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NEWS OF THE WEEK!

Local Items Gleaned By Our News Gatherers Throughout the City and County. Other Matters of Interest. Notes From the Business Men.

Dr. Ivory, Dentist, Wayne, Neb
Pure Apple Cider at Ingalls Grocery.
R. Philleo was in Omaha yesterday.
The thermometer registered six below this morning.
Mrs. A. T. Chapin of Winside, was a city visitor yesterday.
The Christmas eve dance at the opera house, will be a hummer.
The College dormitory is being rushed to a rapid completion.
See that line of Jackets that Wilson Bros. are closing at \$2.50.
A nice mixed candy only 5 cents per pound at Ingalls Grocery.
Best check gingham, no shoddys; only 5 cents a yard at Ahern's.
Sweet Apples, sweet cider, strained honey and quinces at Brookings'.
The Hughes stock of goods was sold on Tuesday and there was no end of bidders.
The Santa Claus window of R. W. Wilkins & Co. is just about as neat as it well could be.
Andrew Gould will hold a public sale Jan. 6th, on the farm on which he has been residing near Winside.
Supt. elect C. M. White is building a residence on the north side of the block west of the school house.
Neal Harrington is here from Iowa having disposed of his stock of goods. He may decide to locate in Wayne.
The best and largest stock of useful goods for Christmas presents in the city will be found at J. P. Gaertner's.
The Republican will issue a special edition next week. It had been the intention of The Herald to do so, but one at a time is enough.
If you want a good supper for 10 cts. attend the tea to be given by the ladies of the Baptist church at the home of Everett Laughlin this evening, from 5:30 to 7:30. Social during the remainder of the evening, at which light refreshments will be served. All are invited.
Mrs. Madames Frazier, Blair and Beebe gave a series of tea parties the past week, at the home of the former. The pleasant home upon each occasion was beautifully decorated with smilax, fern leaves, day-break carnations, pink and white roses. The tea tables were very daintily set and upon each plate was a unique card with the guest's name hidden in a proverb. The ladies entertained about 110 guests at both parties.

8, 10 and 12 Bars Laundry Soap for 25 cents at Furchner, Duerig & Co's.

Coffee 12 lbs. for \$1; at Wilson Bros.
Sure Cure For Corns—Maute's Footwear.
Miss Grace Ludeke is clerking at the Racket.

A beautiful line of Xmas presents at Ahern's.
A nice mixed candy only 5c. per lb. at Ingalls Grocery.

Landlord Reynolds takes possession of the Boyd next Tuesday.
Mrs. Chas Beebe is visiting with relatives in Stanton this week.

See Gaertner for the prettiest and most useful holiday presents.
See the holiday ads of R. W. Wilkins & Co. and the Racket Store. They have holiday goods galore.

Otto Kruger came down from Winside yesterday afternoon to look after his business interests here.
Only a limited number of phones will be put in before spring. If you want one you had better apply at once.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Cunningham are the proud parents of a daughter which arrived at their home last Thursday.

Don't forget that the big ball of the season will be the Fireman's Ball, Friday evening, Dec 31st. New Year's eve.

Next week The Herald will issue a four page holiday supplement, which will give us an opportunity to get in more local news.

At Ingalls' Grocery you will find the largest stock of choice, fresh groceries, also candy, nuts and fruit, ever brought to Wayne. Come in and see for yourself.

The School Board issued refunding bonds Monday evening at one per cent less interest than the original bonds drew. They were purchased by Imhoff & Co. of Lincoln, and sold at a good premium.

Miss Nettie Craven entertained the Bachelor girls last Saturday evening. An exceedingly pleasant time was had, which we presume is partially accounted for from the fact that the hostess was assisted by her brothers, Charley and Harry.

The little two-year old daughter of Rev. E. B. Young got hold of a bottle containing carbolic acid, on Sunday and before being noticed had drank about a teaspoonful. Mrs. Young at once administered melted lard, causing the child to vomit. Dr. Blair arrived in less than ten minutes, and it is now thought the child will survive, although it was a very close call. Too much care cannot be exercised in keeping such dangerous substances out of the reach of children.

Christmas Neckwear—We are having a special line made up for the Holidays. Harrington & Robbins.

A beautiful line of Xmas present at Ahern's.
Jim Williams went to Randolph yesterday.

A nice mixed candy only 5c. per lb. at Ingalls Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Holtz were Sioux City visitors on Tuesday.

Mrs. S. D. Burgess went to Clayton county, Iowa, the first of the week.

Rev. Knuckey of Stanton, preached two very good sermons at the M. E. church last Sunday.

See our line of Muffs and Fur Sets. They make a Christmas present that will be appreciated. Ahern.

John Dillon, who for years has played to large audiences, and a comedian who has few superiors, will probably visit Wayne in the near future.

We have a nice assortment of everything in the fruit and vegetable line; and a big stock of the choicest nuts, figs, cider, Christmas candies, etc. Ingalls Grocery.

Owing to the severe storm of yesterday the regular meeting of the Sons of Herman has been postponed to Wednesday, the 22nd of this month, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Aug. Piepenstock, Sec.

The Telephone Company will receive a limited number of phones which they will put in for patrons desiring them at an early date, providing that it will not require too much building, before spring; that is, where it will not require putting in more than two or three poles. Make your application at once before the limit has expired.

As the result of too much cheek and an unlimited amount of booze three Weary Willies are now incarcerated in the county jail to board out a fine of \$10 each, having been brought to Wayne by Marshals Brower and Cavanaugh of Winside, while another comrade of the three is lying at the hotel at Winside suffering from a gun shot wound in his leg.

Monday evening they arrived at Winside and took possession of the elevator office of Turner & Brenner and commenced getting something to eat. Mr. Mortimer T. B.'s agent, notified the constable who summoned assistance and arrested the said wearies who were having a "hot time," and placed them in the cooler. Later in the night they attempted to break out by bursting a hole in the side of the building. As one of them stuck his leg out of the hole he was greeted with a charge of shot by one of the deputies or guard, about 70 small shot entering the calf of his leg. He was taken to the hotel and a physician summoned who pronounced the wound as not serious. On Tuesday the others were given a trial with the result as above stated.

Santa Claus at Bookstore

'Till Christmas, with the most complete line of useful Presents he ever brought to Wayne.

All the New and Latest Toys.

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Dolls! Dolls!

METAL GOODS IN ENDLESS VARIETIES!

China Novelties of all Patterns, Fine Art Pottery, Dolls from every clime on earth, Fancy and Toilet Articles for Ladies and Gentlemen, Beautiful Celluloid Gifts, Lovely Banquet Lamps, White Enameled Ware, Musical Instruments, Gold Pens and Cases, Teplitz Ware, Bisque Figures.

BEAUTIFUL MEDALLIONS. ALL THE NEW GAMES,

In fact everything that is new under the Sun from the Flying Bird to the Opal Toilet Articles.

The Prices the Lowest the Stock the Largest. Go to the Bookstore.

ROBERT UTTER.

HELP! HEAD ME OFF

At the Racket,

HOLIDAY HEADQUARTERS

This year as for the past seven years will be at that place. They now have ready for your inspection, the most complete line of Holiday Goods at as Low Prices as it has ever been our privilege to offer.

<h3>BOOKS!</h3> <p>A. B. C.'s in rag, Santa Claus Picture Books, Fairy Tales, and Books of Animals, History, and Adventure for the boys, at unheard of prices.</p> <h3>Handkerchiefs.</h3> <p>We have surpassed ourselves this year. A Gent's Handkerchief, large, silk embroidered initial in corner, any letter, only 15c each. Ladies fine Embroidered Handkerchiefs from 5c. to 75c. Must be seen to be appreciated.</p>	<h3>DOLLS!</h3> <p>All sizes; all prices, from 5c. to \$1.50. You will be surprised at the Size and Quality for the Price.</p> <h3>TOYS!</h3> <p>Everything in this line for the little ones, from a tin horn to Building Blocks; from Trains of Cars to Jumping Jacks.</p>	<h3>GAMES:</h3> <p>Crokinole Boards, Checkers, Dominoes, and all the New Games, cheaper than ever.</p> <h3>Fancy China!</h3> <p>Direct from Japan, Germany and France. We buy from first hands and can give you the benefit. Cups, Mugs, Plates, Berry Sets, Bon Bon Boxes, etc.</p> <h3>Fancy Articles!</h3> <p>Albums, Toilet Sets, etc. too numerous to mention.</p>
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Mufflers of all Kinds and Styles,

At prices from 35 cents to one dollar each.

You can't afford to miss us when in search of Holiday or Staple Goods.

A Merry Christmas to all our Friends. The Racket.

Mufflers and Suspenders—Our Holiday line

will be in next week. Harrington & Robbins.

T. B. Heckert, Dentist, over Miller's.

12 lbs. evaporated peaches for \$1.00 at Wilson Bros.

Don't forget that we are headquarters for Xmas eatables. Ingalls Grocery.

Those up-stairs suits at HALF PRICE are going fast. Harrington & Robbins.

Special prices made on candy, nuts and fruit in large quantities. Ingalls Grocery.

We understand that school closes tomorrow evening for two weeks vacation during the holidays.

There isn't a nicer line of Christmas Goods this side of Omaha than can be seen at Orth's Drug Store.

The educational exhibit at the Trans-Mississippi exposition will be the most elaborate ever attempted. Later we will publish particulars.

The Masonic Lodge has issued invitations for a reception and banquet to be held at Masonic hall in this city, St. John's Day, Monday, December 27.

A fine winter Cape, Jacket or Dress Pattern would be a very acceptable Xmas present for your wife. You will find them the best and cheapest. Aherns.

At the morning service at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath, the following theme will be considered: "Can we or can we not resist temptation?" Evening service: "Some Needful Admonitions." To these services a cordial welcome will be extended to all who desire to attend.

The Democrat was a little hasty in commenting on the rent and fuel allowance of the Wayne P. O. The rent is \$240 per year, the same as A. P. Childs received until Sam Davies went into the building with his news stand, when the allowance was reduced \$5.00, which amount was paid by Sam. The fuel allowance is just the same, notwithstanding the fact that the office is kept open nearly one hour longer each day under the new administration than heretofore, for the benefit of the patrons. If the Democrat wishes to be fair, it will acknowledge its mistake.

Aside from the above it may not be out of place to mention that for the months of October and November there was an increase of 23 per cent in the business of the office over the same two months of last year, and if the present rate of increase is maintained throughout the month, the increase for this quarter over the corresponding quarter of last year will be over 25 per cent, while the money order business for the first half of December is 50 percent greater than for the corresponding period last December and fifteen per cent larger than ever before in the history of the office, during any period of fifteen days.

The Markets for To-Day.

Wheat.....	.72	Oats.....	.15
Corn.....	.15	Flax.....	.80
Butter.....	.15	Eggs.....	.10
Cattle.....	4.20	Hogs.....	2.85

Get your Christmas candies and nuts at Brookings.

Last Saturday evening the Workmen took in ten new members.

A good selection of Jackets left and they go at cost. The Racket.

Note the card of W. F. Norris, attorney at law, elsewhere in this issue.

Noodles, noodles! Try them and you will always want them. At Miller's.

Good cabinet photos at Craven's gallery for \$2.00 per dozen. Get some before Christmas.

Usters handsomely made up in black, brown or gray. \$5.00 to \$8.00. Harrington & Robbins.

If you miss the local news for two or three weeks, just glance at our advertising column and you will see the reason therefor.

Wayne and Wayne county are all right and there are few better places on God's foot stool. Wayne has by no means abandoned a beet sugar factory and we may secure it before the middle of the coming summer.

Agent Moran kindly informs us that the number of cars of stock, grain and sugar beets shipped from Wayne for the year 1897 were as follows: Stock 370 cars; grain, 897 cars; sugar beets, 116. There were also 399 car of cattle shipped in.

Word has been received from Rev. H. H. Millard that he will not go to New Jersey as stated in the papers last week. Mr. Millard desired to make the change principally for the benefit of his wife's health, but for some reason the expected transfer has fallen through with. The Herald is glad to learn that Mr. Millard will remain in this district. Mrs. Millard and Hazel will spend the winter in Ohio, and we trust the change will prove beneficial to her.

HOW OPINIONS DIFFER.

Burk's Uncle Tom's Cabin Company gave a very creditable performance at the Eisley opera house Saturday evening. The audience was a large one and all were apparently well pleased with the performance.—Norfolk Journal.

Spectacles and Eye-glasses.

Colored Glasses and Goggles Properly Fitted at Reasonable Prices by J. F. INGALLS, JEWELER.

USE WOOL SOAP

Guaranteed to wash all Woolen Goods without shringing. For sale at R. W. Wilkins & Co.

We are not in the Soap Business

But will save our Patrons money on

Dry Goods, Cloaks,

Ladies and Childrens underwear and Furnishing Goods. We always lead in

FINE DRESS GOODS,

Silk, Velvet, Trimmings, and Low Prices.

AT AHERN'S.

IT'S A FACT!

Ingalls'

Is the place to buy

- Buckwheat
- Maple Syrup
- Fresh Fruits
- Dried Fruits
- Canned Goods
- Celery
- Candies
- Nuts of all Kinds.

Fresh Breakfast Food

In fact everything to be found in a First-Class Grocery Store.

INGALLS' GROCERY.

West Side Main Street, Wayne, Neb.

The Pursuit of Happiness.

When the Declaration of Independence asserted man's right to the pursuit of happiness...

Deaths from Lightning.

An abstract of some statistics compiled in France on lightning accidents shows that during the past sixty-seven years for every one person killed three or four are wounded.

How to Wash with Ease.

That washing cannot be satisfactorily done with a scant supply of hard water...

Displaced.

Watts-The displacement of men by machinery has been great in recent years.

"KLONDYKE BULLETIN"

Will be published by the S.O. LINE every Monday, containing all the news...

Pity the Blind.

Mary-I actually gave a quarter to a beggar this afternoon, and I am honest enough to admit that I would not have done it if he had not called me "pretty lady."

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together...

Helped Empress Eugenie Escape.

Vice Admiral Duperré, of the French navy, who has just been retired on account of age, is the man under whose escort the Empress Eugenie escaped from the dangers that threatened her in 1870 and got safely on board Sir John Bourgoynne's yacht at Trouville.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Lavative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists find the remedy if it fails to cure.

Oldest Bank Note.

The oldest bank note in existence is in the British Museum. It was printed in China in the year 1368, thirty-two years before Johann Gutenberg, the reputed inventor of printing, was born.

Piso's Cure for Consumption has been a family medicine with us since 1865.

One Woman's Wisdom. He-I think I shall try writing for a newspaper. What do you think of the idea?

She-The idea is good, but you had better inclose the subscription price when you write or they may not send it to you.

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Friendly Persecution in Sickness.

How many invalids would protest, if they dared, against the persecutions they are compelled to endure from friends who feel it their duty to call and condole with the sick.

"How so?"

"I was killed by a friendly call. My neighbor over the way, with a face as solemn as an owl, has just been in to see me, and he kindly remarked that I was so-schanged, he shouldn't have known me, and he hoped I'd pull through, which meant, 'I'm sure you can't last long, poor fellow'; and had I heard that I, who was taken sick at the same time I was, had been given up by the doctors? He mentioned several other equally cheerful remarks, which made me feel as if I should try to a thousand paces!"

"I call like that is enough to kill anybody who doesn't know how to resist the influence of such sympathy."

He Would Not Care.

"What would our wives say if they knew where we are?" said the captain of a Liverpool clipper, feeling his way along the banks of Newfoundland in a thick fog.

Never Awake.

Some people will never wake up till the last horn blows, and then they'll ask if that's the horn for dinner. Delays are dangerous and ruinous. Thousands can say if they hadn't put off an opportunity, they would have been rich and happy.

Changed the Bill.

"It was on one of my early trips," said the conductor. "A well-dressed man got on my car, and when I went to him for his fare he handed me a \$5 bill. I took the bill and examined it pretty close, as I always do with big bills. I didn't have any too much change, so I held the bill in my hand, and said, 'Haven't you anything smaller?'"

By Telephone.

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His Foolish Presumption.

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Refrain Repentee.

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SEALED ORDERS.

In the tender light of each new day's dawning, A white-robed angel the order brings.

No eyes save mine may the message bear.

That places thee where, in thy Captain's judgment, Of faithful service he hath most need.

Ort times thou readest the one word "Outward."

Ort times when the bill blood, leaping, Urges thee on with relentless hand.

But always and ever each soldier knoweth.

Knoweth that each by each He conquered, Learning His army's inmost needs.

Sealed with the seal of the Christ are the orders.

For nearer and nearer, the jeweled bastions Of heaven gleam brightly through the mists of space.

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Little Notion Long in Coming.

Until within a few years spirit levels were made with perfectly smooth sides, and there was more or less danger of dropping them in carrying them about and up and down ladders, and so on.

The loftiest active volcano is Colopaxi.

It is 18,880 feet high, and its latest great eruption was in 1855.

Observe: without labor nothing prospers.

AN OPEN LETTER TO MOTHERS.

WE ARE ASSERTING IN THE COURTS OUR RIGHT TO THE EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE WORD "CASTORIA" AND "PITCHER'S CASTORIA" AS OUR TRADE MARK.

I, DR. SAMUEL PITCHER, of Hyannis, Massachusetts, was the originator of "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," the same that has borne and does now bear the fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher on every bottle of "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," which has been used in the homes of the mothers of America for over thirty years.

LOOK CAREFULLY at the wrapper and see that it is the kind you have always bought.

and has the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher on the wrapper. No one has authority from me to use my name except The Centaur Company of which Chas. H. Fletcher is President.

Do Not Be Deceived.

Do not endanger the life of your child by accepting a cheap substitute which some druggist may offer you (because he makes a few more pennies on it), the ingredients of which even he does not know.

"The Kind You Have Always Bought"

BEARS THE FAC-SIMILE SIGNATURE OF

Chas. H. Fletcher

Insist on Having

The Kind That Never Failed You.

A FORTUNE IN GOLD-MINING FOR 50 Cts.

300,000 SHARES OF STOCK ABSOLUTELY GIVEN AWAY.

THE COMSTOCK PREFERRED GOLD-MINING CO. OF SPOKANE, WASHINGTON.

CAPITAL STOCK \$5,000,000. INCORPORATED.

The largest fortunes have been made by small investments in legitimate Gold Mining. It costs but 50 cents to become a stockholder in one of the largest mining corporations in the Northwest.

EVERY PERSON WILL RECEIVE AT LEAST 10 SHARES.

HE THAT WORKS EASILY WORKS SUCCESSFULLY. 'Tis Very Easy to Clean House With SAPOLIO

I have recently read of four cases where Ripans Tablets relieved people from severe suffering which they experienced from the necessity of living in an impure atmosphere.

Freight Paid on orders of 2000 and over.

PISO'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION

CURE YOURSELF!

Use Big C for nasal discharges, inflammation of mucous membrane, pain, and not asthma.

THE WINS CHEMICAL CO. S. C. N. Y.

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means pain, danger and possible death for some wives. For others it means practically no discomfort at all. There is no reason why childbirth should be a period of pain and dread. Several months before a woman becomes a mother she should prepare herself for the critical ordeal. There is a preparation made which is intended for this purpose alone. The name of this wonderful preparation is **Mother's Friend.**

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DR. REA,
President of the Southern Medical and Surgical Institute, Louisville, Ky., will be at the Boyd Hotel, Wayne, Neb., on **Monday, January 3, '98,** returning every four weeks for one year. Dr. Rea has no superior in diagnosing and treating diseases and deformities. He will give \$50 for any case he cannot tell the disease, and where located, in five minutes. All curable medical and surgical diseases, acute and chronic catarrh, diseases of the eye, ear, nose, throat, and lungs, dyspepsia, Bright's disease, diabetes, liver, stomach, constipation, rheumatism, chronic female and sexual diseases, neuralgia, sciatica, dizziness, nervousness, slow growth in children and all wasting diseases in adults, deformities, club feet, curvature of the spine, diseases of the brain, paralysis, heart diseases, eczema, varicocele, hydrocele, properly treated. Cancers, wens, birthmarks, tumors, red nose and superfluous hair on face or neck removed. Epilepsy or fits cured. Young, middle, aged and old, single or married men, and all who suffer with Lost Manhood, nervous debility, spermatorrhoea, seminal losses, sexual decay, falling memory, stunted development, weak eyes, lack of energy, impoverished blood, pimples, impediments to marriage; also blood and skin diseases, syphilis, eruption, hair falling, bone pain, swelling, sore throat, ulcers, effect of mercury, kidney and bladder troubles, weak back, burning urine, incontinence, gonorrhoea, gleet, stricture, receive searching treatment, prompt relief and cure for life. Both sexes treated confidentially and privately. Piles, fistula, fissure and rupture cured by our new methods. Consultation free.

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Rail Road Time Table
CHICAGO, ST. PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS & OMAHA.

Trains Going East.	
Sioux City Passenger	7:15 a. m.
Black Hills Passenger	2:50 p. m.
Way Freight	7:25 a. m.
Trains Going West.	
Overland Passenger	9:25 a. m.
Black Hills Passenger	4:30 p. m.
Way Freight	2:20 p. m.

BLOOMFIELD LINE.

ARRIVES.	LEAVES.
Accommodation & Pass	7:05 a. m.
	2:40 p. m.
	9:05 p. m.

Sioux City accommodation connects at Emerson with Omaha passenger arriving at Omaha at 11:50 a. m.; connects at Sioux City with all east bound trains. Black Hills train east connects at Emerson with Omaha accommodation arriving at Omaha at 8:00 p. m.; connects at Sioux City with all trains east, west, north and south. Black Hills west connects at Norfolk and Union Pacific. Overland passenger west connects at Norfolk with U. P. accommodation for all points south and west. T. W. MORAN, Art., Wayne, Neb.

RUGS! RUGS! RUGS!
Big Line of Rugs for Christmas, next week. Harrington & Robbins.

Xmas candies and nuts at Brookings. Joe Jones was down from Carroll last week.

Christmas Goods arriving at Wilson Bros. John Haines was down from Carroll Saturday.

Rev. Chilson was down from Randolph Saturday. I will be out of town during Xmas week. Dr. Heckert.

A nice mixed candy only 5 cents per pound at Ingalls Grocery. For Buckwheat Flour and Canada Maple Syrup, see Brookings.

A heavy snow fell Sunday, again making good sleighing. Judge W. F. Norris went to Ponca on business Monday afternoon.

A nice mixed candy only 5 cents per pound at Ingalls Grocery. Only a few gents' overcoats left, but they go at first cost. The Racket.

The most complete line of rubber foot wear at the lowest price, The Racket.

Mrs. T. J. Steele who has been visiting here for some time, returned to Sioux City Saturday.

The best scale on earth for the money, Hartman & Co. U. S. Standard, and Jones at Wayne he pays the freight.

Candy, nuts, fruits, figs, etc., enough for all. Prices are right. A nice mixed candy for 5c. per lb. Ingalls Grocery.

R. H. Graham has purchased the Will Nangle place in the north part of town and will remove to Wayne in the spring.

CARPETS! Our line of Ingrain and Brussels are complete, and prices are fully as low as last year. Harrington & Robbins.

We understand that several well-to-do farmers have about decided to move to Wayne. The population of Wayne will, no doubt, reach 3,000 within the next eighteen months.

There will be a regular meeting of Logan Valley Camp No. 1076, M. W. A. Tuesday night, Dec. 21, for the purpose of the election of officers for the ensuing year. E. Hunter, Clerk.

Is your liver tired? Does it fail to do its duty? If so don't neglect its call for help. A few doses of Herbine may save you a spell of sickness. Herbine is the only perfect liver medicine. It cures chills and fever. 75c. Wilkins & Co.

Pender Times: The esteemed Wayne Herald is still worrying over the loss of Thayer precinct to that county, and thinks the good people of that precinct would like to go back to Wayne county. We had hoped the Waynettes had buried their sorrow. The Thayer precinct farmers seem to be doing nicely, however.

Is your child pny, peaked and peevish? Does it fret and cry without seeming cause? Does it have convulsions? If so it has worms, and White's Cream Vermifuge will safely expel them and restore its health. 25c. Wilkins & Co.

The various reports to the effect that Prof. W. W. Boner had made application for the principalship of the Ponca schools, are without foundation, as the Professor has had no intention of leaving Superior at the present time. A Mr. Maynard, of Tilden, Neb., was employed as principal by the Board of that place last week.

At a meeting of the Fire Department Thursday night it was decided to give the annual ball on New Year's eve, Dec. 31st, and the following committee on arrangements was appointed: T. W. Moran, J. H. O'Hara, Chas. Craven, L. Roe, and A. J. Tracy. The opera house and orchestra have already been pronounced, and the event will no doubt be a pronounced success. Everybody is invited.

Norfolk Journal: F. M. Yeazel, W. R. Hoffman and W. J. Gow of this city, and W. B. Fuerst of Battle Creek, are among the exhibitors at the Wayne poultry show this week. These four have an exhibition nine coops containing thirty-three birds. The Wayne show is reported to be a fine one, and a complete success in every way. A majority of the exhibitors at Wayne will be at the Norfolk show in January.

We are interested in seeing the farmers of this country prosper, for they are our friends and patrons. This is the reason why we commend to their attention The Iowa Homestead, which is one of the greatest aids to successful farming that is published in the West. It is so practical and so full of constantly helpful information on agriculture and live-stock topics that it is hard to see how progressive farmers can get along without it. Its special Farmers' Institute editions, which appear monthly, and are sent out gratuitously to all subscribers, are the most popular and most useful publications in the way of farm counsel that have been devised in many years, for they consist entirely of the discussion, by practical farmers, of questions of immediate practical interest. Send for sample copies of both the regular and special farmers' institute editions, addressing Homestead Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and see how useful they are.

HOW TO FIND OUT.
Fill a bottle or common glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate, or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

WHAT TO DO.
There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in relieving pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold urine, and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet both sent free by mail. Mention THE WAYNE HERALD and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

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MILLER easily wins the great six day Bicycle race at Madison Square Garden, 2,094 miles in 142 hours, and WILKINS & CO. lead in

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For Less Money than the Best, whenever and wherever you seek it.

A Classical Collection of Christmas Novelties, void of the exorbitant price usually asked for this class of Goods.

It will be a Pleasure to Show and Price you Our Goods.

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Out of Sight Styles and qualities. The prices, however, are within the reach of all at MAUTE'S SHOE STORE.

To the Housekeeper:
Towle's "LOG CABIN" MAPLE SYRUP is the product of the Vermont sugar tree, PURE and SIMPLE. Every package is warranted FULL MEASURE, and bears a certificate of purity. INGALLS GROCERY.

Andy Gould and Perrin Long were down from Winside on Saturday.

We mean what we say, FIRST COST on Cloaks and Overcoats. The Racket. If you want a corn sheller, feed grinder or fanning mill you will find them at Eli's.

Get your photos taken at Craven's gallery and give them to your friends for Christmas presents.

It is easy to catch a cold and just as easy to get rid of it if you commence early to use One Minute Cough Cure. It cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, pneumonia and all throat and lung troubles. It is pleasant to take, safe to use and sure to cure.

Here is a straight tip from a newspaper called Brains: "There is only one way to advertise, and that is to hammer your name, your location, your business so constantly, so persistently, so thoroughly into the people's heads that if they walk in their sleep they will constantly turn their steps toward your store. The newspaper is your friend in spite of your criticism. It helps to build up the community that supports you. When the day comes that the newspapers are dead the people are on the edge of the grave with nobody to write the epitaph."

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If you wish to buy a nice Christmas Present, one that will be appreciated, we have just what you want. Have just received a fine line of

Handsome Pictures,

Come in and see them. Have also added New Furniture to my already large stock.

Chamber Suits, Rockers, Etc.

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A Tennessee lady, Mrs. J. W. Towle of Philadelphia, Tenn., has been using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for her baby who is subject to croup, and says of it: "I find it just as good as you claim it to be. Since I've had your cough remedy baby has been threatened with croup ever so many times, but I would give him a dose of the remedy and it prevented his having it every time." Hundreds of mothers say the same. Sold by L. P. Orth.

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CURES NOTHING BUT PILES.
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W. H. McNEAL, Editor.

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PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY.

Bryan is down in Mexico now. When he reached the Capitol he was tendered a royal reception, and later they listened to his beautiful silver harangue.

President McKinley's mother died at her home in Canton at 2 o'clock Sunday morning, and the sympathy of the American people go out to the President in his sad bereavement.

If Wayne county's crops next year are not the largest ever known just remind us of it when the time comes. With splendid snows and the seasons in accordance with the rules of nature, there can be but one result.

The Stanton Register man became warm under the gills last week and told us to "go take off our shoes and soak our brains." We had his neck...

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.



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NOTICE.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the office of the County Clerk of Wayne county, Nebraska for the following work and supplies, bids to be filed on or before noon of the 1st day of January, A. D. 1898.

1 For County Physician—To render all necessary attendance and furnish all medicines necessary for all persons who are, or may become a county charge

PLEASANT VALLEY.

Mr. Hardy and family will locate in Missouri in the spring.

William Murphy is the happy possessor of a span of mules.

There will be a Christmas tree at Pleasant Valley, Saturday eve, Dec. 25.

Revival meetings begun at the school house last week, but roads and weather are very unfavorable.

Miss McVay visited at W. W. Hardy's last Saturday. She has many sympathizing friends in her late misfortune.

Mr. Barrett's house was treated to a layer of new siding last week.

Miss Nettie Soders has returned to her Pleasant Valley home.

Notwithstanding the nice fall for harvesting the corn crop, very few are ready for the snow which some dare say has come to stay.

We fear the jack-rabbit tribe will be exterminated unless they soon learn to use stilts. They are easily run down in the deep snow. Walter Hariburt had 26 hanging on his house at one time last week.

Fur Coats: We can satisfy all, this season. Harrington & Robbins.

Special Holiday Rates:— For the Christmas and New Year holidays excursion tickets will be sold Dec. 24-25-31, 1897, and Jan. 1, 1898, at One and One-Third fare for the Round Trip; good returning until and including Dec. 31, 1897.

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From the Crowds of People Who Obtained a Free Sample of His Pills at

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From 10 to 25 per cent less

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SUPPLEMENT TO THE WAYNE HERALD.

WAYNE, NEBRASKA, DECEMBER 16, 1897.

Beware Of Mercury!

Mr. Henry Roth, of 1848 South 9th Street, St. Louis, was given the usual mercurial treatment for contagious blood poison. He was twice pronounced cured, but the disease returned each time, he was seized with rheumatic pains, and red lumps and sores covered his body. "I was in a horrible fix" he says, "and the more treatment I received, the worse I seemed to get. A New York specialist said he could cure me, but his treatment did me no good whatever. I was stiff and full of pains, my left arm was useless so that I was unable to do even the lightest work. This was my condition when I began to take S. S. S., and a few bottles convinced me that I was being benefited. I continued the medicine, and one dozen bottles cured me sound and well. My system was under the effects of mercury, and I would soon have been a complete wreck had not for S. S. S."

S. S. S., (guaranteed purely vegetable) is the only cure for real blood diseases. The mercurial treatment of the doctors always does more harm than good. Beware of mercury! Books on the disease and its treatment mailed free to any address by Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.

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Leave Omaha at 1:30 this afternoon on the Burlington's "Denver Limited" and you're in Denver at 7:15 tomorrow morning; 538 miles in a single night! Sleeping, chair and dining cars, vestibules, gas light. Tickets at offices of connecting lines.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

School Shoes, Solid Leather 95c. and upward at Maute's Shoe Store.

Editor McKean was here from Winside on Saturday.

Sleighting has been all the go this week, and it's fine.

Postmaster Tracy was down from Winside on Sunday.

Alex Scott jr. went to Omaha on business Monday morning.

We make a FIRST-COST price on ladies Jackets and Men's Overcoats, to close. The Racket.

Chas. Turner arrived from Minneapolis Saturday evening and remained a few days.

Ponca Journal: Mrs. T. A. Berry of Wayne, has been visiting relatives and friends at this place.

The city was crowded with people Saturday, and the merchants, for the most part, had a big trade.

Dress Over-Coats in handsome black blue and brown, ranging from \$5.00 to \$10.00. Harrington & Robbins.

We have everything in warm footwear, lined shoes for Children, Ladies and Gents. See them. The Racket.

Ludwig Ziemer has been appointed postmaster at Hoskins. The HERALD extends congratulations to Mr. Ziemer.

Mrs. McVicker went to Wakefield Saturday afternoon to visit over Sunday with her parents south of that place.

Sheriff Reynolds took Mrs. Henski who resided south of Wakefield, to the asylum at Norfolk Monday, she having become insane.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A good second hand organ. Will sell cheap for cash; or trade for corn, oats or pigs. Inquire at The HERALD office.

Ballard's Snow Lintiment will cure lame back, sore throat, wounds, sprains, bruises, cuts, old sores. Ladies, it will cure your backache. Wilkins & Co.

FOR SALE—A pair of Morgan & Wright 28 in. D. double tube, quick repair bicycle tires, with pump and repair outfit. Will sell them cheap. Call at the HERALD office and see them.

Miss Altie Hughes, Norfolk, Va., was faintly burned on the face and neck. Pain was instantly relieved by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which healed the injury without leaving a scar. It is the famous pile remedy. L. P. Orth.

Wisner Civ. in Westpoint Republican: Smith McManigal came to town recently from Wayne county and every one thought sure he had a double wag on box heaped up with "John" rabbits; but it was found there was a load of wheat underneath the rabbit.

J. A. Perkins of Antiquity, O., was for thirty years needlessly tortured by physicians for the cure of eczema. He was quickly cured by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the famous healing salve for piles and skin diseases.—Orth.

The masquerade given by the Band last Friday evening brought out a large crowd of spectators and a good many dangers. About 100 were masked, and it was a merry crowd throughout the evening. It was also a financial success for which the boys return thanks.

A horse running promiscuously thro' the streets ran in between the horses and wagon of J. H. Merrill's city delivery Saturday and for a while there was a general "mix-up." The double trees and tongue were broken. Mr. Merrill hung on to the lines and fortunately no other damage occurred, although it was a narrow escape for him.

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Rail Road Time Table

CHICAGO, ST. PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS & OMAHA.	
Trains Going East.	
Sioux City Passenger	7:15 a. m.
Black Hills Passenger	2:30 p. m.
Way Freight	7:25 a. m.
Trains Going West	
Overland Passenger	9:25 a. m.
Black Hills Passenger	5:00 p. m.
Way Freight	3:20 a. m.

BLOOMFIELD LINE.	
ARRIVES.	DEPARTS.
Accommodation & Pass	7:35 a. m.
	2:40 p. m.
	9:30 a. m.
	5:30 p. m.

Sioux City accommodation connects at Emerson with Omaha passenger arriving at Omaha at 11:50 a. m.; connects at Sioux City with all east bound trains. Black Hills train east connects at Emerson with Omaha accommodation arriving at Omaha at 8:00 p. m.; connects at Sioux City with all trains east, west, north and south. Black Hills west connects at Norfolk with U. P. and trains south and west. Overland passenger west connects at Norfolk with U. P. accommodation for all points south and west. T. W. MOHAN, Agt., Wayne, Neb.

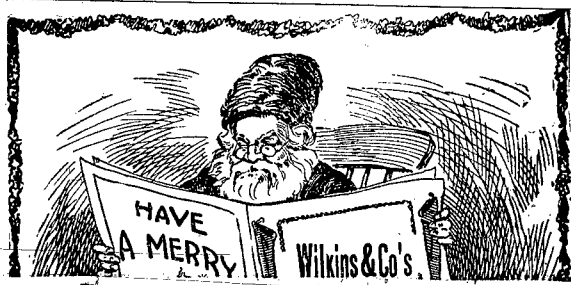
RUGS! RUGS! RUGS!

Big Line of Rugs for Christmas, next week. Harrington & Robbins.
Xmas candies and nuts at Brookings.
Joe Jones was down from Carroll last week.
Christmas Goods arriving at Wilson Bros.
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Rev. Chilson was down from Randolph Saturday.
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moras, J. H. Omaha, Chas. Craven, L.
Roe, and A. J. Tracy. The opera house
and orchestra have already been pro-
cured, and the event will no doubt be a
pronounced success. Everybody is in-
vited.

Norfolk Journal: F. M. Yeazel, W.
R. Hoffman and W. J. Gow of this city,
and W. E. Fager of Battle Creek, are
among the exhibitors at the Wayne
poultry show this week. These four
have on exhibition nine coops contain-
ing thirty-three birds. The Wayne
show is reported to be a fine one, and a
complete success in every way. A ma-
jority of the exhibitors at Wayne will
be at the Norfolk show in January.

We are interested in seeing the farmers
of this country prosper, for they are
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build up the community and support
you. When the day comes that the
newspapers are dead the people are on
the edge of the grave with nobody to
write the epitaph."

HOW TO FIND OUT.
Fill a bottle or common glass with ur-
ine and let it stand twenty-four hours;
a sediment or settling indicates an un-
healthy condition of the kidneys. When
urine stains linen it is evidence of kid-
ney trouble. Too frequent desire to
urinate, or pain in the back, is also
convincing proof that the kidneys and
bladder are out of order.

WHAT TO DO.
There is comfort in the knowledge so
often expressed that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp
Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills
every wish in relieving pain in the back,
kidneys, liver, bladder and every part
of the urinary passages. It corrects in-
ability to hold urine, and scalding pain
in passing it, or bad effects following
use of liquor, wine or beer, and over-
comes that unpleasant necessity of be-
ing compelled to get up many times
during the night to urinate. The mild
and the extraordinary effect of Swamp
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highest for its wonderful cures of the
most distressing cases. If you need a
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A Tennessee lady, Mrs. J. W. Towle of
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Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for her
baby who is subject to croup, and says
of it: "I find it just as good as you blaim
it to be. Since I've had your cough
remedy baby has been threatened with
croup ever so many times, but I would
give him a dose of the remedy and it
prevented his having it every time."
Hundreds of mothers say the same.
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Bryan is down in Mexico now. When he reached the Capitol he was tendered a royal reception, and later they listened to his beautiful silver harangue.

President McKinley's mother died at her home in Canton at 2 o'clock Sunday morning, and the sympathy of the American people go out to the President in his sad bereavement.

If Wayne county's crops next year are not the largest ever known just remind us of it when the time comes. With splendid snows and the seasons in accordance with the rules of nature, there can be but one result.

The Stanton Register man became warm under the gills last week and told us to "go take off our shoes and soak our brains." We beg his pardon; this is no populist paper and we don't care to assume the functions of any pop editor.

The Chronicle is pleased to learn that Judge W. F. Norris has decided to locate in Wayne. He is one of Nebraska's brightest and best men and we should be sorry to see him leave this section for the Pacific slope or any other distant shore.—Wisner Chronicle.

The fifty largest post-offices in the United States show an increase in business of over 12 per cent, while the business for the month of November, was the largest ever known. The same thing applies in nearly all of the smaller offices, and among them the Wayne P. O. If it isn't a sign of prosperity, what is business a sign of?

President McKinley's message to Congress did not destroy the confidence of the people, and business moves along better than before, even if some people do want to see Spanish blood spilled by Uncle Sam in the interest of the Cubans. The Cubans will gain their freedom through the diplomacy of Uncle Sam, without the spilling of blood.

The York Times says that "every man should try to do all that he can and the best he can, but it is foolish to undertake more than he can accomplish. If every man knew his size and the limit of his ability there would be far less failures in the world. Everybody can do something but some can do more than others. The man who correctly estimates his capacity and the energy and courage to do what he can and attempt no more is a very fortunate man and usually a very successful one."

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 13.—If the taxes Nebraska farmers are paying this year in proportion to previous years are to be accepted as an evidence of the progress of the wave of prosperity the situation in this state is improving daily. Thus far more taxes have been paid this year by \$200,000 than in any previous year, and in addition, delinquent taxes covering the last four years have been paid in large amounts. The state officials have been using an extra clerk this year to attend to the delinquent taxes alone, the amount being so much in excess of previous years that the regular channels found it impossible to handle it. This is particularly true of the extreme western section of the state. The improvement is more noticeable in the rural districts than in the cities, though the percentage of taxes paid all over the state is 40 per cent. greater than at any previous period for the same time.

Populist newspapers are wickedly silent on the matter of Porter's recent unwarranted conduct in opening election returns contrary to law. They seem to think that the king can do no wrong, or, if they have other ideas, are afraid that to utter them might injure the party in next year's contest. Such venal subservency to partisanship is very reprehensible. It is a distinct menace to free institutions when the representative educators in a dominant political organization are wickedly and perversely blind to the misdeeds of those whom they have exalted to places of trust and responsibility. Republican papers were swift to condemn the evil deeds of men who violated the confidence reposed in them, but from the date of the attempted recount steal to the present time, populist papers have condoned every offense against law charged and proven against the men they supported for office. Pop county treasurers have defaulted, but not a man of the whole lot has been asked to come into court and show cause why he should not go to the penitentiary. Pop school treasurers have spent for rum the money that belonged to the taxpayers without a word of protest from the papers that should have been the first to condemn. There are gross, perverse and wanton characters in all parties, but there has never before existed in this country an organization that seems to sanction lawlessness and abuse of power as the pops have done. In view of these indisputable facts all good citizens should manifest a commendable anxiety for the coming of the next general election so they can repair the injury to Nebraska by voting the republican ticket.—Bixby.

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NOTICE.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received at the office of the County Clerk of Wayne county, Nebraska for the following work and supplies, bids to be filed on or before noon of the 1st day of January, A. D. 1898.

1 For County Physician—To render all necessary attendance and furnish all medicines necessary for all persons who are, or may become a county charge upon the said Wayne county, and all those whose circumstances are such as to require the county to provide for their such attendance and medicine, whether inmates of the county poor house or not, and all prisoners that may be in the county jail during the year. Said physician to furnish at his own expense, all necessary medicines for persons dependent upon the county for same, and also perform all surgical work for all such persons, including the prisoners aforesaid.

2 For County Poor House—To furnish a suitable house or buildings for a County Poor House, to furnish fuel, lights, furniture and bedding for the inmates thereof, to act as superintendent of said poor house, also to board and care for said inmates, including washing and ironing. Bids to be at so much per year for the building, fuel, lights, furniture, bedding and services as superintendent, and so much per week for boarding, washing, etc.

3 County Printing—For printing and publication of the commissioners' proceedings, delinquent tax list, road and bridge notices and all notices and statements and all other printing by law required to be done by the county, including treasurers statements, superintendent's notices, etc.

4 Books and supplies—3000 tax receipts, printed and bound same as now in use.

Record books, printed, medium, 8q, patent flat opener, Byron & Weston 40 lb, with canvas jacket, best binding.

Record book, plain, same as above.

7 doz Road and Rev. laws (1897 same as published by State Journal)

3 doz. road overseer return books.

100 road overseer receipt books, 50 to the book.

25 name tabs, 13 twp. tabs, 1 set alphabet tabs (leather, for tax list).

3 reams Dundee legal, 16 lb, numbered lines.

3 boxes typewriter paper 8 x 13 onlon skin.

6 boxes typewriter paper 8 x 13 medium.

6 boxes typewriter paper 8 x 13 heavy.

6 reams teachers' examination paper.

100 sheets carbon paper 8 x 13.

5 typewriter ribbons.

1 oil.

10 doz cork tip Bank per holders.

6 gross Spencerian pens No. 1.

4 gross No. 3 Perkins.

3 " " 15 "

2 " " 15 "

1 " pencils, A. W. Faber, No. 5.

2 " Dixon Hex. " 5.

1 " Dixon round " 3.

2 12-inch rubber ruler.

1 24-inch " "

1 doz steel erasers, one blade.

1 Tower's multiplex rubber No. 12

1 " A. W. Faber's ink and pencil erasers.

3 Davis Aut. inkstand.

1 doz Pyramid pins.

4 boxes E. Faber Vag. bands No. 1150

3 gross

200 Rev envelopes, printed No. 250.

1,000 blotters cut 4 x 9.

100 figuring pads 2 x 4, ruled 2 sides.

200 figuring pads, 3 1/4 x 4.

PLEASANT VALLEY.

Mr. Hardy and family will locate in Missouri in the spring.

William Murphy is the happy possessor of a span of mules.

There will be a Christmas tree at Pleasant Valley, Saturday eve, Dec. 25.

Revival meetings begun at the school house last week, but roads and weather are very unfavorable.

Miss McVay visited at W. W. Hardy's last Saturday. She has many sympathizing friends in her late misfortune.

Mr. Barrett's house was treated to a layer of new siding last week.

Miss Nettie Soders has returned to her Pleasant Valley home.

Notwithstanding the nice fall for harvesting the corn crop, very few are ready for the snow which some dare say has come to stay.

We fear the jack-rabbit tribe will be exterminated unless they soon learn to use stilt. They are easily run down in the deep snow. Walter Hariburt had 26 hanging on his house at one time last week.

Fur Coats:—We can satisfy all, this season. Harrington & Robbins.

Special Holiday Rates:—For the Christmas and New Year holidays Excursion tickets will be sold Dec. 24-25-31, 1897, and Jan. 1, 1898, at One and One-Third fare for the Round Trip; good returning until and including Jan. 4th, 1898. T. W. Moran, Agent.

Mrs. Stark, Pleasant Ridge, O., says: "After two doctors gave up my boy to die, I saved him from croup by using One Minute Cough Cure." It is the quickest and most certain remedy for coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. L. P. Orth.

Mrs. M. B. Ford, Ruddell, Ill., suffered for eight years from dyspepsia and chronic constipation and was finally cured by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for all stomach and liver troubles.—Orth.

Bullard's Horehound Syrup is not a mixture of stomach destroying drugs, but a scientifically prepared remedy that cures coughs and colds and all throat and lung troubles. Its action is quick, prompt and positive. 25 and 50 cents. Wilkins & Co.

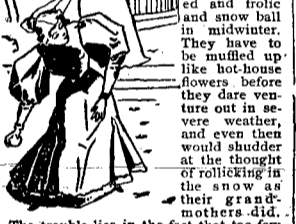
Democrat: W. A. Hunter, who has been working for T. B. Hughes, received a telegram Sunday announcing the death of his father, and left on the afternoon train for Malvern, Iowa, to attend the funeral.

Snow Balling.—About one young woman in ten now days would dare to run out bare headed and bare handed in the snow and snow ball in midwinter. They have to be muffled up like hot-house flowers before they dare venture out in severe weather, and even then would shudder at the thought of rolling in the snow as their grandmothers did.

The trouble lies in the fact that too few women enjoy perfect health and strength of the special womanly organism. A woman who is not well and strong locally cannot enjoy good general health. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures all weakness and disease of the delicate and important organs concerned in wifehood and motherhood. It is the most perfect and scientific remedy ever devised for the peculiar ailments of women. It restores womanly power, strength and vitality. It tones and builds up the nerves which have been shattered by suffering and disease. It corrects all irregularities and derangements and stops exhausting drains. It restores weak, nervous invalids to perfect health. It is indicated for this one class of disorders and is the discovery of Dr. R. V. Pierce, for thirty years chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute at Buffalo, N. Y. No other known medicine can take its place. "I have been troubled with female weakness that my physician called catarrh of the womb," writes Miss Tean Conner, of Catfish, Clarion Co., Pa. "I doctored for it and did not get better. At last I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I got better right along and when I had taken four bottles was cured. I recommend the Favorite Prescription to a friend of mine. She has been using it and thinks it is wonderful."

Constipation is a little illness that if neglected builds a big one. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. One little "Pellet" is a gentle laxative and two a mild cathartic. They never gripe.

There is no medicine in the world equal to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for the cure of throat and lung diseases. This is a fact that has been proven in numberless cases. Here is a sample of thousands of letters received: "I have tried Chamberlain's Cough Remedy while suffering from a severe throat trouble, and found immediate and effective relief. I can unhesitatingly recommend it."—E. W. Whitmore, Editor Grand Rivers, Ky., Herald. For sale at Orth's drug store.



Probate Notice to Creditors.
Dec. 9-4 w.
In the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska:

In the matter of the estate of Mary Elizabeth Bard, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that the creditors of the said deceased will meet the executor of said estate, before me, County Judge of Wayne county, Nebraska, at the County Court Room in said county, on the 31st day of December, 1897, and on the 4th day of June, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for creditors to present their claims and one year for the executor to settle said estate, from the 4th day of December, 1897. This notice will be published in the Wayne Herald for four weeks successively prior to the 31st day of December, 1897.

Witness my hand, and seal of said court this 9th day of December, A. D. 1897.

E. MARTIN, County Judge.

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Our fellow townsmen, Wilkins & Co., the Druggists, did not expect so soon to get favorable reports from applicants who procured from them free samples of Dr. Hobbs Sparagus Kidney Pills.

The tests made so far by the users of the free samples, show that these remarkable pills produce favorable results with a degree of quickness heretofore unknown in the treatment of Kidney, Bladder and Blood diseases, and allied ailments.

Those who have used them have been encouraged to persevere with the treatment, knowing that they could not expect the five days treatment contained in the sample box, notwithstanding the remarkable results obtained so far, would effect a complete cure. Kidney disease is of imperceptible and insidious growth; it takes months to develop even the symptoms. Reason and experience suggest that it takes more than a few days to cure. Fortunately, Dr. Hobbs Sparagus Kidney Pills begin the good work of cure with the first dose. The results are evident from the beginning. The delightful effects of these pills induce the patient to continue their use until cured. They are easy to take, easy to buy, easy to get, and abundant in good results.

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Generally satisfactory. Washington correspondence: Upon the reassembling Congress finds that the few months which have passed since it was called in special session by President McKinley have been extremely satisfactory in their developments. The tariff law, which was placed upon the statute books by the action of the special session, has fully justified the predictions of its framers and supporters. The administration has made splendid progress in its work with reference to foreign affairs, while the reports which members of Congress bring from all parts of the country show vastly improved business conditions.

Increased earnings among farmers, increased earnings by railroads and railroad men, increased earnings among mine operators and mine workers, increased earnings among manufacturers; these are the reports which members bring from every part of the country. From Kansas alone comes an official report placing the value of farm products in that State this year at over \$10,000,000, an increase of more than 20 per cent as compared with last year, while the reports of mortgages cancelled in that and all of the farming States are equally gratifying. From the manufacturing and mining sections the reports are quite as favorable. Members from the manufacturing sections of New England and the Ohio valley report large increases in number of people employed and that an increase in wages is now being had in many cases. Naturally the first effect of a protective tariff is to increase the number of people employed, and it is not until the second stage of its work has been reached that the effect is felt in the increase in wages. This is now making itself apparent. Reports of increased wages come not alone from the manufacturing centers, but from the great iron mines of Pennsylvania, Michigan and elsewhere, and from other industries of this character in the Ohio valley.

One subject for which members of Congress of both parties are looking with interest is the statement of Senators Pettigrew, Mantle and Dubois, who hurried away from Washington at the close of the special session to visit Japan. It was announced that their object in making this trip was to examine into the causes which led Japan to abandon the silver standard and fall in line with the progressive gold standard nations of the world. Japan, it will be remembered, was a shining example of free silver prosperity during the discussions of 1896 and no single incident since the defeat of 1896 so much disturbed the silver advocates as the loss of Japan from their list of silver standard countries. It was because of this fact that the silver advocates scurried away to interview these Yankees of the Orient and find out just how they had been "taken in" by the gold schemers of Europe. These gentlemen, although they returned from Japan weeks ago, have been absolutely silent, and their coming to Washington is looked forward to with much interest, as there will be a disposition on the part of members of both parties to insist upon either a definite report or an explanation of their silence. The fact that they have had nothing to say since they returned is considered, to say the least, suggestive of failure to find in Japan any sufficient argument in support of their silver theory.

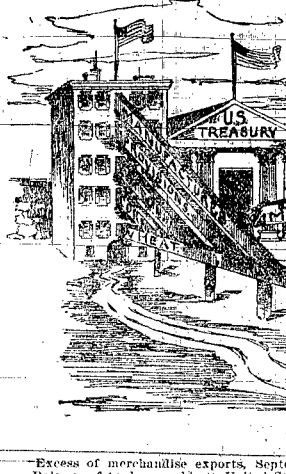
Another subject which interests members of Congress much on their return is the announcement that all American prisoners in Cuba have now been set at liberty. It will be remembered that this administration, when it came into office nine months ago, found that a very large number of American citizens were confined in Cuban prisons and had been so confined in many cases for months. Within less than a single month many of these were released, and now Congress finds upon reassembling that through the firm but conservative course of the administration every American citizen who was thus confined in Cuban prisons and had been so confined for months, if not years, has been set at liberty. This fact is already having its effect in modifying the disposition on the part of certain people to criticize the course of the administration in regard to Cuban affairs and to lead to a feeling that the President and his advisers, if permitted to carry out their plans, will shape the matter in a satisfactory way.

The operations of the tariff law during the four months since Congress placed it upon the statute books and left it to begin its career in the face of adverse conditions, have been very satisfactory. With a hundred million dollars' worth of surplus foreign importations upon the markets of the country, the conditions in which it entered upon its work were, of course, extremely unfavorable. In the face of that fact, however, its earnings have steadily increased, beginning with a little over \$19,000,000 in its first month, and now reaching more than \$25,000,000 in November. In each month since the tariff bill was placed upon the statute books the earnings have increased, and the Treasury officials who have been studying the new law carefully are thoroughly satisfied with its prospects as a revenue producer. Probably no man in the

Treasury Department is better capable to judge of these matters than Assistant Secretary Howell, who has grown up in the customs service from a subordinate position to the position which he now holds—Assistant Secretary of the Treasury. He says frankly that he thinks the earnings of the new law will be sufficient after the opening month of the coming year to meet financing expenses. The enormous stock of sugar, wool and other articles which had been brought into the country before the new law went into effect, said Mr. Howell, talking to your correspondent, "will have been pretty well used up by the end of the present year and the importations will be resumed. When this is done, I think the earnings of the new law will be very satisfactory. We are now getting \$25,000,000 a month, and the revenue from sugar alone will be about 5,000,000, while the increase from other sources will also be very considerable. So, it seems to me, that Congress, when it looks over the field and sees what the new law has done and what it is likely to do in the near future, will have no occasion to regret its action or to enter upon any further revenue legislation at present least."

Thankful Kansas. The Governor of Kansas put a special clause of thanks in his Thanksgiving proclamation this year for the prosperity and good times that had

THE RIGHT SORT OF CHINESE WALL



Excess of merchandise exports, September, 1897. \$92,281,157. Balance of trade, payable to United States in coin or bullion. 57,000,000.

come to Kansas. The Governor was elected on the ticket which supported Free-trader Bryan and his un-American policy of giving the American market to foreigners, and on a platform which denounced the American system of protection and prophesied calamity if the great leader of protection were elected to the Presidency. But the actual existence of prosperity on every hand is a fact which even a man elected on a free trade ticket is obliged to recognize. Kansas owes her present prosperity to the victory won by protection. For, though the demand for American cereals in foreign markets has been a great element in the good times which have come to Kansas, yet it must be remembered that even that demand could not have brought prosperity if the home demand had been cut off because the people were without work and therefore without wages with which to buy.

Protection has made factories hum all over the country and has provided an army of workers to consume the Kansas farmer's products. If Kansas likes the good times she has had this year, let her help to establish protection for American workmen and so create a home market great enough to take all her products every year, irrespective of what the foreign demand may be.

Things to Be Thankful For. Increased prosperity in every branch of industrial and commercial activity. Increased work for everybody and in many cases higher wages. Increased comfort and happiness for man, woman and child.

Increased prices for the products of the farm, amounting, for the year 1897 alone, to more than \$1,000,000,000. Increased demand for the products of factories, mills and mines. Increased bank deposits, loans and discounts. Increased sales by merchants and manufacturers. Increased railroad earnings of over 11 per cent, as compared with last year. Increased exports of food stuffs and manufactured articles amounting to several hundred millions of dollars. The election of William McKinley as President of the United States. The triumph of protection. The passage of the Dingley tariff bill.

The Real Robber Tariff. The free-trader have exhausted the resources of the dictionary to find scathing epithets for the tariff which gives protection to American industries. "Robber tariff" is one of their favorite names for it. The vast majority of the people of the country, however, are agreed that the true "robber tariff" was the free-trade Wilson-Gorman law which robbed them of their work, their wages and their prosperity.

Laborers Have Money This Year. The holiday season will be one of much greater happiness than those of the past few years. The earnings of employees in the manufacturing sections have already been increased in many instances, and recent dispatches

from Pennsylvania, Michigan and Ohio show that a number of the great iron mines of Pennsylvania and Michigan are to increase the wages of their employees 10 per cent, on January 1st, and that the limestone operators of the Mahoning Valley, in Ohio, have increased the wages of their employees 20 per cent. The effect of the return of a protective tariff is being promptly felt.

Becoming Financially Independent. American securities formerly held abroad are being returned to the United States in large quantities, thus reducing the actual imports of money which would otherwise occur as a result of our large exportations. This fact is especially interesting, because it shows that the people of the United States are rapidly becoming independent of the financiers of the old world, and that there will be from this time forward a great reduction in the amount of money sent abroad in the payment of interest. The country at large is following the example of individuals, and reducing its indebtedness to others.

Bryan Needs Their Report. Those silver Senators who went to Japan a few months ago to find out just how it was that the "gold powers" had managed to induce the Yankees of the Orient to abandon the silver standard have not yet reported. They should do so in order that Mr. Bryan may advise the statesmen of

Mexico just how to escape the fate of the Japanese and of all the other intelligent nations which have adopted the gold standard in the last few years since the art of mining made it easy to produce silver at low cost and in enormous quantities.

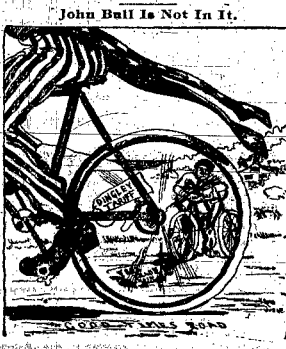
An Issue Soon Dead. Free silver has made a distinct issue in a half dozen States in 1897. In every one of these States the percentage of loss in Democratic votes was greater than in the year following the Presidential election of 1892, when free trade was the issue. The loss of Democratic votes in Massachusetts in 1897 was 24 per cent. of the 1896 vote, while in 1893 there was a falling off of 11 per cent. from the Presidential vote of the preceding year. In Virginia there was a falling off in 1897 of 28 per cent. in the Democratic vote, against 21 per cent. in Iowa, 12 per cent. in 1897, against 11 per cent. in 1893; in Ohio, 16 per cent. in 1897, against 12 per cent. in 1893; while in other States the results were equally disheartening to the advocates of silver.

Food for Thought. Mr. C. H. Cramp, a short time ago, at the meeting of the Board of Trade and Transportation in New York City, said: "No nation has ever been able to maintain ship-owning by purchasing its ships from the ship-builders of other nations." This remark offers food for thought to members of Congress and to the people generally. The American policy of protection is a broad and national policy and should embrace every American industry within its beneficent workings.

See Their Error. The people of Kansas have evidently seen the fallacy of the political arguments upon which they have been fed during the past few years, and as a result have placed the State again in the Republican column, giving that party a majority this year of over 9,000 votes against a Democratic majority of 13,000 last year.

Foreign Markets Not Lost. The adoption of a protective tariff has not cut off foreign markets for American products as was predicted, our exportations having increased materially since the enactment of the Dingley law, in the face of the fact that our purchases abroad have been reduced.

John Bull Is Not In It. The people of Kansas have evidently seen the fallacy of the political arguments upon which they have been fed during the past few years, and as a result have placed the State again in the Republican column, giving that party a majority this year of over 9,000 votes against a Democratic majority of 13,000 last year.



SPIRITUAL POWER.

SAMSON'S FALL THE SUBJECT OF DR. TALMAGE'S SERMON.

Physical and Moral Giants Should Use Their Power in Doing Good—Misguided Strength May Work Great Evil—Christ Our Champion.

Our Washington Pulpit.

Taking the exciting story of Samson's fall as a suggestion, Dr. Talmage in this discourse shows how giants in body and mind or soul ought to be consecrated to good and great purposes. His text is Judges xiv. 1. "And Samson went down to Timnah." "There are two sides to the character of Samson. The one phase of his life, if followed into the particulars, would administer to the grotesque and mirthful. But there is a phase of his character fraught with lessons of solemn and eternal import. To these graver lessons we devote our sermon. This giant no doubt in early life gave evidences of what he was to be. It is almost always so. There were two Napoleons—the boy Napoleon and the man Napoleon—both alike; two Howards—the boy Howard and the man Howard—both alike; two Samsons—the boy Samson and the man Samson—both alike. This giant was no doubt the hero of the playground, and nothing could stand before his exhibitions of youthful prowess. At 15 years of age he was betrothed to the daughter of a Philistine. Going down toward Timnah a lion came upon him, and although this young giant was weaponless, he seized the monster by the long mane and shook him as a hungry bound shakes a March hare and made his bones crack, and left him by the wayside bleeding under the smiting of his fist, and the grinding of his heel.

There he stands, looming up above other men, a mountain of flesh, his arms unbent with muscle that can lift the gate of a city, taking an attitude defiant of everything. His hair had never been cut, and it pulled down in seven great plaits over his shoulders, adding to his bulk, fierceness and terror. The Philistines tried to conquer him, and therefore they must find out where the secret of his strength lies.

Wiles of Delilah. There is a dissolute woman living in the valley of Sorek—the name of Delilah. They appoint her the agent in the case. The Philistines are secreted in the same building, and then Delilah goes to work and coaxes Samson to tell what is the secret of his strength. "Well," he says, "if you should take seven green withes, such as they fasten wild beards with, and put them around me I should be perfectly powerless." So she binds him with the seven green withes. Then she claps her hands and says, "They come—the Philistines!" and he walks out as though they were no impediment. She coaxes him again and says, "Now tell me the secret of this great strength," and he replies, "If you should take some ropes that have never been used and tie me with them, I should be just like other men." She ties him with the ropes, claps her hands and shouts, "They come—the Philistines!" He walks out as easily as he did before—no single obstruction. She coaxes him again, and he says, "Now, if you should take these seven long plaits of hair and by this house loom weave them into a web, I could not get away." So the house loom is rolled up, and the shuttle flies backward and forward, and the long plaits of hair are woven into a web. Then she claps her hands and says, "They come—the Philistines!" He walks out as easily as he did before, dragging a part of the loom with him.

But after while she persuaded him to tell the truth. He says, "If you should take a razor or shears and cut off this long hair, I should be powerless and in the hands of my enemies." Samson sleeps, and that she may not wake him up during the process of shearing help is called in. You know that the barbers of the east have such a skillful way of manipulating the head to this very day that instead of waking up a sleeping man they will put a man wide awake sound asleep. I hear the blades of the shears grinding against each other, and I see the long locks falling off. The shears or razor accomplishes what green withes and new ropes and house loom could not do. Suddenly she claps her hands and says, "The Philistines be upon thee, Samson!" He rises up with a struggle, but his strength is all gone. He is in the hands of his enemies.

He is in the hands of the giant as they take his eyes out and then he staggers on in his blindness, feeling his way as he goes on toward Gaza. The mill is open, and the giant is thrust in. He sits down and puts his hand on the mill crank, which, with exhausting horizontal motion, goes day after day, week after week, month after month—work, work, work. The consternation of the world in captivity, his locks shorn, his eyes unnettered, grinding corn in Gaza.

Physical and Moral Power. First of all, behold in this giant of the text that physical power is not always an index of moral power. He was a huge man. The lion found it out, and the 3,000 men whom he slew found it out. Yet he was the subject of petty revenges and out-gathered by low passion. I am far from throwing any discredit upon physical stamina. There are those who seem to have great admiration for delicacy and sickness of constitution. I never could see any glory in weak nerves or sick headache. Whatever effort in our day is made to make the men and women more robust should have the favor of every good citizen, as well as of every Christian. Gymnastics may be positively religious.

Good people sometimes ascribe to a wicked heart what they ought to ascribe to a slow liver. The body and the soul are such near neighbors that they often catch each other's diseases. Those who never saw a sick day, and who, like Hercules, show the giant in the cradle, have more to answer for than those who are the subjects of lifelong infirmities. He who can lift twice as much as you can and walk twice as far and work twice as long will have a double account to meet in the judgment.

Do Something. How often is it that you do not find physical energy indicative of spiritual power! If a clear head is worth more than one dizzy with perpetual vertigo, if muscles with the play of health in them are worth more than those drawn up in chronic rheumatics, if an eye quick to catch passing objects is better than one with vision dim and uncertain, then God will require of us efficiency just in proportion to what he has given us. Physical energy ought to be a type of moral

power. We ought to have as good digestion of truth as we have capacity to assimilate food. Our spiritual hearing ought to be as good as our physical hearing. Our spiritual taste ought to be as clear as our tongue. Samson in body, we ought to be giants in moral power.

But while you find a great many men who realize that they ought to use their money aright and use their intelligence aright—how few men you find aware of the fact that they ought to use their physical organism aright! With every thump of the heart there is something saying, "Work, work!" and lest we should complain that we have no tools to work with, God gives us our hands and feet, with every knuckle, and with every joint, and with every muscle, saying to us, "Lay hold and do something."

But how often it is that men with physical strength do not serve Christ! They are like a ship full manned and full rigged, capable of vast tonnage, able to endure all stress of weather, yet swinging idly at the docks, when these men ought to be crossing and recrossing the great ocean of human suffering and sin with God's supplies of mercy. How often it is that physical strength is used in doing positive damage or in luxurious ease when, with sleeves rolled up and bronzed bosom, fearless of the shafts of opposition, it ought to be laying hold with all its might and tugging away to lift up this sunken wreck of a world.

A Shameless Fact. It is a most shameless fact that much of the business of the church and of the world must be done by those comparatively feeble. Richard Baxter, by reason of his diseases, all his days sitting at the door of the town, yet writing more than a hundred volumes, and exerting an influence for God that will endure as long as the "Saints' Everlasting Rest." Edward Payson, never knowing a well day, yet how he preached, and how he wrote, helping thousands of dying souls like him, self to "swim in a sea of glory." And Robert McChesney, a walking skeleton, yet you know what he did in Dundee, and how he shook Scotland with zeal for God. Philip Doddridge, advised by his friends, because of his illness, not to enter the ministry, yet you know what he did for the "rise and progress of religion" in the church and in the world.

Wilberforce was told by his doctors that he could not live a fortnight, yet at that very time entering upon philanthropic enterprises that demanded the greatest endurance and persistence. Robert Hall, suffering excruciations, so that often in his pulpit while preaching he would stop and lie down on a sofa, then getting up again to preach about heaven, until the agonies of the colic, yet still dropping on the multitude, doing more work perhaps than almost any well man in his day.

Oh, how often it is that men with great physical endurance are not so great in moral and spiritual stature! While there are achievements for those who are bent all their days with sickness—achievements of patience, achievements of Christian endurance—I call upon men of health to be men of muscle, men of nerve, men of physical power, to devote themselves to the Lord. Giants in body, you ought to be giants in soul.

Behold also in the story of my text illustration of the damage that strength can do if it be misguided. It seems to me that this man spent a great deal of his time in doing evil, this Samson of my text. To pay a debt which he had lost by guessing his riddle he robs and kills thirty people. He was not only gigantic in strength, but gigantic in mischief and a type of those men in all ages of the world who, powerful in body or mind or any faculty of social position or wealth, have used their strength for iniquitous purposes.

Misguided Giants. It is not the small, weak men of the day who do the damage. These small men who go swearing and ranting about your stores at shops and banking houses assailing the colic and the cholera and the shingles. They do not do the damage. They have no influence. They are vermin that you crush with your foot. But it is the giants of the day, the misguided giants, giants in physical power, or giants in mental acumen, or giants in social position, or giants in wealth, who do the damage. The men with stumpy pens that stab religion and throw their poison all through our literature; the men who use the power of wealth to sanction iniquity, and bribe justice, and make truth and honor bow to their golden scepter. Misguided giants. Look out for them. In the middle and latter part of the last century no doubt there were thousands of men in Paris and Edinburgh and London who hated God and blasphemed the name of the Almighty, but they did but little mischief. They were small men, insignificant men. Yet there were giants in those days.

Who can calculate the soul havoc of a Rousseau, going on with a very enthusiasm of iniquity, with fiery imagination seizing upon all the impulsive natures of his day, or David Hume, who employed his life as a spiritless employ, his summer in spinning out golden webs to trap the unwary of his Voltaire, the most learned and skeptical, and leading them on to the dark land of infidelity, or Gibbon, who showed an uncontrollable grudge against religion in his history of one of the most fascinating periods of the world's existence—the "Decline and Fall of the Roman Empire," a book in which, with all the splendors of his genius, he magnified the errors of Christian disciples, while, with a sparseness of notice that never can be forgiven he treated of the Christian heroes of whom the world was not worthy?

Bad Influences Abroad. Oh, men of stout physical health, men of great mental stature, men of high social position, men of great power of any sort, I want you to understand your power, and I want you to know that that power devoted to God will be a crown on earth, to you typical of a crown in heaven, but misguided, bedraggled in sin, administrative of evil, God will thunder against you with his condemnation in the day when millions are pauper, master and slave, king and subject, shall stand side by side in the judgment, and money bags and judicial ermine, and royal robes shall be riven with the lightnings!

But there comes a voice from heaven, eye-powering the mingling sentimentalities of the day, saying, "Cease, ye who lift up your voice like a trumpet, and show my people their transgression, and the house of Jacob their sins."

A Gulf of Iniquity. You who are seated in your Christian homes, compassed by moral and religious restraints, do not realize the gulf of iniquity that be sides you on the north and the south and the east and the west. While I speak there are tens of thousands of men and women going over the awful plunge of an ignominious life, and while I cry to God for mercy upon their souls, I call upon you to marshal in the defense of your homes, your church and your nation. There is a banqueting hall that you have never heard of. You know all about the feast of Abanur, where a thousand loaves of bread, the blood of the murdered, the King's banquet, the scene of riot and wassail when there was set before Esopus one dish of food that cost \$400,000. But I speak now of a different banqueting hall. Its roof is fretted with fire. Its floor is tessellated with fire. Its chalices are chased with fire. Its song is a song of fire. Its walls are buttresses of fire. Solomon refers to it when he says, "Her guests are in the depths of hell."

Behold also in this giant of the text and in the giant of our own century that great physical power must crumble and expire. The Samson of the text long ago went away. He fought the lion. He fought the Philistines. He could fight anything, but death was too much for him. He may have required a longer grave and a broader grave, but the tomb nevertheless was his terminus.

Things to Consider. In the light of this subject I want to call your attention to a fact which may not have been rightly considered by five men in all the world, and that is the fact that we must be brought into judgment for the employment of our physical organism. Shoulder, brain, hand, foot—we must answer in judgment for the use we have made of them. Have they been used for the elevation of society or for its degradation? In proportion as our arm is strong and our step elastic will our account at last be reached to invalids, I mean the meaning to stout men and delicate women. We must give to God an account for the right use of this physical organism.

These invalids have comparatively little to account for perhaps. They could not lift twenty pounds. They could not walk half a mile without sitting down to rest. In preparation of this subject I have said to myself, How shall I account to God in judgment for the use of a body which never knew one moment of real sickness? Rising up in judgment, standing beside men and women who had only little physical energy, and yet consumed that energy in a conflagration of religious enthusiasm, how will we feel abashed!

Oh, men of the strong arm and the stout heart, what use are you making of your physical forces? Will you be able to stand the test of that day when we must answer for the use of every talent, whether it were a physical energy, or a mental acumen, or a spiritual power?

The day approaches and I see one who in this world was an invalid, and as she stands before the throne of God to answer she says: "It was sick all my days. I had but very little strength, but I did as well as I could in being kind to those who were more sick and more suffering." And Christ will say, "Well done, faithful servant."

A Prophetic Dream. And then a little child will stand before the throne, and she will say: "Oh, earth, I had a curvature of the spine, and I was very weak, and I was very sick, but I used to gather flowers out of the wildwood and bring them to my sick mother, and she was comforted when she saw the sweet flowers out of the wildwood. I didn't do much, but I did something." And Christ shall say, as he takes her up in his arms and kisses her, "Well done, well done, faithful servant; enter thou into the joy of thy Lord." What, then, will be said to us—to whom the Lord gave physical strength and continuous health?

I said to an old Scotch minister, who was one of the best friends I ever had, "Doctor, did you ever know Robert Pollok, the Scotch poet who wrote 'The Course of Time'?" "Oh, yes," he replied. "I knew him well. I was his classmate." And then the doctor went on to tell me how that the writing of "The Course of Time" exhausted the health of Robert Pollok, and he expired. It seems as if no man could have such a glimpse of the day for which other days were made as Robert Pollok had and long survive that glimpse. In the description of that day he says, among other things:

Begin the woe, ye woods, and tell it to the doleful winds, And doleful winds wail to the howling hills, And howling hills mourn to the dismal vales, And dismal vales sigh to the sorrowing brooks, And sorrowing brooks weep to the weeping stream, And weeping stream awake the groaning deep. Ye heavens, great archway of the universe, put on sackcloth, And ocean robe thyself in garb of widowhood, And gather all thy waves into a groan and utter it. Long, loud, deep, piercing, dolorous, immense. The occasion asks it—nature dies, and angels come to lay her in her grave. What Robert Pollok saw in prophetic dream you and I will see in positive reality—the Judgment, the Judgment! Copyright, 1897.

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The winter season is approaching and now is the time to purchase

STOVES OF THE BEST MAKE!

The above firm handles nothing but the best.

CARROLL.

J. A. Jones and wife were in Wayne Tuesday.

John R. Morris was doing business in Wayne Tuesday.

Frank Bailey is around again after a severe attack of quinsy.

D. M. Davis and wife made a trip to the county seat this week.

G. W. Prouty was down from Randolph on business Wednesday.

C. E. James and wife was up from Wayne Wednesday for a short visit.

School will close Friday for the regular Christmas holiday of two weeks.

Traveling men are numerous now days selling spring goods to merchants.

Eva Alter and little friend spent Sunday in Carroll, the guest of Leona Merrill.

Sherman Baker who was hurt a few days ago, is recovering as rapidly as possible.

A. J. Honey is repairing his store building and will soon have a No. 1 store room.

Ear corn is still coming to market. Carroll is the best grain market in Wayne county.

Ern Moore left Monday for Tilden and will visit there a short time, and then go to Idaho.

The blacksmiths are now reaping their harvest, the rough roads making shoeing a necessity.

D. M. Garwood shipped a car of fat cattle to South Omaha. They were some of his own feeding.

Helen Starn commenced the winter term of school last Monday at the Morris district west of town.

Aug Lohberg has a fine large tank standing near the livery barn. He brought it over from Winside.

Quite a number of children in the community are having the whooping cough, but of a very mild form.

Dr. Webster occupied the Methodist pulpit Sunday evening and preached an interesting sermon to a large audience.

The Baptist and Methodist Sunday schools will each hold their exercises and have the Christmas tree on Christmas eve.

Waye Garwood will leave in a few days for his old home in Ohio, for an extended visit with his parents and other relatives.

Sleighting is good in this vicinity now in fact, better than for several years. Farmers are doing considerable hauling with sleights.

Rev. Tyson preached his first sermon to the Carroll charge Sunday. He will hold a series of meetings about the first of the year.

J. A. Jones now occupies the highest "stump" in the Woodmen camp at Carroll. Geo. Bailey was also elected Clerk, in place of John H. Beach.

W. H. Rush, living 3 1/2 miles south of Carroll, will hold a public sale on Monday, Dec. 20, and will sell all his effects. Mr. Rush intends going to California.

The blizzard of Wednesday was one that was very hard on stock that had no protection, and reminded one very much of the pioneer days of Nebraska.

The Carroll Co-operative Creamery Co., ever watchful for the interests of the community, have about completed arrangements to build and operate, in connection with the creamery plant, a feed mill and corn shelter. The machinery will all be of the latest pattern with a capacity sufficient to handle all the business that comes.

WILBUR.

There is a great deal of corn yet to be picked around here.

J. W. Nichols purchased a corn shelter of J. Tower recently.

H. E. Hanson went to Norfolk on business Monday evening.

Miss Anna Hansen will give an entertainment at her school Xmas eve.

Did you notice those fine mugs the Wilburites had on at the masquerade?

There is talk of organizing a lyceum in district 15. Somebody start the ball rolling.

The young people's party at the residence of T. S. Goss didn't pan out very well. A crowd was present.

HUNTER.

What has become of that spelling school.

There was a dance at C. C. Bosteder's last Friday night.

Look out for two weddings in Hunter before 1898. This is official.

Our school, Dist. 19, will have a two weeks vacation, commencing Monday.

We hear that George Palmer has gone to Omaha to accept a position as chief clerk in a livery barn.

Jerry Longnecker is visiting with friends in Illinois at present, but will return in time to spend Christmas on the banks of the Logan.

John Snoddy has traded his farm and stock for a half-section near Gordon, Sheridan county, and will remove there next week and become a full-fledged ranchman. We are very sorry to see you go, John, but our loss is Sheridan county's gain.

PLEASANT VALLEY.

Mr. Hardy and family will locate in Missouri in the spring.

William Murphy is the happy possessor of a span of mules.

Mr. Barrett's house was treated to a layer of new siding last week.

There will be a Christmas tree at Pleasant Valley, Saturday eve, Dec. 25. Miss McVay visited at W. W. Hardy's last Saturday. She has many sympathizing friends in her late misfortune.

Notwithstanding the nice fall for harvesting the corn crop, very few are ready for the snow which some dare say has come to stay.

We fear the jack-rabbit tribe will be exterminated unless they soon learn to use stils. They are easily run down in the deep snow. Walter Harburt had 23 hanging on his house at one time last week.

Watch Them Go.

We mean that fine line of Holiday Goods which has just been received at the Star Grocery, consisting of
A Beautiful Line of

HAVILAND CHINA!

Elegant Tea Sets,
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Cheaper than the Cheapest.

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Remember that the Old Reliable Star Grocery is still in the lead, as in all other Fine Groceries.

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AUG. PIEPENSTOCK'S CITY BAKERY.

FRESH BREAD DAILY.

ALL BAKER'S GOODS.

Linoleums 2 yards wide.

HARRINGTON & ROBBINS.

Henry Kollogg and B. F. Swan were in Sioux City yesterday.

There is a change in the ad of J. G. Mines this week. Read it.

See those fine pictures at Gaertner's; just the thing for a Christmas present.

The churches are making preparations for the proper observance of Christmas.

Note the new ad of Miss Wilkinson, and then call and invest in some of her bargains.

See our line of MUFFS and FR SETS. They make a Xmas present that will be appreciated. Ahern's.

E. Hunter, county judge-elect, is assisting at Furehner Duerig & Co's. during the sickness of Mr. Henney.

Miss Angie Wadsworth has taught nine consecutive terms of school in the Pledge district in Wilbur precinct.

A young blizzard struck the city yesterday but it was not of enough force to cause any damage except to stop trade.

Hold On! Don't purchase your Holiday presents until you have seen those New Goods at Gaertner's Furniture Store. There you will find everything of the best; the most useful articles for holiday presents.

Al Driscoll was up from Logan on Monday.

J. B. Myers went up to Carroll last evening.

Miss Nira Jurgenson and sister, Miss Melby of Wausa, accompanied by Miss Bertha Warren of Kansas City, are guests at Dr. Neiman's.

We have a good second hand surry, spring wagon, baggy and lumber wagon for sale. There is no freight on these goods; they go cheap for cash. Eli Jones.

"I write this to let you know what I would not do: I would not do without Chamberlain's Pain Balm in my house, if it cost \$5 per bottle. It does all you recommend it to do and more—J. B. Walker, Wallaceville, Ga. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is the best household liniment in the world, and invaluable for rheumatism, lame back, sprains and bruises. Be ready for emergencies by buying a bottle at Orth's drugstore.

Special Holiday Rates:—For the Christmas and New Year holidays Excursion tickets will be sold Dec. 24-25-31, 1897, and Jan. 1, 1898, at One and One-third fare for the Round Trip; good returning until and including Jan. 4th, 1898. T. W. Moran, Agent.

Mrs. M. Bird, Harrisburg, Pa., says: "My child is worth millions to me; yet I would have lost her by group had I not invested 25 cents in a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure." It cures coughs, colds, and all throat and lung troubles. —L. P. Orth.

Fur Coats: We can satisfy all this season. Harrington & Robbins.

Estray Notice:

Taken up on section 32, township 26, range 4, on Friday, December 10, 1897, One Red Heifer, about three years old; mark on left side with letter "S." 45-5. D. MEYER.