methodist Missionary Group.

The Home Missionary society of the Methodist church met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Carl Wright. Mrs. W. C. Andrews and Mrs. R. J. Kingstorn were assistant hostesses. Mrs. A. W. Ross led the lesson, "Friends All," and Mrs. E. S. Blair reviewed the book, "Looking Backward—Thinking Forward." The hostesses served. Guests were Mrs. K. N. Parke, her mother, Mrs. Frazier, and her sister, Miss Cynthia Frazier.

Club Luncheon

Members of the U. D. and Monday clubs were entertained at a three-course one o'clock luncheon at the home of Mrs. T. T. Jones on Monday. Table decorations carried out the Valentine motif. Dark red roses were used on the table and about the rooms. The afternoon was spent playing bridge, there being six tables in play. High prize was won by Mrs. H. S. Scace. Guests were Mrs. E. E. Galley, Mrs. H. R. Best, Mrs. J. T. Bressler, Sr., and Mrs. Clara Ellis. The committee in charge of the affairs included Mesdames T. T. Jones, C. H. Fisher, W. E. Von Seggern, H. J. Felber, Winifred Main and A. A. Welch.

Methodist Women

The women members of the Methodist church have been divided into three groups or societies. Each group meets once a month on the day that they choose. Group one, which has Miss Nettie Craven as its chairman, will meet at the home of Mrs. Earl Merchant on Wednesday, February 17. Group two, of which Mrs. W. H. Hiscox is chairman, will meet February 17 with Mrs. Wm. Beckenhauer. Mrs. Carl Wright, Mrs. S. A. Lutgen and Mrs. W. C. Fox will be assistant hostesses. The third group met yesterday, February 10, with Mrs. K. N. Parke. Assistant hostesses were Mrs. Eric Thielman and Mrs. Don Fitch. Mrs. Glenn McKay is chairman of this group.

Country Club Party.

Last Thursday evening about seventy-six members of the Country club enjoyed a Valentine card party at the Hotel Stratton. Mrs. H. S. Moses and Mr. John Carhart retained their top positions in the series scoring. The committee in charge included Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gamble, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Holder, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fisher and Mrs. C. Shultheis.

The next party, the third in the series, will be held on Thursday,

Feb. 18, at the Hotel Stratton. Those

on the committee are Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. C.

M. Craven, Mr. and Mrs. L. E.

Brown, Mr. John Harrington, Miss

Lisette Clayton and Miss Ann Houlton.

Westminster Guild.

Presbyterian Westminster Guild met on Thursday, Feb. 4, at the home of the sponsor of the group, Mrs. P. A. Davies, at 4:30 o'clock. Misses Frances Elder, Irene Dye and Frances Cedergren had the lesson on "Sanitary Conditions in Korea." The girls were served a six o'clock supper at the close of the meeting. The group will meet on the first Thursday of next month with Miss Irol Whitmore.

Bridge Party.

Members of the Fortnightly club were entertained at a Valentine bridge party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beckenhauer on Monday night. There were five tables of bridge in play and prizes were won by Mrs. Don Wright and Mrs. Felt Minder. Refreshments were served by the committee in

F. N. G.

P. N. G. met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Guy Williams, with Miss Pearl Sewell and Mrs. Marie Brochert assisting. Roll call was answered by giving household hints and there was an exchange of recipes. Mrs. Faye Fleetwood and Mrs. Mabel Johnson received birthday gifts from the club. The hostesses served. The group will meet next month with Mrs. Ed Miller, with Mrs. I. E. Ellis assisting.

Child Conservation League.

The Child Conservation League met Tuesday evening with Mrs. Homer Scace. Mrs. Frank Korff, Mrs. Fred Dale and Mrs. Baxter Boe read papers on the lesson topic, "Child Culture." Bob Dale and Matie Scace entertained the group with several piano solos. Mrs. Scace served a lunch at the close of the meeting. The group will meet Feb. 23 with Mrs. James Pile.

A. A. U. W.

A. A. U. W. members will have a dinner meeting at the home of Mrs. R. C. Hahlbeck tonight. Hostesses will be Misses Enid Conklyn, Mildred Clark, May Gillies and LaVerne Keetel. Mrs. Mary Honey and Mrs. L. F. Perry. Following the dinner there will be a Washington bicentennial program, with Miss Florence Drake in charge.

Surprise Birthday Party.

Mrs. Lou Owen was given a surprise birthday party last Thursday afternoon. Six guests, Mrs. H. J. Miner, Mrs. W. H. Phillips, Mrs. Winifred Main, Mrs. W. R. Ellis, Miss Katherine Huganir and Miss Jessie Stephen, brought flowers and other gifts for Mrs. Owen. The guests served refreshments which were served at the close of the afternoon.

Bible Study Circle.

The Woman's Bible Study Circle met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. A. P. Gossard. Miss Pearl Beeks led

the lesson. A letter from Mrs. E. B. Young was read in which she stated that she was attending the Columbia Bible school at Columbia, South Carolina. The Circle will meet with Mrs. Dora Benshoef next Tuesday and Mrs. Chas. Simpson will have the lesson.

Lutheran Light Brigade.

The Lutheran Light Brigade, met Saturday afternoon at St. Paul's church, with nine members present. The group took up the study of Indian life and made miniature Indian tepees and canoes. Dorothy Heidenreich and Lois Thompson will have a surprise at the next meeting which will be on Saturday, March 5.

Cameo Club Party.

The Cameo club was entertained at a Valentine card party at the H. D. Addison home last Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beckenhauer were guests. Four tables of bridge were in play and prizes were won by Mrs. Willard Wiltsie and Dr. W. A. Emery. Mrs. Addison served refreshments.

Business Women's Club.

Members of the Business and Professional Women's club will meet on Monday evening at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. Grace Keyser for a regular meeting. Dr. J. G. W. Lewis will speak on some international question and there will be special music in keeping with the Washington Bi-Centennial celebration.

Coterie Club.

Coterie club was entertained Monday at the home of Mrs. L. W. Vath. Mrs. Paul Mines had a lesson on American art, "Present Day Artists and Their Paintings." The hostess served refreshments at the close of the meeting. The club is to meet Feb. 15 at the home of Mrs. A. T. Cavanaugh.

Acme Club.

Members of the Acme club met on Monday with Mrs. Walter R. Weber.

Alpha Club.

Alpha club met Monday with Mrs. D. Hall. Mrs. Wilbur Spahr led

the lesson on the "Private Life of George Washington."

Roll call was responded to by the telling of an incident in Washington's life.

The club will meet Feb. 22 with Mrs. Chas. Hiscox.

Young People's Bible Circle.

The Young People's Bible Circle met Friday evening in the home of Miss Charlotte Ziegler. Miss Genevieve Craig led the lesson and gave a "Chalk Talk." Miss Doris Howard of Norfolk sang a solo. The class will meet with Miss Ziegler Friday evening.

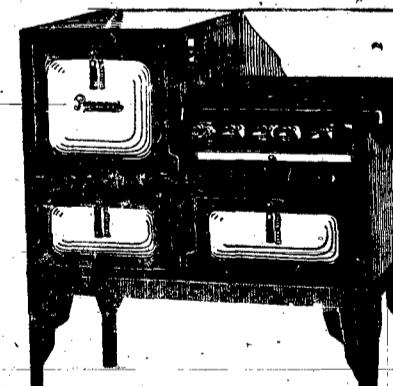
Wayne Woman's Club.

The meeting of the Wayne Woman's club, which was set for today, has been postponed for two weeks. The club will not meet until Friday, Feb. 26.

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